

**Agreement between the Government of the Kingdom of Thailand and the
Government of the Republic of Indonesia relating to the Delimitation of the Seabed
Boundary between the two Countries in the Andaman Sea
11 December 1975**

THE GOVERNMENT OF THE KINGDOM OF THAILAND AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA,

DESIRING to strengthen the existing bonds of friendship between the two countries, and
DESIRING to establish the sea-bed boundary between the two countries in the Andaman Sea,
HAVE AGREED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

1) The boundary of the sea-bed area between Thailand and Indonesia in the Andaman Sea is the straight line drawn from point A (Latitude 07°05'.8 N. Longitude 96° 36'.5 E., being the terminating point of the boundary line between the two countries as defined in the Agreement between the Government of the Kingdom of Thailand and the Government of the Republic of Indonesia relating to the Delimitation of a Continental Shelf Boundary between the Two Countries in the Northern Part of the Straits of Malacca and in the Andaman Sea, signed at Bangkok on 17 December 1971) in a north-westerly direction to a point L whose co-ordinates are Latitude 07°46'.1 N. Longitude 95° 33'.1 E.

2) The co-ordinates of the points specified in paragraph 1) are geographical co-ordinates and the straight line connecting them is indicated on British Admiralty Chart No. 830 attached as an Annex to this Agreement.

3) The actual location of the above-mentioned points at sea shall, at the request of either Government, be determined by a method to be mutually agreed upon by the competent authorities of the two Governments.

4) For the purpose of paragraph 3), the term "competent authorities" in relation to the Kingdom of Thailand refers to Chao Krom Uthoksat (Director of the Hydrographic Department) and includes any person authorized by him; and in relation to the Republic of Indonesia refers to Ketua Badan Ko-ordinasi Survey dan Pemetaan Nasional (Chief of the Co-ordinating Body for National Survey and Mapping) and includes any person authorized by him.

Article 2

If any single geological petroleum or natural gas structure extends across the boundary line referred to in Article I and the part of such structure which is situated on one side of the said line is exploitable, wholly or in part, from the other side of the said line, the two Governments shall seek to reach agreement as to the manner in which that structure shall be most effectively exploited.

Article 3

Any dispute between the two Governments arising out of the interpretation or implementation of this Agreement shall be settled peacefully by consultation or negotiation.

Article 4

This Agreement shall be ratified in accordance with the legal requirements of the two countries.

Article 5

This Agreement shall enter into force on the date of the exchange of the Instruments of Ratification.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the undersigned, being duly authorized thereto by their respective Governments, have signed this Agreement.

DONE IN DUPLICATE at Jakarta, this eleventh day of December, one thousand nine hundred and seventy-five in the Thai, Indonesian and English languages. In the event of any conflict between the texts, the English text shall prevail.