

# **PNHS Teraja Survey highlights**

2010-2011

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The "second" Teraja waterfall, P. Engbers

The PNHS organized in 2010 and 2011 a survey to gather information on the conservation value and ecotourism potential of the Teraja area. The survey area, partly protected and partly proposed as a protected area, has still a lot of undisturbed primary forest, but is under threat by developments. We appraised the area in terms of hiking trails, photographic highlights, flora, fauna, folklore and history. The survey shows that the area has particular value because it has high biodiversity, a unique flora and fauna, and great eco-tourism potential.

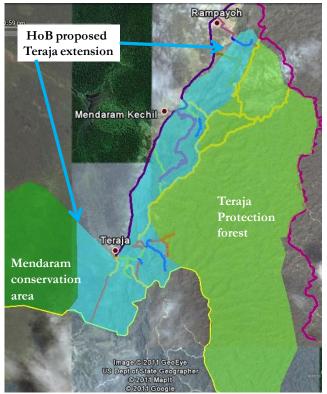
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## Introduction

The "Teraja survey" was executed over various weekends in 2010 and 2011 by PNHS members and some invited scientific experts (e.g. UBD students/staff). It was the idea of Jacqueline Henrot, subsequenty worked out by a number of PNHS members. The survey appraises the area in terms of hiking trails, photographic highlights, flora, fauna, and folklore. The purpose is to gather information on the conservation value and ecotourism potential of the area in order to help the authorities concerned in taking the most judicious decision concerning the development, management, and long-term conservation of the Teraja area. The 'Teraja survey area' encompasses the Bukit Teraja Protection Forest and the Proposed Bukit Teraja Protection Forest Extension (a narrow strip from Teraja waterfalls via Bukit Teraja ridge up to Rampayoh).



Most of the survey (and most of the recorded trails) is in the proposed Protected Area extension of Bukit Teraja. This is a relatively small piece of land (ca. 2500 ha) that is of particular value because it has high biodiversity value and great eco-tourism potential. It is a piece of fairly undisturbed forest that is accessible by road and has many hiking opportunities. The area holds various habitats: swamps, ridges, waterfalls, rivers therefore a diverse flora and fauna. The area is used by local people who still hold the traditional knowledge & legends. It is under threat by developments.

This map shows the explored trekking system. The Bkt Teraja Protection forest reserve and proposed extension area are in between the **Labi road** and **LoggingRoadEast.** There are many waterfalls and hiking treks (**Brown** = unmarked path, **Orange** = more difficult hike or animal trail, **Red**=hard trek, **Blue** = river scramble). Nearly all ridges have a kind of trail (orange) that is or has been used by seismic survey staff, military, poachers, or animals.

Map. Location of trails walked in the survey area (Teraja Protection forest and proposed extension). Note that most trails and waterfalls are within the proposed extension.

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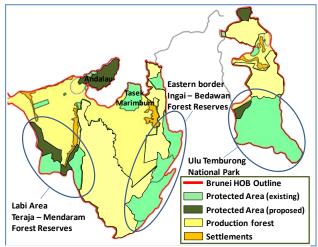
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# Background

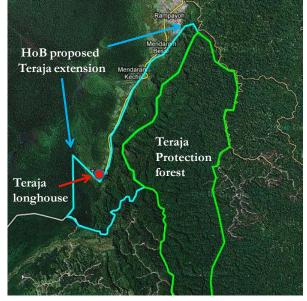
Brunei Darussalam is unique in the region because nearly half of the country is still primary forest. However, the primary forest cover is reducing and only 17% of the country's area is protected. The currently existing Protected Areas are mainly located in three regions; Temburong, the Ingai-Bedawan reserves, and the Labi area (Teraja-Mendaram). The Labi area has two separate Protected Areas; the Bukit Teraja Protection forest and the Ulu Mendaram Conservation Forest. Each has an extension area proposed in framework of the Brunei HoB project. The 'Teraja survey area' is composed of the Bukit Teraja Protection Forest and the Proposed Bukit Teraja Protection Forest Extension (a narrow strip from Teraja waterfalls via Bukit Teraja ridge up to Rampayoh).



**Brunei Protected Areas and Production Forests in HoB** 

# Scope and execution of Teraja survey

The proposed Protected Area extension of Bukit Teraja is a relatively small piece of land (ca. 2500 ha) but would be of particular value because it has high biodiversity value and great eco-tourism potential. It is a piece of fairly undisturbed forest that is accessible by road and has many hiking opportunities. The area holds various habitats: swamps, ridges, waterfalls, rivers - therefore a diverse flora and fauna. Several new species and endemics have been described from the area and researchers value the site. The area is used by local people who still hold the traditional knowledge & legends. It is under threat by developments. The proposed Protected Area extension will provide a connection from Bukit Teraja to the Ulu Mendaram Conservation Forest resulting in one large connected virgin rainforest with habitats varying from Peat swamp to Mixed Dipterocarp hill forest. This forest connectivity is important for forest plants and animals.



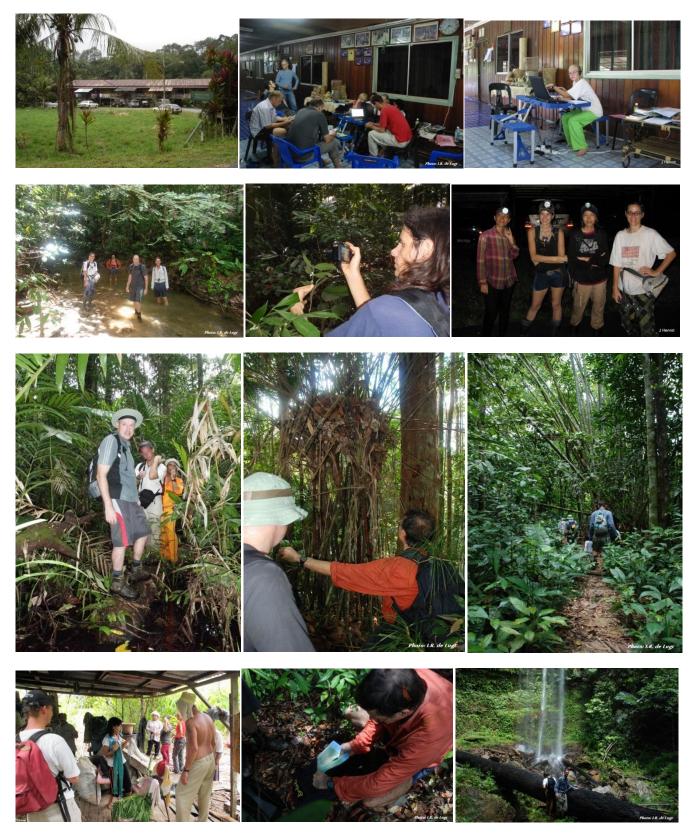
Teraja survey Area (Protection forest and Proposed Extension)

The survey purpose is to gather information on the conservation value and ecotourism potential of the area in order to help the authorities concerned in taking the most judicious decision concerning the development, management, and long-term conservation of the Teraja area.

The survey targets the appraisal of its flora, fauna, folklore, as well as an evaluation of its eco-tourism potential, in specific:

- 1. Highlight the flora and fauna in the area that are of 'special interest' either because of its rarity or its ecotourism interest. The output is an annotated checklists of biota, highlighting the biodiversity of the site, the species of conservation concern and the common species (likely to be spotted by tourists). Photographs and short description (aspect and habitat) of selected species is added.
- 2. Create maps of the sites of ecotourism interest and the trail system between the Teraja and the Rampayoh waterfalls.
- 3. Provide a report to the Heart of Borneo Council.

The survey was executed over various weekends in 2010 by PNHS members and some scientific experts (e.g. UBD students/staff). The Teraja longhouse provided a very friendly base camp and overnight stay. Groups of 3 or 4 went out to explore the rivers and ridges for interesting nature observations and to capture plant / wildlife photographic evidence.



Photos of the activities during the survey, by various PNHS members

# Teraja area highlights

**Waterfalls and trails.** We have found 40 waterfalls and many trekking opportunities in the Teraja area. Within the proposed protection forest extension, the small Sungai Teraja basin just upstream from the Teraja longhouse has at least 11 waterfalls. The paths to the Teraja and Belaluk waterfalls are well trodden but unmarked. Pushing on from these paths through the rivers brings you to many more beautiful waterfalls. *The fourth Sungai Teraja waterfall, P. Engbers* 

**Frogs.** Researchers from UBD recently found 36 species of frogs during a survey. Five frog species (Brown Bullfrog, Least Narrow-mouthed Frog, Peat Swamp Frog, Cricket Frog and Rough Guardian Frog) had never been recorded in Brunei. This brings the total number of frog species in Brunei to 81. *Pothole Narrow-mouthed Frog* (*left*) and Least Narrow-mouthed Frog (right), Hanyrol

**Reptiles**. About 10 species of snakes including Mangrove Cat Snake and Bornean Flatnose Pitviper were spotted at streams and on the road. Also seen were several Lizards and Turtles (e.g. the Softshell Turtle and Asian Leaf Turtle). Crocodiles are irregularly seen in the river next to the longhouse by the habitants. *Juvenile Mangrove cat snake, N. Yus* 

**Mammals.** Among the mammals encountered in Teraja are the Gibbon, Red leaf monkey, Banded Palm Civet, Yellow Throated Marten, Longtailed porcupine, Slow Loris, Maroon Langur, and the Wild boar. Several deer species are known from the area. *Banded Palm Civet, S. Goutte* 

**Plants.** The Teraja area shelters 19 plant species that are only known from Brunei (endemic), including 7 that, of the whole world, are only found there ('hyper endemic'). Six new species recently discovered in Teraja are in the process of being described, they will raise further the number of known endemic plants from the Teraja area. A species of Hoya probably new to science, J. Henrot

**Fishes & shrimps**. Fish species were distributed unevenly along the course of the streams, reaching a maximum in shallow forest streams downstream of the waterfalls. Diversity of fish decreased up stream above the waterfalls. Shrimps are abundant above waterfalls and less so below. This might be related to the presence of predatory fish species. *Fresh water shrimp, Hanyrol* 

**Butterflies**. A total of 233 butterfly species have been recorded from the study area. The most significant butterflies on the current list are Rajah Brooke's Birdwing and Miranda Birdwing. These are both protected species according to the CITES treaty. Butterflies are known to be environmentally sensitive organisms, hence their use for conservation of Forest Reserves project. *Fivebar Swordtail, V. Hitchings* 

**Birds**. The Teraja forests are very good areas for seeing forest birds in Brunei. A great variety of forest birds can be encountered with a recorded diversity of well over 150 species, from the common to the more elusive and rare. The forests are not the easiest habitat for bird-watching. However, the Labi ridge allows good views on the forest edge, but also undisturbed and close views on the forest canopy. *Bornean Bristlehead , endemic to Borneo attracts bird watchers from all over the world, F. Hindriks* 

















# **Biological highlights**

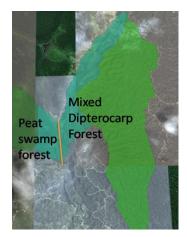
## **Plants**

#### J. Henrot

The Teraja area has been for a long time a favorite for botanical exploration, with many species first described from the area, some not yet found elsewhere in the world: 19 of the plants endemic to Brunei are found in the Teraja area, including 7 with a distribution limited to Teraja. The area remains, however, under-documented, with only 650 plant species collected from the larger Teraja area (table 4, Checklist from 1996).

In addition to the well developed streams and the sandstone layers, what makes Teraja botanically interesting is also what makes it vulnerable: its topography. The PTPFE in particular stretches on a steep slope reaching 415 m of altitude, a topography unique in the Belait district. The implications for the site are 2-fold: a large variety of plant habitats like waterfalls, sandstone cliffs, river banks, and ridges but also a fragile area, prone to landslides if disturbed.

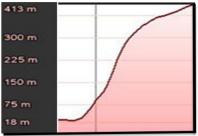
Waterfalls and cliffs have a distinct flora, with a diversity of aroids, gingers, gesneriads and begonias, all groups with a high level of endemic species. With further exploration, species new to science are expected from the area; a 3 day visit by an Aroid specialist last December yielded 4 new species, including 3 endemic to Teraja



(a.o., *Homalomena terajaensis*). Several species encountered in the course of the PNHS survey might be new to science, including a peculiar species of Hoya which is under study.

→Topography of the PTPFE: because of the steep slope, the site is particularly rich in plant habitats but also prone to dramatic landslides if disturbed.

←The 'Teraja area' (Teraja Protection Forest and HoB Proposed Extension) is almost entirely covered by 'Mixed Dipterocarp Forest' (MDF), with only 325



ha of the 7500 ha under Peatswamp forest (borders the Mendaram conservation area).



Apocynaceae: A peculiar Hoya. Most probably new to science and endemic to Brunei.



Hanguanaceae Hanguana sp. novo aff Hanguana bogneri Ticch & Sill. Not yet described.

*Commelinaceae Amischotolype sphagnorrhiza. Endemic to Brunei* 



Zingiberaceae **Boesenbergia armeniaca,** described from Rampayoh, regional endemic



Zingiberaceae **Tamijia flagellaris.** Regional endemic(, not on record yet at the Brunei Herbarium



Orchidaceae **Claderia viridiflora** Although common, orchids are rarely seen in flower



Araceae **Rhaphidophora typha,** Regional endemic (Brunei & Sarawak)



**Triuridaceae Sciaphila sp**. A delicate parasitic plant (no chlorophyll)



Moraceae **Ficus hemsleyana** Wild figs, important food source for the wildlife. A touch of color.



Orchidantha holttumii: regional endemic



Tacca bibracteata: regional endemic

Some special plants.

All photos by J. Henrot

## **Frogs**

#### Hanyrol, S. Goutte, U. Grafe

As part of their Master project, Sandra Goutte from France and Hanyrol from UBD, Brunei conducted 48 frog surveys at six selected streams within the proposed Teraja protection forest extension. The project started from the 1st of April 2010 to the 2nd of January 2011. Also joining the research team were supervisor, Dr Ulmar Grafe, UBD students, PHNS enthusiasts, and others.

They found 36 species of frogs during the survey belonging to 7 families (Table 1). Excitingly, 4 frog species (Brown Bullfrog, Least Narrow-mouthed Frog, Peat Swamp Frog, and Cricket Frog) that have never been recorded in Brunei were spotted during the survey. Two of these species were found just behind the Teraja Longhouse! This brings the total number of frog species in Brunei to 81.



Wallace's Flying Frog

Peat Swamp Frog

Pothole Narrow-mouthed Frog (left) and Least Narrow-mouthed Frog (right)



Jade Tree Frog

Striped Stream Frog

Sarawak Slender Litter Frog All above Photos by Hanyrol



Black-spotted Rock Frog

Kuhl's Creek Frog

Kuhl's Creek Frog Photos by J. Henrot

More wildlife surveys will hopefully be conducted in the future to uncover more of the hidden treasures of the great Teraja area.

(Special thanks to field assistants; Farhan, Helfi and Kalmy)

## **Reptiles**

#### Hanyrol, H. Dols

Among the reptiles encountered in Teraja were many snakes and several lizards and turtles (table 2). About 10 species of snakes including Mangrove Cat Snakes, and Bornean Flatnose Pitviper were spotted at streams and on the Labi road bordering the Teraja protection forest extension. Also worthwhile to mention are the Malayan Softshell Turtle and the Asian Leaf Turtle. Teraja longhouse inhabitants report crocodiles irregularly in the river next to their longhouse (as recent as in 2010).





Malayan Softshell Turtle, S. Goutte

Malaysian box shell turtle, J. Henrot

Asian Leaf Turtle, I. de Lugt







Juvenile Mangrove cat snake, N. Yus

Red-sided Keelback Snake, Hanyrol

Bornean Flatnose Pit Viper, Hanyrol



Giant Bent-toed Gecko, Hanyrol



Snakes were found when fishing in the pond under Beluluk waterfall. We specifically found there the Ular Kendawan = Reedsnake (*Calamaria Lumbricoidea*). A particularly beautiful snake is the Waglers Pit Viper (*Tropidolaemus wagleri*) locally called the Ingkerudu = stupid snake since it sits in the same spot for a long time. The Kongkangmau = Mangrove snake Mangrove snake = Gold ringed cat snake (*Boiga dendrophila*) strikes at the light when approached to closely. It is found quite often in the Teraja river. Locals use yellow foil over a flashlight to hunt the snake. Although, there are many snakes, they are not so often seen. Most are not dangerous, and the chance of being bitten is very small.

## **Butterflies**

#### V. Hitchings

A total of 233 butterfly species have been recorded from the study area. The most significant butterflies on the current list are *Trogonoptera brookiana brookiana* - Rajah Brooke's Birdwing and *Troides miranda Miranda* - Miranda Birdwing. These are both protected species according to the CITES treaty. Butterflies are known to be environmentally sensitive organisms, hence their use in the Conservation of Bornean Forest Reserves project. The list of species in this study provides a baseline for any future butterfly studies for Labi-Teraja.



**Pathysa antiphates itamputi** – Fivebar Swordtail,Longhouse,



Graphium sarpedon luctatius Bluebottle & Graphium doson evemonides – Common Jay, Paddy field



Allotinus horsfieldi nessus - Horsfield's Darkie



Cirrochroa emalea ravana-The Malay Yeoman

**Historical Records** provide a wealth of data on the butterflies of the Teraja-Labi area and provide data from more field hours than could otherwise be undertaken in a short space of time. In 1986 R.R. Herd prepared a volume entitled 'A Photographic Reference List to Bruneian Butterflies'. The information was compiled to generate the list of the butterflies presented in the appendix. The list is not exhaustive and without doubt more species are to be found and recorded.



Caterpillars are often fascinating, but be aware, do not touch these hairy beasts.

J. Henrot

## **Birds**

#### F. Hindriks

The dipterocarp forests surrounding Labi and Teraja are one of the key areas for seeing forest birds in Brunei, as they still offer a relatively undisturbed habitat for typical lowland birds as well as birds that prefer hill forests. At the same time the area is relatively easily accessible from Bandar and Seria. The primary lowland dipterocarp forest is the richest ecosystem in Borneo and accounts for the greatest biodiversity. The Brunei forests around Teraja are no exception, and a great variety of forest birds can be encountered.

As only limited data was gathered in the Teraja area within a 1 year period no complete bird list of the area can be provided. For a more extensive record far more dedicated research should be conducted over a longer period of time. Nevertheless, recordings based on frequent visits to the Labi road area and records of former PNHS members clearly illustrate the diversity with well over 150 species recorded, from the common to the more elusive and rare.



Bornean Bristlehead , an endemic species to Borneo, that attracts bird watchers from all over the world

Asian Paradise Flycatcher, more common, but often elusive

Red-throated barbet, an uncommon barbet species that is still often heard in the forests surrounding Labi and Teraja.

Highlights include sightings of the Bornean Bristlehead, an endemic species to Borneo, that attracts bird watchers from all over the world to well known birding areas in Sabah, like Danum valley and Sepilok. This rare bird is still regularly seen in the forest along Labi road. New species are still added to the PNHS bird list on almost every visit to the area.

The forests are not the easiest habitat for bird-watching as the view is often obstructed and most birds are restless and allow the bird-watcher only a brief view. For many birdwatchers the forest edge is therefore a preferred location, as it allows a wider view to spot species. The Labi ridge, and likely the new Forestry road to Bukit Teraja, are also unique in this respect as there are numerous locations along this road that not only allow good views on the forest edge, but also undisturbed and close views on the forest canopy.

One concern is for bird-watching is the increased activity and development activities along the road. For now, Labi and Teraja remain still excellent areas for bird-watching, as long as one is prepared to have an early rise.

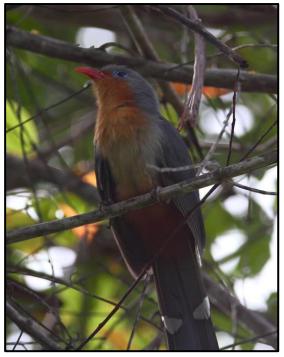
Jeremy Moore is greatly acknowledged and his bird documentation is used and quoted throughout this section, see link to his extensive Brunei birdwatching document below.

www.bsp.com.bn/PanagaClub/pnhs/Themes\_files/Birds\_files/Birdwatching%20J[1].Moore%202009.downl.pdf

#### Labi Ridge

This is one of the best bird-watching sites in Brunei. The view from the ridge is stunning and gibbons are still heard on every early morning visit. The access road to the ridge has been made much more accessible recently. See here a picture from a redbilled malkoha which, according to Myers Birds of Borneo, is the rarest of the 5 bornean malkoha species. This bird flew almost right up to me, and unlike most malkoha's allowed me a good view instead of quickly hiding away in the dense foliage.





Red-billed malkoha

Little Spiderhunter

All bird photos taken in Labi-Teraja area by F. Hindriks

Jeremy Moore provides the following description of the Labi ridge area:



"About 2 1/2 km before Labi village, there is a small red temple on the corner of a junction with a sandy track. This is the entrance to the Labi Ridge walk which is one of the best known access routes to the forest in the Labi area, although a solid fourwheel drive vehicle is essential. The track first crosses a small clearing (exit at the far righthand side) and then climbs very steeply for just over a km where there is a smaller track on the lefthand side. This is the best birdwatching route and can be driven with care unless the route is affected by rain. An alternative is to walk this route, parking directly opposite the entrance or about 200m further up the main route in a clearing at the top of the hill. This area can be very busy with logging trucks and in 2009 also with vehicles for the seismic

survey so care is needed when driving and walking as these large vehicles cannot always stop easily on loose slopes. The side track is drivable for

about 3km and a walking path continues further. Birdwatching is good at almost any point along the path and generally birds seen are similar to the 'seismic track' area although slightly easier to see due to the higher elevation of the path. Specialties seen here include Streaked Bulbul, Scarlet-rumped Trogon, Darkthroated Oriole, Brown Fulvetta, Verditer Flycatcher, Mountain Leaf Warbler, Asian Paradise Flycatcher and Yellow-breasted Flowerpecker. Rhinoceros and Bushycrested Hornbills are fairly common here too while Wreathed, White-crowned and Helmeted (only heard) have been recorded once each. Birds seem to be most active here in May and June when mixed flocks of feeding birds can be so large and active that it is impossible for one observer to look at everything."



## **Fishes and shrimps**

#### N. Yus, E. Loubens, A. Geisslinger, N. Hoggmascall

Fish species were distributed unevenly along the course of the streams, reaching a maximum in shallow forest streams downstream of the waterfalls. Diversity of fish decreased up stream above the waterfalls. Shrimps are abundant above waterfalls and less so below. This might be related to the presence of predatory fish species. It is likely that we did not achieve a representative sampling of fish species, due to limited duration of fishing and sampling (fishing) techniques. More surveys are needed to support the result of the first quicklook survey.

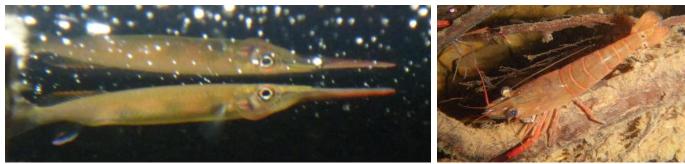


#### Unknown species, N. Hogg

Lophocheilus lineatus, N. Hogg

unknown, Hanyrol

Excitingly, the 'Brunei Beauty', scientific name Betta Macrostoma was found. The fish has so far only been found in the Teraja and Marudi area. This extremely restricted area of distribution underlines the importance of protecting the Teraja forests. The rare 'Brunei Beauty' has has been classified as threatened in the IUCN listing.



Half Beak, A. Geislinger

Fresh water shrimp, Hanyrol

The presence of shrimp in Beludok waterfall is quite high as opposite to fish that were nearly absent. Upstream from the Teraja waterfall has quite high shrimp population while fish population was extremily low and only unique fishes are found here, such as Forest Snakehead fishes. Forest snakehead fish is found in young group of more than 20 fishes, at upstream area but not found in downstream river. They adapt very well to strong currents. As snakehead can have eggs in big numbers they might be a source of food for insect and shrimps in this area.

The difficult access to the forest area and small size of most fish make it unattractive as an economic resourse of food fish. However the river near Teraja Longhouse is actively netted by villagers. Potentially there would be a source of fish for the freshwater aquarium trade.

There has not been much research on the freshwater fish in Brunei, and forest streams even less studied than brackish water and coastal resources.



Several collected fishes, Novi Yus

## **Mammals**

#### A. Geisslinger, H. Dols, P. Engbers

Mammals are more difficult to spot than most other animals. Nevertheless quite a few species could be observed during the Teraja Survey work, particularly at night: Red leaf monkey, Banded Palm Civet, Yellow Throated Marten, Longtailed porcupine, Slow Loris, Maroon Langur, Wild boar, Plantain squirrel. The Gibbon calls were heard but no individuals spotted during the survey. Making photos is very difficult as they are often far away and flee at any noise. The best way to capture a good photo would be by installing camera traps.



Banded Palm Civet, S. Goutte

Bornean Bearded Pig (Wild boar) on Labi road, H. Dols

Many animal traps are observed along the animal trails, particularly on the ridges. Hunting and poaching is actively going on. As recent as Dec 2010, the Brunei Times reports of a Clouded Leopard skin hung out to dry in one of the Belait Kampongs. This nocturnal cat is believed to be Borneo's largest cat, and is hunted for its cloud-patterned skin as well as its meat and bones. It is vulnerable to extinction, and is one of 34 species protected by Brunei law (protected animals include 2 mammals known from Teraja). Another recent sighting by a local man reported by Brunei Times is of a Clouded Leopard during daylight in a populated neighbourhood in Labi. It shows that this cat is disturbed and faces habitat loss. *Animal trap, I. de Lugt* 



An interview with Pak Jamit Ketua Rp Teraja and His son Kemarau anak Jamit of the Teraya longhouse regarding what animals they do observe in the forests produced an impressive list of mammals (including local names):

- Longtailed porcupine (*Trichys fasciculate*) = Ankis = like Landak. Short haired looks like a very large rat.
- Common Porcupine (*Hystrix brachyura*) = Landak Dudul. This is the one we spotted when frogging.
- Moonrat (Echinosorex gymnurus) = Haji Bulan. Like white haji cap. All white, very smelly.
- Yellow-throated Marten (*Martes flavigula*) = Menaleh
- Banded Linsang (Prionodon-linsang) = Pangkong Alang = Tupai like a Zebra
- Sunbear (*Helarctos malayanus*) = Beruang. Sometimes caught locally. 4 years ago at Sg Beluluk one reputedly as tall as a man was caught killed and eaten. Regularly marks are found on fruit trees close to the longhouse.
- Clouded Leopard (Neofelis diardi) = Benkuli = Harimau Bulan (protected under Brunei's Wildlife Protection Act).
- Short tailed Mongoose (Herpestes brachyurus) = Dumbang. Found in Rampayoh.
- Banded Palm Civet (Hemigalus derbyanus) = Bankang along = Musang. Small Civet cat often seen near Rp Teraja.
- Common Palm Civet (*Paradoxurus hermaphrodites*) = Musang malang. Many around the longhouse eating fruit.
- Sambar Deer (Servus Unicolor) = Rusa or Payau. Status unknown will have to recheck if has been sighted there.
- Common Barking deer (Muntiacus muntjak) = Kijang = Red Muntjac. Still sighted frequently.
- Greater mouse deer (*Tragulus napu*) = Pelanduk Lapak. Nicer to eat than Pelanduk simpur. Often seen in rain.
- Smaller (Lesser mouse deer) (Tragulus javanicus) = Pelanduk Simpur. Often caught close by the longhouse.
- Oriental small clawed Otter (Aonyx cinerea) or smooth Otter (Lutra perspicillata) = Ringin. Often seen eating fish.
- Slow Loris (Nycticebus coucang) = Inkat. Often seen (protected under Brunei's Wildlife Protection Act).
- Bearcat (Arctictis binturong) = Anturan = Binturong. Unclear if these have been spotted near the longhouse or not.
- Bornean Bearded Pig or Wild boar (Sus barbatus)
- Longtailed Macque (Macaca facicularis), Red leaf monkey (Presbytis rubicunda), Silvered Langur (Presbytis cristata)
- Gibbon (*Hylobates muelleri*)

# Spiders

Even without a more definite tabulation of spiders found in the Teraja-Rampayoh area, it is already obvious that the area is high in species richness, conservatively estimated at a minimum of 40 species falling under at least 11 families. Among them are numerous spiders recorded for the first time in Brunei Darussalam.





Spiders recorded for the first time in Brunei Darussalam include the strikingly coloured *Acusilas malaccensis* Murphy & Murphy 1983 which hides inside a rolled leaf shelter suspended in the hub of a sparsely spaced and incomplete orb web amongst low vegetation in moist areas in the forest. The discovery of the spiny *Phoroncidia lygeana* (Walckenaer 1841) along the trail towards the Wasai Rampayoh is another new record in Brunei. An active hunter that is noted for the first time in Brunei is the brown jungle lynx spider *Hamataliwa incompta* Thorell 1875. There are many more species that are probably new to science. There is also a possibly undescribed spitting spider closely related to *Scytodes pallida* Doleschall 1859. Among the more spectacular species that may not have been described previously is a large orange jungle huntsman spider of the highly diverse genus of *Heteropoda*, seen below here consuming a leech at night.



All above spider photos by J. KH Koh



New species of Heteropoda.

Female of Heteropoda species

Heteropoda boei, male, uncommon Above spider photos by Hanyroll

#### **Insects**

#### J. Maskall

No systematic survey of the insects and other arthropods of Teraja has yet been undertaken but chance sightings produced photographs representing a range of families. Butterflies (see separate section) dance around the longhouse and padi fields, a trilobite beetle may be sitting on a log across your path and a firefly signals for a mate after nightfall. A late evening walk will also yield a variety of phasmids and centipedes, emerged from the leaf litter for a night's browsing or hunting. Dragonflies are abundant along the old Marudi road and around the padi fields while water boatmen and other aquatic arthropods may be seen in the many streams. Termite mounds and tubes advertise the presence of these essential insects. Other insects secrete themselves in crevices or under bark, and have to be sought out. The mosquitoes will of course always welcome you, so take some repellent. Interestingly enough, mosquitoes are quite limited through the Mixed Dipterocarp Forest (most of Teraja) but are abundant and fierce in the Peat swamp part of Teraja.



Selected insect photos. Left under is Lampyridae sp., a larval form of a firefly or glow worm also known as a lightning bug - because of the way some adults attract a mate (producing flashes of light from luminous organs in a pattern specific to their species). As this individual was actively producing light from the pale yellow patch near the end of the tail, it may be that it belongs to a species in which the female does not change from the larval form. They are in fact beetles, and adult males are more typically beetle-shaped. All photos by J. Henrot except the top left by Hanyrol.





Bug. J. Henrot

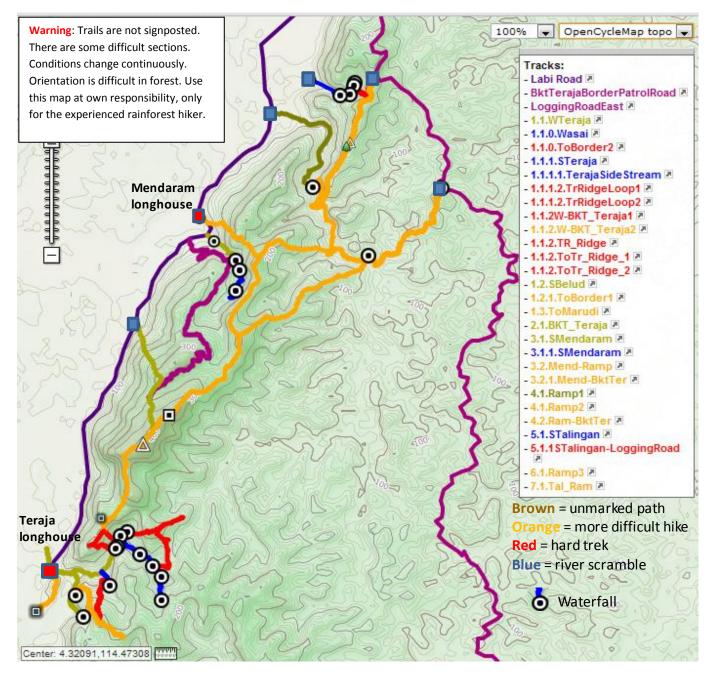
Scolopendrid centipede sp. The bite can be very painful. Hanyrol

# Trail system, eco tourism, and natural highlights

## **Trail system**

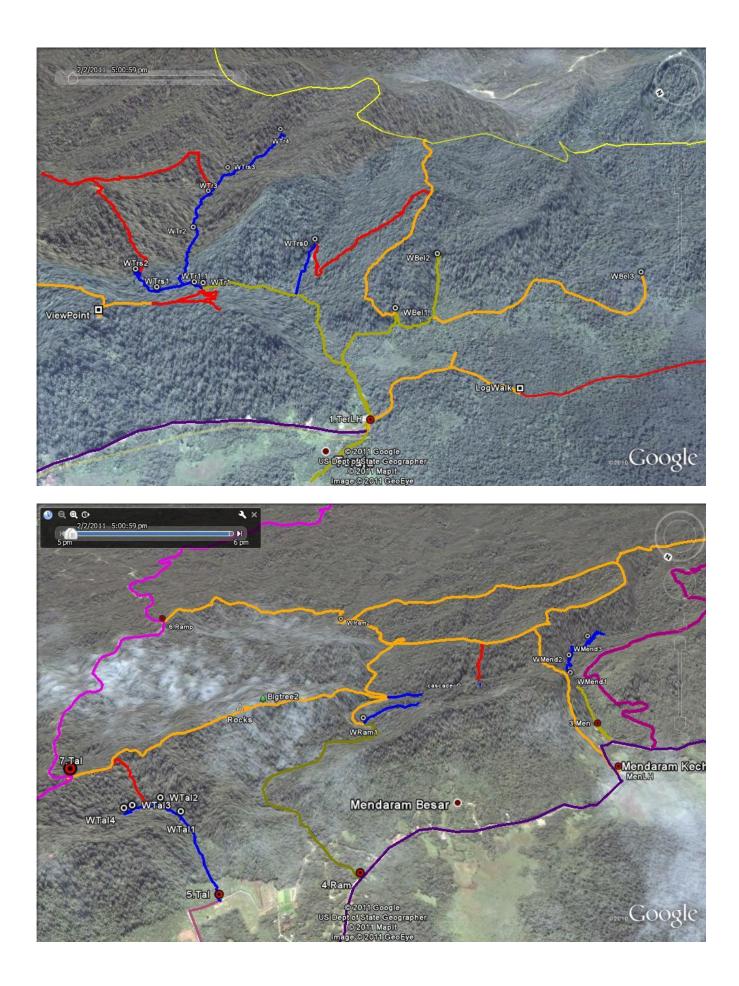
## P. Engbers, H. Dols

The whole Teraja area, but particularly the proposed Protected Area extension of Bukit Teraja has many hiking opportunities. It has great eco-tourism potential. It is a piece of fairly undisturbed forest that is accessible by road. The area holds various habitats: swamps, ridges, waterfalls, rivers - therefore a diverse flora and fauna.



Teraja Trail Map, to open click https://sites.google.com/site/peterengbersbrunei/important-documents/TerajaTracks.kmz

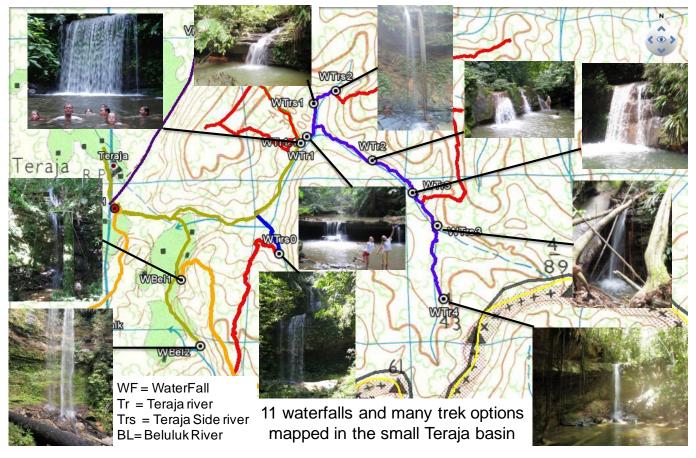
This above map shows the explored trekking system. The Bkt Teraja Protection forest reserve and proposed extension area are in between the Labi road and LoggingRoadEast. There are many waterfalls and hiking treks (Brown = unmarked path, Orange = more difficult hike or animal trail, Red=hard trek, Blue = river scramble). Nearly all ridges have a kind of trail (orange) that is or has been used by seismic survey staff, military, border patrol, poachers, or animals.



## Waterfalls

#### P. Engbers

Sofar, we found 40 waterfalls in the Teraja area. 39 of these are in the proposed conservation forest. The small Sungai Teraja basin just upstream from the Teraja longhouse is of particular interest. We have explored the area extensively and found it particularly diverse, with at least 11 waterfalls (Waypoints with W=Wasai or Waterfall) and many trekking opportunities. The paths to the Teraja and Belaluk waterfalls are well trodden but unmarked. Pushing on from these paths through the rivers brings you to many more beautiful waterfalls. These river scrambles, climbing over rocks and swimming the many pools are great fun for the adventurous family. Most ridges have a kind of hiking or animal trail providing connection towards Bkt Teraja and other areas.



Sungai Teraja basin with many waterfalls and hiking treks (path, hike, hard trek, river scramble), mapping and compilation by P. Engbers



Enjoying a rest and a swim at the Rampayoh Waterfalls, a 2.5 hrs forest walk from the Labi road.

See appendix 1 for a map and photos composition of all 40 waterfalls.

## **Ridges and Viewpoints**

#### **P. Engbers**

The Teraja area is dominated by the Teraja ridge reaching to a height of 415 m at Bukit Teraja. Various viewpoints provide great views from the main Teraja ridges to the East or West. To the West, one can see over the Mendaram peat swamp forest up to the Lambir hills at clear sky. Towards the East, we see the whole Belait – Tutong basin up to the Limbang border. Towards the Southeast, the high Mulu Mountains are very impressive.



West- East profile through Teraja Forests



View from Teraja ridge to the West over Mendaram Peat swamps, H. Dols



View from Teraja ridge Eastwards to Mulu



Sunset over Labi toward Bkt Teraja

D.de Vries



View East wards over the Teraja Protection forest in the Rampayoh basin taken from Teraja ridge viewpoints

**P. Engbers** 

## Sandstone Rocks and cliffs

#### P. Engbers

Many sandstone rocks can be found in the Teraja area. They are on ridges as cliffs or labyrinths and in the valleys where the hard sandstone layers either steer the river bends or cause the many waterfalls.



Rock labyrinth on ridge, P.Engbers

Rock cliff with ladder on ridge, ?

Rock layers causing waterfalls, P.Engbers



Rocks steering the river bends

Overhanging rocks with bats and waterfall. P.Engbers



Vegetated cliffs on the first Rampayoh waterfall.

**P.Engbers** 

## **Eco-tourism activities**

#### P. Engbers, J. Henrot

Many activities are possible in the Teraja area. They vary from following rivers- by foot, inflatable, or innertubes, scrambling the rocks or trees like in canyoning, as well swimming the pools and jumping, sliding, or abseiling the rock faces. Camping or bivaccing can be done in many places. Various multi-day hikes are possible setting up your own camp for the night. It is also possible to design and string together various multi-day ecotourism activities in the forest and combine them with other activities in the Labi area (rice paddy visits, cycling, cultural visits, etc).



Floating down river with inner tubes and in inflatable boats.

J. Henrot



Following the rivers, climbing the rocks and trees is not always easy, but big fun for adventurous family. P.Engbers



Going down the rivers, jumping or sliding the rocks needs some safety attention, but is fun.

J. Henrot



Going down the rivers, abseiling the waterfalls is challenging and fun for the kids.

J. Henrot



Setting up camp for the night. Hammocks are light, comfortable, and well protected with rain flysheet. J. Henrot



Trekking through the rainforest, enjoying impressive trees and varying undergrowth.

J. Henrot

## Labi-Teraja Longhouses and its traditions

#### P. Engbers, H. Dols (adapted from "Brunei Darussalam; a guide" by BSP, 2000)

Labi is a rural settlement with houses scattered on either side of the road. It is a centre for fruit production and other agriculture. Lime, orange, rambutan, jackfruit, cempedak, durian, and other tropical fruits are all grown in the area.



Along the road from Labi to Teraja are four Iban longhouses, the principal ones being Rumah Panjang Mendaram Besar (Rumah Panjang means longhouse) and Rumah Panjang Teraja. Longhouses are not permanent. When they start falling apart, the inhabitants simply build another a short distance away choosing a new site because they have to live in the old longhouse until the new one is complete. Each family member plays a part in the construction

and each family is responsible for the building of its own 'door'. Longhouses in Labi are no longer built with palm leaves and the last traditional one in the area disappeared in the mid-1980s. Now longhouses are made from wooden planks with corrugated iron roofs. Modern staircases have replaced the traditional notched log that used to be common. Built to accommodate many families, the longhouse is divided into two main areas - a series of family rooms and a large open verandah which looks like a public thoroughfare but in fact is not. The public walkway is a metre wide path along the front of the building, of which lead all the 'family-room doors'.



Teraja longhouse P. Engbers

Traditional craftwork, J. Henrot

Rice paddy work, P. Engbers

Rumah Panjang Mendaram Besar has 12 doors and is home to some 100 people. It still has a wooden roof and the floor area comprises planks and split nibong palm.

The six-door Rumah Panjang Teraja at the end of the Labi road was constructed in 1987 and is now home for 30 people. It is an interesting blend of old traditions and modern influences. If you are lucky to be granted a look

inside you will find the place equipped with all thinkable modern facilities. It is quiet during the week with most men away working in Seria and Kuala Belait. It has a full complement only for important celebrations such as Gawai, the rice harvest festival, at the beginning of June when celebrations go on for a week and visitors are welcome. Children go to the local primary school but when they reach lower secondary level they have to go to school in Kuala Belait and live in hostels. The longhouse has its own generator and in 1991 completed a project to draw water from the first Belulok waterfall. The residents grow their own fruit and vegetables including pineapples, pumpkins, beans, durian, mangosteens and bananas and rear pigs and chickens. They also plant padi rice.



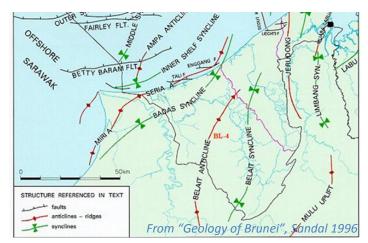
Social time on the veranda, P. Engbers

## **Geomorphology and Hydrocarbon Exploration history**

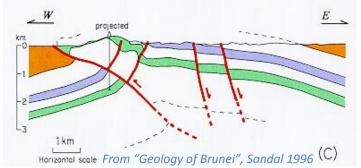
#### N. Hoggmascall, H. Dols

#### Geomorphology

"When approached from the west, the Labi ridge rises abruptly from the absolute flatness of the Belait peatswamps. There is no significant range of Hills between Labi and Lambir National Park xkm away to the west in Sarawak and the views looking to the west from the logging track at Bukit Talingan are breathtaking. The eastern side of the ridge, dissected by steep gullies, dips more gently towards the floodplain and swamps of the Belait -Tutong drainage basin. From the ridge of the hill range, a 360 degree panorama is possible, encompassing all significant geomorphological



features in Brunei and beyond, including Gunung Mulu, perhaps the most distinctive mountain within view.



The Labi Hills have a marked asymmetry in cross section with an escarpment slope forming the steep western side and the eastern slopes representing a deeply eroded dip slope. The steepness of the western slope has a recent geological origin, being formed as the result of reverse fault movement along a pre-existing fault zone. The mountain building episode that affected all current hill ranges in Brunei can be

demonstrated to have occurred up until very recently in geological time, perhaps less than 1 million years B.P. As a result of continued pulses of mountain building over the past 10 million years or so, the Labi hills have remained a young range of hills, with uplift keeping up with natural erosive processes.

The numerous steep gullies that dissect the range reflect the nature of the rock sequence that forms them. Along many parts of the logging trails outcrops of rock reveal sandstone and sandstone-claystone sequences of sedimentary rocks. In detail, depositional features indicate that these rocks were laid down in shallow water conditions, similar to those seen in the present Brunei bay.

In many of the narrow valleys that dissect the hills the natural processes of erosion can be seen in action. The main two processes are water erosion / chemical dissolution and rockfall / landslide. The first process is a continual one difficult to detect on the human scale. However rockfalls are instantaneous events and have a significant visual impact on the forest, causing tree falls, blocking jungle tracks and occasionally damming rivers. The breaks in the forest canopy are very quickly occupied by the rapid growth of tree saplings and such rockfalls are often difficult to detect five years after the event. Rockfalls are also a feature along some of the ridge tracks where natural fractures in the geological formations encourage the process.

One process that has a significant impact on erosion is human forest clearance. Along most logging tracks, the impact of forest clearing is very visible. Erosion is instantaneous following clearance and the sediment is delivered into the forest valleys very rapidly over a short period of time. The impact of this is very significant on local valley ecosystems, resulting in the silting up of forest streams and valleys and often death of a significant part of the valley bottom forest.

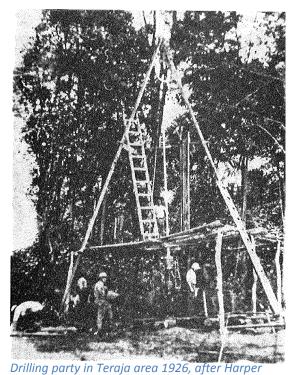
The sandstone and claystone rock layers dip gently to the west on the western slopes and gently to moderately to the east on the eastern slopes of the hill ranges; thus the hills are formed of a geological structure termed an anticline. Along the main logging track where bulldozing has exposed the rocks, discrete narrow zones can be seen where the rock layers are deformed vertically. These are the main faults that break up the geological layers throughout the Labi Hills. As more logging tracks are excavated, more fault zones can be discerned. Thus we can interpret the Labi Hills as a faulted anticline structure. In the future, with increased resolution of the digital

elevation data (e.g. LIDAR images), it may be possible to further map the geological fault zones across the Labi Hills by imaging through the forest canopy.

Evidence of the most recent uplift of the hills can be seen along the west boundary of the hills, where sand and clay eroded from the hills have been deposited as large alluvial fans (google earth image in here). These fans have spread over the peat swamp, resulting in a subtle change of forest. These fans have been exploited by the local communities who now grow a wide range of fruit, vegetables and rice on the deposits of the eroded hills. Observations in rivers and streams that flow through these fans indicate that the rivers now cut down through these deposits by up to two metres; the rivers must have originally been flowing on the surface of these deposits but have eroded down into them as the land they were deposited on them has uplifted."

#### Labi area Exploration History

Eighteen wells have been drilled in the Labi area between 1912 and 1988, but only the last ten (post-1953) were drilled deeper than1300 metres. Well 2 was the only significant producer. Reservoirs are very thick coastal plain sands with few marine intercalations. The Miocene sedimentary sequence is overall regressive from the deep marine, Setap Shale Formation at the base to the coastal plain sediments of the Belait Formation at the top.



Most exploration activity was in the Talingan area. The very sandy (main objective) sequence of the Belait Formation and the main regional cap rock, the Belait Clays, both crop out in the anticline. The structure is therefore prone to leakage in these areas as shown by numerous oil seeps. All parts of the Belait structure connect with potential oil kitchens on both flanks in the Badas and Belait synclines. These synclines contain thick coaly horizons (locally true coals) which are excellent source rocks. The deeper basinal Setap Shales could also contain good source rocks.

In the extreme south of the structure around Bukit Teraja, where well Belait 14 was drilled, uplift on the fault-zone is very considerable, as is removal of former overburden by erosion. Geological exploration of the Belait anticline began about 1911, with geologists of the British Borneo Petroleum Syndicate, mapping the area as far south as Bukit Teraja. The first well was spudded in 1912 at Bukit Puan, on the south bank of the Belait river, to satisfy license obligations. In 1913, the syndicate acquired the Rampayoh Mining Lease, covering an area of strong surface hydrocarbon indications. They started drilling at

sites no. 2 and no. 3 in the Talingan area, at the crest of the Belait anticline, with oil impregnated outcrops nearby. The Anglo-Saxon Petroleum Company (part of the Shell group of companies) took over the drilling operations in 1914. They struck oil in well no. 2 at a TD of 559 metres; the first oil in Brunei.

The British Malayan Petroleum Company (Shell) took over the British Borneo Petroleum Syndicate concessions in 1924. Subsequently the area was remapped. Well no. 2 was put on production in 1924. Between 1924 and 1931 some 5,000 m3 of oil was transported by rail to Kampar and from there shipped down the Belait river. The company drilled six more wells from 1924 to 1931. Wells no 5, 8 and 9 appraised the producing Talingan area. They discovered mainly gas. Wells no. 6, 7 and 10 found new hydrocarbons, but none was considered commercial. Production and exploration activities stopped in 1931. The Seria oilfield provided better opportunities. Exploration returned in 1948 with a seismic survey at Medaram and Teraja, but without delineating new prospects. Wells Belait-11 to 14 drilled between 1953 and 1955 failed to find hydrocarbons. Exploration turned to the offshore in the late 1950's and only returned to the Belait area in the early 1970's. New seismic was acquired between 1975 and 1977 and two wells (Belait 15 and 16) were subsequently drilled in 1978. Belait 16 found interesting gas shows, but could not be tested because of technical problems.

The Talingan area appeared to be the only one with further opportunities. New seismic was shot over this area in 1985 and Belait-17 was spudded in 1987 as a twin well of Belait-5. Belait-18 spudded in 1988 as a sidetrack of Belait-17 to evaluate the east flank of the Talingan accumulations. This well was the first one in 60 years with new, but non-commercial, hydrocarbons in the Belait area.

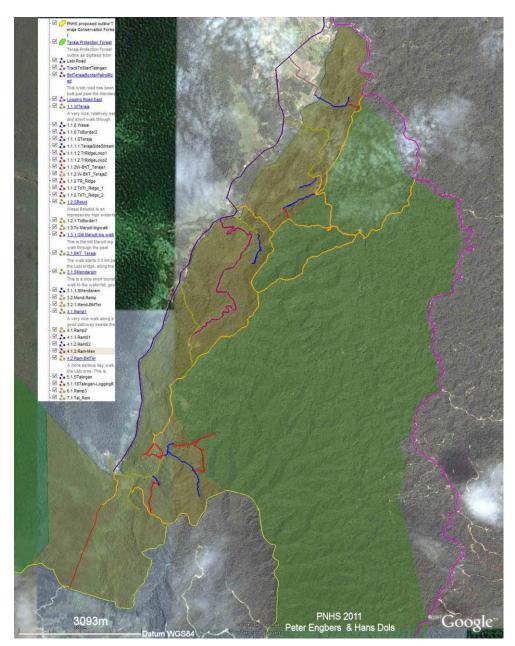
## **Teraja Conservation Forest Proposal**

#### P. Engbers, H. Dols, J. Henrot

The PNHS proposes the establishment and gazetment of a Teraja Conservation Forest, with a purpose and outline slightly different from the earlier HoB proposed protection forest extension. A Conservation forest is an undisturbed forest set aside to preserve and conserve biodiversity for scientific, educational, and/or ecotourism purposes. The ecotourism should be low impact, small scale, and benefit the economic development of the local communities.



The suggested outline of a Teraja Conservation Forest is shown in below map with a transparent brown-yellow fill. The proposed conservation forest would provide a crucial connection between the existing Teraja Protection forest and the Mendaram conservation area (transparent green) and form a buffer zone between the more intensively used areas along the Labi road and the Teraja protection forest.



The proposed area measures 27.11 km<sup>2</sup> (2711 Ha) and includes Thirty-Nine (39 out of 40) mapped waterfalls and the highest point in the Belait province the Teraja Peak. Within the conservation forest the build 7 km newly enforcement road (Old Shell Road) could provide access to the surrounding area enabling low-impact ecotourism active-ties coordinated by the local community. As far as possible we have excluded the main Labi - Teraja road and the land close to, or under cultivation by the local community from the proposed conservation area. (at least as far as we could identify from the available satellite data). The exact interface is to be worked out between all local and government stakeholders.

Map of suggested outline of a Teraja Conservation Forest (transparent brown-yellow fill). The proposed conservation forest would provide a crucial connection between the existing Teraja Protection forest and the Mendaram conservation area (transparent green) and form a buffer zone between the more intensively used areas along the Labi road and the Teraja protection forest.

## Ecotourism development suggestions for the Labi-Teraja area

#### P. Engbers, H. Dols, J. Henrot, A. Geisslinger

A definition of Ecotourism: Ecotourism is travel to fragile, pristine and usually protected areas that strives to be low impact and is small scale. It helps educate the traveler; provides funds for conservation; directly benefits the economic development and political empowerment of local communities; and fosters respect for different cultures and for human rights.

**Recommendation for Teraja ecotourism development:** We recommend starting small. Development should fully involve and align with the wishes of the local inhabitants. The people need training on how to deal with tourist and manage projects. It is advised to develop an ecotourism master plan for the area. Look at the example of very successful low impact local development of homestay trekking in Nepal and Ladakh and of nature tourism in Sabah. There is the opportunity to re-employ current poachers / hunters as committed and knowledgeable guides after they have been retrained. Ideally it should be entirely run by the local community with some support from the government and interested parties. The master plan and its implementation need expert consultant steer and advice to ensure low impact and environment/tourist friendly development.

Accommodation options: Homestays in local homes, rice paddy stay (see Bali examples), longhouse stay, and a Labi guesthouse.



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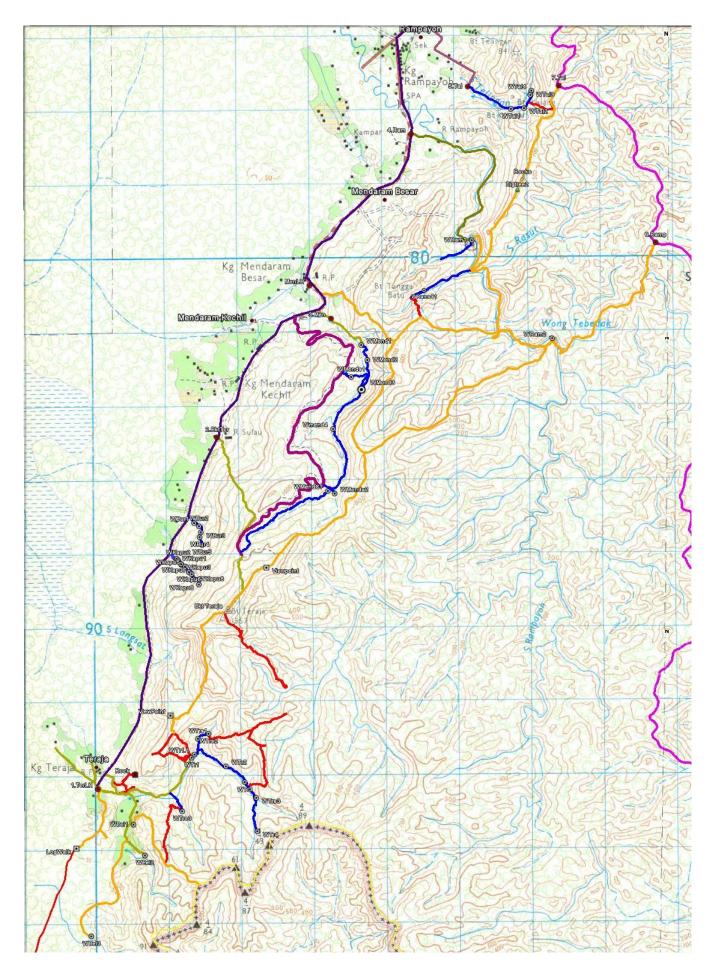
- Cultural shows (longhouse).
- · Rice paddy and agricultural demonstrations.
- Cycling Labi area and biathlon (cycle and walk) up Bukit Teraja.
- Short and easy jungle walks (can be done without guide). These are the brown trails on our map.
- Longer and more difficult jungle treks (need guide). These are the orange trails on map.
- River experiences (follow river, see blue tracks on map, need guide). Waterfall visits and swim in pools.
- · Rainforest camping and/or bivac experiences. Rainforest survival training camps (need guide).
- Multi-day rain forest experience from Teraja longhouse to Rampayoh river (combine all trails from map) and includes rainforest bivac (need guide).
- Topical nature experiences (e.g. bird watching, butterflies, fish exploration, botanical walks, nightwalk for insects/frogs, need guide).

#### **Development suggestions**:

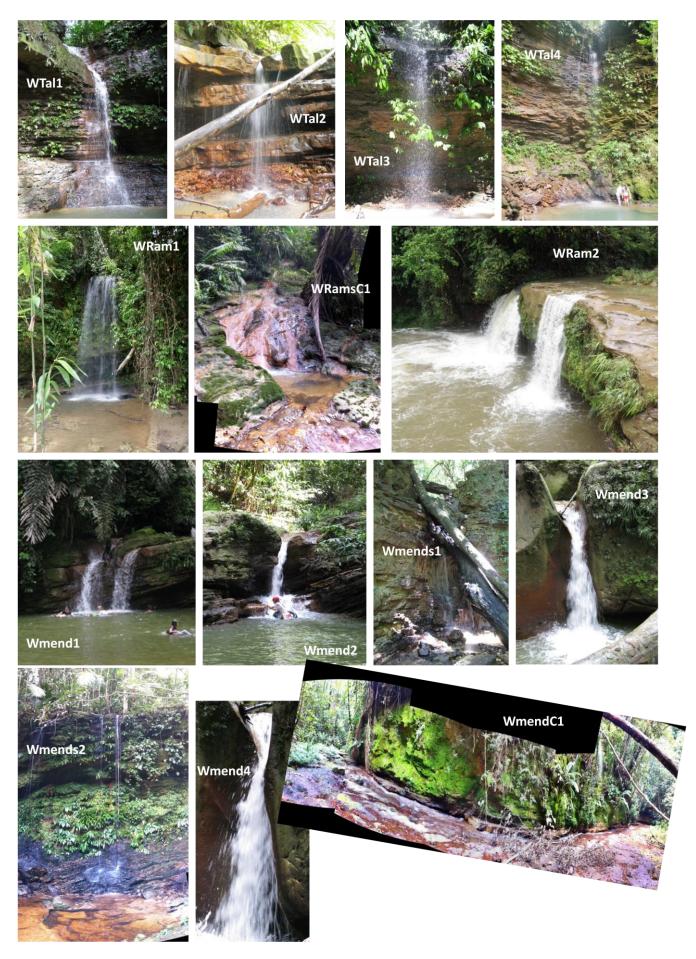
- Maintain and signpost the easy trails (brown trails on map).
- · Facilitate building of guesthouse in local style in labi (example Telamba homestay near sg Telamba)
- Develop Bkt Teraja forestry road as a low impact tourist road with facilities at top. Desparately needs control (against poaching) now.
- Work together with Brunei Tourism. Set up Eco tourism support and advertisement (e.g. websites), but don't publicize before implementing basic protection measures and local guides.
- Provide Green guide training. Provide eco tourism training to interested locals (longhouse, etc) and help longhouses to set up for tourism.
- Work with all stakeholders and a consultant to make ecotourism master plan for the area. Have an experienced consultant who can steer activities and advise on what kind of environment the international visitors do expect before changing the natural environment (path clearing, big structures, etc.).
- Set up information corners and cultural displays in the two longhouses. This would turn the longhouses into impromptu visitors' centres where tourist can collect information before setting off.



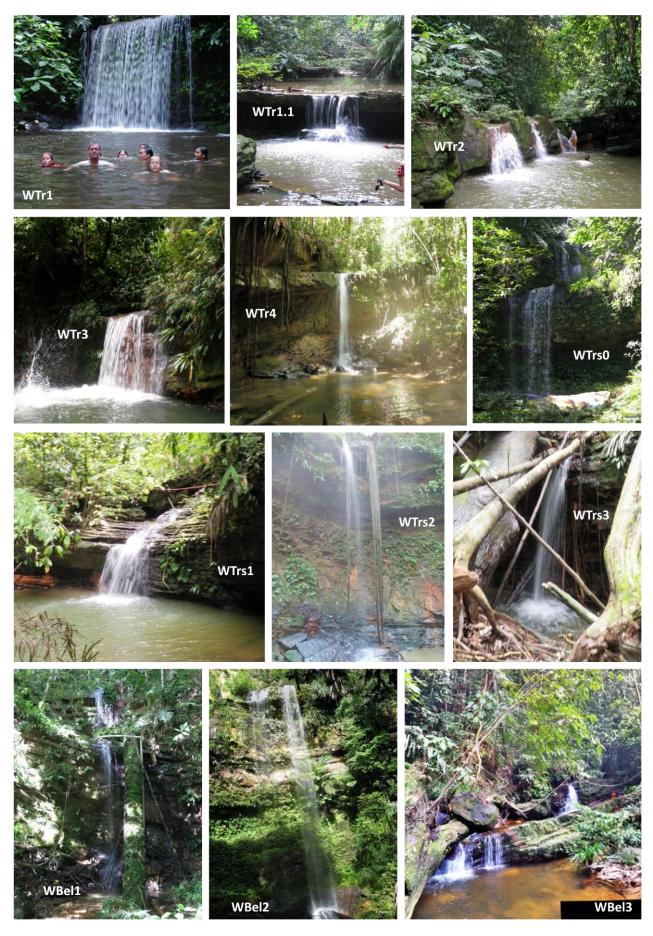
Appendix 1. Map, Waterfall composites, Tables, Reports



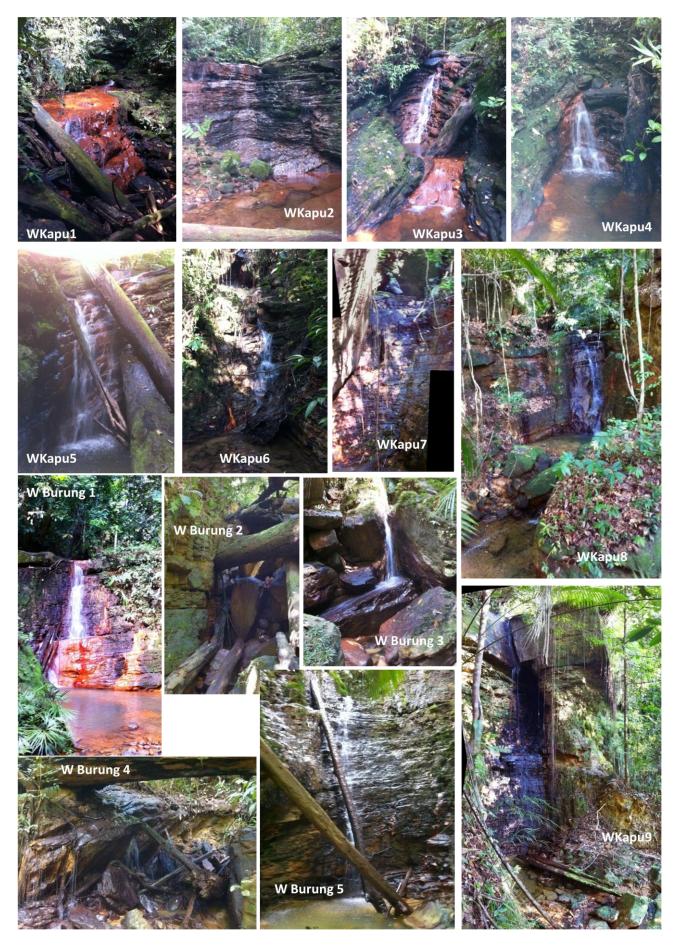
**Map 1. Waterfalls and** potential trekking system in Teraja area. There are many waterfalls (Waypoints with W=Wasai) and hiking treks (**Brown** = unmarked path, **Orange** = more difficult hike or animal trail, **Red**=hard trek, **Blue** = river scramble). Warning: There are many difficult sections. Conditions change continuously. Orientation is difficult in forest. Only for the experienced rainforest hiker. Use at own responsibility. Prepared and walked by Peter Engbers, Jaqueline Henrot, and friends in the period 2007-2011.



Talingan - Rampayoh – Mendaram; The 14 Northern Waterfalls out of a total of 40



Teraja – Belulok; The 12 Southern Waterfalls out of a total of 40



Kapu – Burong (Western slope of Bukit Teraja); The 14 Central Waterfalls out of a total of 40

**Table 1**. **Frog species recorded from Bukit Teraja Forests**. Conservation status follows the Global Amphibian Assessment (2007) listings of IUCN red list categories (LC = Least Concern, NT = Near Threatened, VU = Vulnerable). New records for Brunei Darussalam are shown in bold.

Family	Species	Common name	Conservation status
Duforcido o	Phrynoidis aspera	River Toad	LC
Bufonidae (True Toads)	Phrynoidis juxtaspera	Giant River Toad	LC
(Thue Toaus)	Ingerophrynus divergens	Crested Toad	LC
	Ansonia albomaculata	White-lipped Slender Toad	NT
Megophryidae	Leptobrachium abbotti	Lowland Litter Frog	LC
(Litter Frogs)	Leptolalax gracilis	Sarawak Slender Litter Frog	NT
	Chaperina fusca	Saffron-bellied Frog	LC
Microbylideo	Metaphrynella sundana	Tree Hole Frog	LC
Microhylidae (Narrow-mouthed	Microhyla perparva	Least Narrow-mouthed Frog	NT
Frogs)	Microhyla petrigena	Pothole Narrow-mouthed Frog	NT
11053/	Microhyla borneensis	Borneo Narrow-mouthed Frog	LC
	Kaloula baleata	Brown Bullfrog	LC
Ceratobatrachidae (no vernacular name)	Ingerana baluensis	Inger's Dwarf Frog	LC
	Limnonectes kuhlii	Kuhl's Creek Frog	LC
	Limnonectes leporinus	Giant River Frog	LC
	Limnonectes laticeps	Rivulet Frog	LC
	Limnonectes malesianus	Peat Swamp Frog	NT
Dicroglossidae	Fejervarya limnocharis	Grass Frog	LC
(True Frogs I)	Limnonectes ingeri	Greater Swamp Frog	NT
	Limnonectes ibanorum	Rough-backed River Frog	NT
	Occidozyga baluensis	Seep Frog	NT
	Occidozyga laevis	Pubble Frog	LC
	Hylarana signata	Striped Stream Frog	LC
	Hylarana megalonesa	Large White-lipped Frog	LC
	Hylarana glandulosa	Rough-sided Frog	LC
Ranidae	Hylarana baramica	Brown Marsh Frog	LC
(True Frogs II)	Hylarana nicobariensis	Cricket Frog	LC
	Hylarana erythraea	Green Paddy Frog	LC
	Staurois guttatus	Black-spotted Rock Frog	LC
	Staurois latopalmatus	Rock Skipper	LC
	Philautus tectus	Bush Frog	VU
	Polypedates macrotis	Dark-eared Tree Frog	LC
Rhacophoridae	Rhacophorus appendiculatus	Frilled Tree Frog	LC
(Afro-Asian Tree	Rhacophorus dulitensis	Jade Tree Frog	NT
Frogs)	, Rhacophorus nigroplamatus	Wallace's Flying Frog	LC
	Rhacophorus pardalis	Harlequin Flying Frog	LC
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Table 2.	Reptiles	of Teraja.
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Family	Species	Common name	Bornean endemic
SNAKE			
Crotalidae (Pit viper)	Trimeresurus borneensis	Bornean Flatnose Pit Viper	х
	Boiga dendrophila	Mangrove Catsnake	х
	Dryocalamus tristrigatus	Three-banded Bridled Snake	Х
Colubridae	Pseudorabdionalbonuchalis	White-Collared Reed Snake	V
	<i>Calamaria</i> sp.	Reed Snake	unknowr
	Xenochrophis trianguligerus	Red-sided Keelback Snake	Х
	Xenochrophis maculatus	Spotted Keelback Snake	Х
Elapidae	Bungarus fasciatus	Banded Krait	Х
Liupiduc	Calliophis intestinalis	Malayan Striped Coral Snake	χ
LIZARD, GECKO & SKINK			
Agamidae	Gonocephalus grandis	Great Angle-headed Lizard	
Gekkonidae	Cyrtodactylus consobrinus	Giant Bent-toed Gecko	Х
Gerkonidae	Cyrtodactylus pubisulcus	Grooved Bent-toed Gecko	V
Scincidae	Tropidophorus brookei	Brooke's Water Skink	V
Varanidae	Varanus salvator	Water Monitor	Х
TURTLE			
Trionychidae	Amyda cartilaginea	Malayan Softshell Turtle	х
	Cyclemys dentata	Asian Leaf Turtle	х
Geoemydidae	Cuora amboinensis	Malayan Box Turtle	х
	Heosemys spinosa	Spiny Turtle	х

# Table 3. Taxonomic List of the Butterflies of the Labi-Teraja Area

### Family: Papilionidae – Swallowtails and Jays.

*Trogonoptera brookiana brookiana* – Rajah Brooke's Birdwing

Troides miranda miranda- Miranda Birdwing Atrophaneura neptunus doris - Yellow Clubtail Atrophaneura nox noctis – Malayan Batwing Pachliopta aristolochiae asteris- Common Rose Chilasa paradoxa telesicies- Great Blue Mime Papilio demolion demolion – Banded Swallowtail Papilio helenus enganius – Red Helen Papilio nephelus albolineatus - Black & White Helen Papilio helenus enganius- Red Helen Papilio iswara - Great Helen Papilio fuscus daycus- The Fuscous Swallowtail Papilio memnon memnon - Great Mormon Papilio acheron- Bornean Mormon Papilio karna carnatus- Jungle Jade Papilio palinurus – The Banded Peacock Pachliopta aristolochiae asteris – The Common Rose Graphium agamemnon agamemnon – Tailed Jay Graphium sarpedon luctatius – Common Bluebottle Graphium doson evemonides – Common Jay Graphium empedovana Graphium bathycles bathycloides – The Striped Bluebottle Graphium ramaceus ramaceus – Pendlebury's Zebra Pathysa antiphates itamputi- Fivebar Swordtail Paranticopsis delessertii delessertii- The Malayan Zebra Paranticopsis ramaceus ramaceus Meandrusa payeni bruni- Yellow Gorgon Lamproptera curius – The White Dragontail

### Family: Pieridae – White, Sulphurs and Yellows

### Subfamily: Pierinae

Leptosia nina malayana- The Psyche Prioneris cornelia Cepora iudith hespera- Orange Gull Appias nero chelidon- Orange Albatross Appias paulina Athena- Common/White Albatross Appias cardena cardena – Malay Puffin Appias indra aemila- Plain Puffin Appias nero chelidon – Orange Albatross Appias paulina athena - The Common Albatross Saletara liberia distant- Malaysian Albatross Hebomoia glaucippe borneensis- The Great Orange Tip Pareronia valeria lutescens – The Wanderer Prioneris philonome vollenhovi Saletara panda Malaysian Albatross

### Subfamily: Coliadinae

Dercas gobrias – Notched Yellow Catopsilia pomona pomona – The Lemon Emigrant Catopsilia pyranthe evangelina – The Mottled Emigrant Eurema hecabe latilimbata – Common Grass Yellow Eurema ada ada Eurema sari sodalist- The Chocolate Grass Yellow Eurema taliha gradiens Eurema alitha - Scalloped Grass Yellow Eurema andersonii andersonii- One-spot Grass Yellow Eurema nicevillei nicevillei

### Subfamily: Limenitidinae

Moduza procris agnata - The Commander Neptis hylas sopatra – The Common Sailer Neptis duryodana duryodana Neptis nata nata - Clear Sailor Neptis leucoporos cresina - Grey Sailor Neptis harita mingia - Chocolate Sailor Neptis clinia - The Clear Sailer Neptis nata nata - The Clear Sailer Neptis omeroda omeroda Neptis magadha plautia – The Spotted Sailer Pantoporia hordonia dora- Common Lascar Pantoporia paraka paraka - Perak Lascar Pantoporia aurelia aurelia- The Baby Lascar Lasippa heliodore dorelia - Burmese Lascar Lasippa tiga - Burmese Lascar Athyma kanwa kanwa - Dot-dash Sergeant Athyma nefte matthioia - Colour Sergeant Athyma larymna elisa - The Great Sergeant Pandita sinope sinope - Orange Band Lebadea martha paduka – The Knight Parthenos sylvia borneensis - The Clipper Tanaecia aruna pardalis Tanaecia munda munda Tanaecia clathrata caerulescens Tanaecia iapis ambalika - Horsfields-Baron Tanaecia godartii vacillaria Tanaecia orphne Tanaecia pelea vikrama Euthalia monina bipunctata - Malay Baron Euthalia canescens Euthalia evelina Dophia (Euthalia) evelina eopmta - The Redspot Duke

### Subfamily: Cyrestinae

Cyrestis nivea nivalis- Straight Line Mapwing Chersonesia rahria rahria - Wavy Maple Chersonesia intermedia intermedia - Intermediate Maplet Dichorragia nesimachus derdas – The Constable

### Subfamily: Apaturinae

*Eulaceura osteria jembala* - The Purple Duke *Euripus nycetelius pfeiffarae* – The Courtesan

### Subfamily: Charaxinae

Polyura hebe ganymedes - Plain Nawab Charaxes solon echo- The Black Rajah Charaxes distanti thespius Charaxes borneensis borneensis Charaxes bernardus pseudofervens- The Tawny Rajah Polyura athamas uraeus - Common Nawab Polyura moori saida – The Malayan Nawab Agatasa calydonia mahasthama - The Glorious Begum

### Family: Riodinidae - Silvermarks

Zemeros emesoides eso Paralaxita telesia telesia - the Red Harlequin Paralaxita orphna orphana - The Banded Red Harlequin

#### *Eurema lacteola -* Scarce Grass Yellow *Gandaca harina elis-* The Tree Yellow

### Family: Nymphalidae – Brushfoot Butterflies

### Subfamily: Danainae

Parantica agleoides terilus- The Dark Glassy Tiger Parantica aspasia shelford - The Yellow Glassy Tiger Ideopsis (Radena) vulgaris interposita - Blue Glassy Tiger Ideopsis gaura daos- The Smaller Wood Nymph Idea stolli virgo - Common Tree-nymph Euploea sylvester tyrianthira- The Double-branded Crow Euploea camaralzeman scudderi- Malayan Crow Euploea algea zonata- Long branded Blue Crow Euploea eyndhovii stryx- Striped Black Crow Euploea crameri crameri – Spotted Black Crow Euploea diocletianus (radamanthus) lowii – Magpie Crow Euploea midamus clorinde - Blue Spotted Crow Euploea modesta lorzae Euploea mulciber porita - Striped Blue Crow Euploea sylvester tyrianthia - Double-branded Crow / Two-brand Crow

### Subfamily: Satyrinae

Elymnias panthera labuana - Tawny Palmfly *Elymnias hypermnestra nigrescens*- Common Palmfly Elymnias nesaea hypereides - Tiger Palmfly Elymnias panthera labuana – The Tawny Palmfly Elymnias penanga konga - Pointed Palmfly Lethe delila Neorina lowii lowii - Malayan Owl Mycalesis marginata - The Common Bush Brown Mycalesis patiana - Malayan Bush Brown [VHH] Mycalesis anapita Mycalesis maianeas Mycalesis mnasicles Mycalesis oresis borneensis- Purple Bush Brown Mycalesis fusca adustata - Malayan Bush Brown Mycalesis mineus macromalayana - Dark Brand Bush Brown **Mycalesis** intermedia intermedia-Intermediate Bushbrown Erites argentina argentina Coelites euptychioides euptychioides Ragadia makuta umbrata - Striped Ringlet Ypthima pandocus Sertorius - Common Three-Ring Ypthima fasciata – Small Ring  $^{[VHH]}$ Xanthotaenia busiris burra- The Yellow-barred/ The **Uncertain Satyr** 

### Subfamily: Morphinae

Amathusia schoenbergi Thaumantis odana panwila - Godart's Jungle Glory Thaumantis klugius – The Dark Blue Jungle Glory Thaumantis noureddin chatra – Dark Jungle Glory Discophora necho cheops Faunis kirata – The Dark Faun Faunis stompax

*Subfamily: Biblidinae* Ariadne ariadne ariadne - Angled Castor

Subfamily: Heliconiinae

#### Laxita teneta

### Family: Lycaenidae – Gossamer-wings

### Subfamily: Poritiinae

Simiskina pheretia mama Simiskina pharyge pharyge

### Subfamily:Miletinae

Liphyra brassolis abbreviate - The Moth Butterfly Miletus gopara eustatius Spalgis epius epius - The Apefly Allotinus apires Allotinus horsfieldi nessus – Horfield's Darkie Allotinus leogoron normani Logania malayica malayica - Malayan Mottle Logania regina regina Logania massalia drucei - Pale Mottle

### Subfamily: Curetinae

Curetis tagalica jopa Curetis regula

### Subfamily: Polyommatinae

Discolampa ethion icenus - Banded Blue Pierrot Caleta elna elvira - Elbowed Pierrot Neopithecops zalmora pertimidus - The Quaker Megisba malaya sikkima - The Malayan Jamides celeno luwasa - The Common Cerulean Jamdes cunilda cunilda Jamides talinaa Jamides caeruleus caerlueus - Sky Blue Jamides elpis virgulatus - Glistening Caerulean Jamides limes Jamides alecto ageladas - The Metallic Cerulean Nacaduba kurava nemana - The Transparent Six-line Blue Nacaduba berenice akaba - The Rounded Six-line Blue Prosotas dubiosa lampura - The Tailless Lineblue Catopyrops ancyra almora - Ancyra Blue Anthene emolus goberus - The Ciliate Blue Arhopala pseudocentaurus cervidius - Centaur Oak Blue Arhopala kinabala Arhopala lurida - Lesser Disc Oakblue Arhopala dajagaka Arhopala denta Arhopala elopura elopura Arhopala aurea Flos anniella anniella – The Darky Plushblue Iraota distanti nilelia - Distant's Silverstreak Amblypodia narada sylvia Spindasis syama frigidus - Club Silverline Drina cowani Drina maneia Loxura cassiopeia amatica - The Larger Yamfly Cheritra freja ochracea – Common Imperial Ritra aurea aurea - Orange Imperial Drupadia theda umara - Dark Posy Drupadia cinesia Horaga syrinx maenala - The Yellow Onyx Dacalana vidura azyada - The Double Tufted Royal Britomartis cleoboides igarashii Manto hypoleuca martina - Green Imperial Hypolycaena merguia skapane Bindahara phocides phocas - The Plane

<i>Vagrans egista creaghana –</i> The Vagrant	Rapala varuna saha - The Indigo Flash
<i>Vindula dejone dajakorum –</i> The Cruiser	Araotes lapithis uraweila - The Witch
Cirrochroa emalea ravana - The Malay Yeoman	
Cirrochroa malaya calypso	Family: Hesperiidae - Skippers
Cirrochroa satellita illergeta- Satellite Yeoman	
Cirrochroaorissa orissides - The Banded Yeoman	Subfamily: Pyrginae
Cethosia hypsea hypsea - Malay Lacewing	<i>Tagiades japetus balana</i> – The Common Snow Flat
Phalanta alcippe alcippe –The Small Leopard Terinos clarissa nympha Terinos terpander terpander – Royal Assyrian	<i>Subfamily: Hesperiinae</i> <i>Pithauria marsena</i> - Banded Straw Ace <i>lambrix stellifer</i> – The Starry Bob
Subfamily: Nymphalinae Hypolimnas bolina bolina- Blue Moon Butterfly/ Common Eggfly Hypolimnas anomola olada - Malayan Eggfly Bassorana dunya mahara – String of Pearls Bassarona teuta – The Banded Marquis Lexias canescens canescens - Yellow Archduke Lexias pardalis dirteana- The Archduke /Common Archduke	Koruthaialos rubecula rubecula Ancistroides nigrita mura - Chocolate Demon Notocrypta paralysos varians - Common Banded Demon Notocrypta curvifascia - Restricted Demon Quedara monteithi Isma protoclea iapis Taractrocera ziclea Potanthus omaha maesina - Lesser Dart Potanthus confucius yojona - Chinese Dart / Confucian Dart

Notes:

The taxonomy used above follows that of Corbet and Pendlebury, 1978 with the exception that the Nymphalidae classification has been updated to follow currently accepted arrangements.

### Table 4. Plant taxa from Teraja + Rampayoh + Mendaram

## Data from: 'A Checklist of The Flowering Plants and Gymnosperms of Brunei Darussalam'. 1996. Coode MJE, Dransfield J, Forman LL, Kirkup DW, Idris m Said

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Acanthaceae	Ptyssiglottis frutescens	Burseraceae	Dacryodes rugosa	Ebenaceae	Diospyros borneensis	
			Santiria apiculata var.	5		
Actinidiaceae	Saurauia bruneiensis	Burseraceae	apiculata Gratinia and Via	Ebenaceae	Diospyros cf. bantamensis	
Actinidiaceae	Saurauia sp. indet.	Burseraceae	Santiria mollis	Ebenaceae	Diospyros elliptifolia	
Alangiaceae	Alangium griffithii	Burseraceae	Santiria tomentosa	Ebenaceae	Diospyros euphlebia	
Anacardiaceae Anacardiaceae	Buchanania arborescens	Burseraceae Buxbaumiaceae	Triomma malaccensis	Ebenaceae	Diospyros mindanaensis	
Anacardiaceae	Campnosperma squamatum Parishia maingayi	Callicostaceae	Diphyscium sp. Hookeriopsis sp.	Ebenaceae Ebenaceae	Diospyros pilosanthera Diospyros pseudomalabarica	
Anacardiaceae	Parishia sp. nov.	Calymperaceae	Calymperes sp.	Elaeocarpaceae	Elaeocarpus clementis var. clemensiae	
Anacardiaceae	Pentaspadon motleyi	Calymperaceae	Mitthyridium sp.	Elaeocarpaceae	Elaeocarpus cupreus	
Anisophylleaceae	Anisophyllea corneri	Calymperaceae	Syrrhopodon sp.	Elaeocarpaceae	Elaeocarpus ferrugineus ssp. ferrugineus	
Anisophylleaceae	Anisophyllea disticha	Cecropiaceae	Poikilospermum cordifolium Poikilospermum	Elaeocarpaceae	Elaeocarpus floribundus	
Annonaceae	Cyathocalyx magnificus	Cecropiaceae	oblongifolium	Elaeocarpaceae	Elaeocarpus hochreutineri	
Annonaceae	Dasymaschalon clusiflorum	Cecropiaceae	Poikilospermum tangaum	Elaeocarpaceae	Elaeocarpus mastersii	
Annonaceae	Desmos dumosus	Celastraceae	Bhesa paniculata	Elaeocarpaceae	Elaeocarpus mutabilis	
Annonaceae	Disepalum anomalum	Celastraceae	Lophopetalum beccarianum	Elaeocarpaceae	Elaeocarpus nitidus	
Annonaceae	Enicosanthum paradoxum	Celastraceae	Salacia sp. 2	Elaeocarpaceae	Elaeocarpus pachyophrys	
Annonaceae	Goniothalamus malayanus	Chloranthaceae	Chloranthus erectus	Elaeocarpaceae	Elaeocarpus roslii ssp. terajanus	
Annonaceae	Goniothalamus sp. 2	Chrysobalanaceae	Parinari metallica	Elaeocarpaceae	Elaeocarpus stipularis	
Annonaceae	Goniothalamus sp. 3	Chrysobalanaceae	Parinari oblongifolia	Elaeocarpaceae	Elaeocarpus submonoceras ssp. lasionyx	
Annonaceae	Goniothalamus umbrosus	Combretaceae	Combretum creaghii	Elaeocarpaceae	Elaeocarpus truncatus	
Annonaceae	Goniothalamus velutinus	Combretaceae	Combretum sundaicum	Elaeocarpaceae	Sloanea javanica	
Annonaceae	Mezzettia sp.	Combretaceae	Combretum tetralophum	Erythroxylaceae	Erythroxylum sp. indet.	
Annonaceae	Monocarpia sp. nov.	Combretaceae	Terminalia foetidissima	Escalloniaceae	Polyosma sp. 4	
Annonaceae	Phaeanthus crassipetalus	Commelinaceae	Amischotolype griffithii	Euphorbiaceae	Antidesma aff. venenosum	
Annonaceae	Polyalthia cauliflora Polyalthia cauliflora var.	Commelinaceae	Amischotolype marginata	Euphorbiaceae	Antidesma brachybotrys	
Annonaceae	beccarii Dolualthia flagollaria	Commelinaceae	Amischotolype mollissima	EUPHORBIACEAE	Antidesma cf. neurocarpum	
Annonaceae	Polyalthia flagellaris Polyalthia hookeriana	Commelinaceae Connaraceae	Amischotolype sphagnorhiza	Euphorbiaceae	Antidesma leucopodum var. leucopodum	
Annonaceae	Polyalthia insignis	Cornaceae	Cnestis palala Mastixia trichotoma var. maingayi	Euphorbiaceae Euphorbiaceae	Antidesma leucopodum var. platyphyllum Antidesma montanum	
Annonaceae	Polyalthia sp. 1	Costaceae	Costus paradoxus	Euphorbiaceae	Antidesma neurocarpum	
Annonaceae	Polyalthia sp. 2	Costaceae	Costus speciosus	EUPHORBIACEAE	Antidesma stipulare	
Annonaceae	Polyalthia sumatrana	Cyperaceae	Cyperus iria	Euphorbiaceae	Antidesma venenosum	
Annonaceae	Polyalthia tenuipes	Cyperaceae	Fimbristylis globulosa	Euphorbiaceae	Aporusa benthamiana	
Annonaceae	Popowia pisocarpa	Cyperaceae	Fimbristylis littoralis	Euphorbiaceae	Aporusa elmeri	
Annonaceae	Uvaria ovalifolia	Cyperaceae	Fimbristylis pauciflora	Euphorbiaceae	Aporusa frutescens	
Annonaceae	Xylopia malayana	Cyperaceae	Fimbristylis schoenoides	Euphorbiaceae	Aporusa grandistipula	
Annonaceae	Xylopia sp. indet.	Cyperaceae	Gahnia javanica	Euphorbiaceae	Aporusa lucida	
Apocynaceae	Chilocarpus beccarianus	Cyperaceae	Mapania cuspidata	Euphorbiaceae	Baccaurea javanica	
Apocynaceae	Chilocarpus obtusifolius	Cyperaceae	Mapania hispida	Euphorbiaceae	Baccaurea membranacea	
Apocynaceae	Leuconotis eugeniifolius	Cyperaceae	Mapania longiflora	Euphorbiaceae	Baccaurea pyriformis	
Apocynaceae	Tabernaemontana macrocarpa		Cyperaceae	Mapania monostachya	Euphorbiaceae	Baccaurea racemosa
Apocynaceae	Willughbeia coriacea	Cyperaceae	Mapania palustris var. palustris	Euphorbiaceae	Baccaurea sp. indet.	
Aquifoliaceae	Ilex sp. 5	Cyperaceae	Mapania sp. indet.	Euphorbiaceae	Blumeodendron sp. indet.	
Araceae	Aglaonema nitidum	Cyperaceae	Paramapania radians	Euphorbiaceae	Blumeodendron tokbrai var. borneense	
Araceae	Aglaonema simplex	Cyperaceae	Pycreus pumilus	Euphorbiaceae	Bridelia glauca	
Araceae	Alocasia sp. D	Cyperaceae	Scleria motleyi	Euphorbiaceae	Claoxylon longifolium	
Araceae	Amydrium medium	Cyperaceae	Scleria purpurascens	Euphorbiaceae	Cleistanthus bakonensis	
Araceae	Anadendrum cordatum	Cyperaceae	Scleria sp. indet.	Euphorbiaceae	Cleistanthus coriaceus	
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Dendrobium sp. indet. Eria megalopha

Neuwiedia veratrifolia Oberonia anceps Plocoglottis acuminata

Podochilus tenuis Dapania racemosa Areca insignis var. insignis Calamus sp. nov. 1 Daemonorops microstachys Daemonorops periacantha Eugeissona mino Licuala bidentata Licuala sp. indet. Oncosperma horridum Pinanga lepidota Salacca vermicularis Galearia fulva Pandanus borneensis

Pandanus discostiama Pentaphraama acuminatum

Pentaphragma spatulisepalum Pentaphragma viride

Piper muricatum ? "Bl. var." Piper sp. indet. Piper vestitum Epirhizanthes elongata Epirhizanthes sp. indet. Polygala venenosa Xanthophyllum adenotus Xanthophyllum ellipticum Xanthophyllum ferrugineum Xanthophyllum flavescens Xanthophyllum reticulatum Xanthophyllum sp. indet.

Heliciopsis artocarpoides

Alphitonia excelsa Ziziphus borneensis Pellacalyx symphiodiscus Prunus sp. indet.

Acranthera involucrata

Acranthera sp. 2

Macaranga sp. indet.

Icacinaceae

Gomphandra cumingiana

Myristica smythiesii

Myristicaceae

Rubiaceae

Acranthera sp. indet.

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Eurya sp. indet.

Gordonia sp. indet.

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Rubiaceae

Aidia sp. nov. Argostemma hameliifolium Argostemma sp. 5 Canthium confertum Canthium horridum Chassalia chartacea Chassalia sp. indet Diplospora sp. indet. Gaertnera vaginans ssp. junghuhniana s.l Geophila pilosa Gynopachis jambosoides Hedyotis capitellata Hedyotis congesta Ixora brachvantha Ixora caudata Ixora pyrantha Ixora sp. indet. Rubiaceae Lasianthus borneensis Lasianthus chryseus

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### **Full Reports**

### **Butterflies by V. Hitchings**

Two data sources have been used to compile a list of butterflies for the Teraja- Labi area, field visits and a review of historical data. The information was compiled to generate the list of the butterflies presented here.

**The field visit** was made on 18<sup>th</sup> April 2010 from 09.30 to 16.00. The area examined was chiefly around the Teraja Longhouse and the adjacent forest along the river and the paddy fields.

**Historical Records** provide a wealth of data on the butterflies of the Teraja-Labi area and provide data from more field hours than could otherwise be undertaken in a short space of time. In 1986 R.R. Herd prepared a volume entitled 'A Photographic Reference List to Bruneian Butterflies'. This volume compiled a photographic record of set specimens from the butterfly collections of R.R. Herd, Gys Boot, Rodger Fullbrook, Mickle Schreurs, Richard Stewart and Alan Stubbs. Nine of the locations in the volume are encompassed by the current area of interest or are sufficiently close to be significant. The locations are as follows:

- 1. Labi Road Belait River, 60m, all the collecting that I have done here was along the dirt road. The surrounding vegetation is secondary forest and scrub.
- 2. Kampong Ubok Ubok, 60m
- 3. Milestone R.10 (Sungai Rampayoh milestone), 100m, an area of primary forest bordering a logging track
- 4. Labi Ridge, 200m, Primary lowland forest.
- 5. Labi, 60m, A cultivated area amongst secondary forest and scrub
- 6. Labi Rv. Rampayoh, 60m, there is a path here that leads to 'the waterfall' both lowland primary and secondary forest is located here.
- 7. Labi Rv. Menderam, 60m, there is a path here leading to two waterfalls. Both lowland primary and secondary forest is located here. Past Labi on Roadside, 60m. Once the Labi Road crosses Sungai Rampayoh it becomes a dirt road, bordered by scrub and secondary forest. Behind this vegetation lies swamp forest to the west and lowland primary forest to the east.
- 8. End of Labi Road and Sungai Teraja, 120m, lowland primary forest.
- 9. Bukit Teraja, 442m, lowland primary forest.

The species list that includes the locations above includes a list of 170 butterflies in the area. Under the Darwin Initiative a collaborative project was undertaken between the Universities of York and Leeds, in the U.K., the natural History Museum in London, the Institute for Tropical Biology and Conservation Universiti Malaysia Sabah and the Forest Research Centre Sabah Forestry Department. The aim was to develop predictive tools for targeting Conservation Efforts in Bornean Forest Reserves. As part of the initiative a database, dubbed D2B2, was created with distribution information for butterflies on Borneo (i.e. Malaysia (States of Sabah and Sarawak), Indonesia (Kalimantan) and Brunei Darussalam). Data contained within the database were extracted from information on the labels of museum specimens. Data were collected in 2006-07 from a total of 10 museums in Malaysia, Brunei, UK, and the Netherlands. Additional information was also obtained from 12 published Journal papers, two field reports and two University PhD theses. It should be noted that these data cover three butterfly families, the Papilionidae, Pieridae and Nymphalidae). Three locations occur within the Labi-Teraja area:

- 1. Rampayoh mixed dipterocarp forest
- 2. Labi Road [adjacent to Rampayoh]
- 3. Bukit Teruja

The list of butterflies from these locations has been extracted from the database (table 3). Field work by the author added several species to the list from historical records and these are marked <sup>[VHH]</sup>. In total 233 species have been recorded from the study area.





*Pathysa antiphates itamputi* – Fivebar Swordtail,Longhouse, Teraja

*Graphium sarpedon luctatius* Bluebottle & *Graphium doson evemonides* – Common Jay, Teraja, Paddy field



Allotinus horsfieldi nessus - Horsfield's Darkie, Teraja



Cirrochroa emalea ravana-The Malay Yeoman, Teraja

### Conclusions

- ✓ A total of 233 butterfly species have been recorded from the study area. It should, however, be noted that this list is not exhaustive and without doubt more species are to be found and recorded.
- ✓ The most significant butterflies on the current list are *Trogonoptera brookiana brookiana* Rajah Brooke's Birdwing and *Troides miranda Miranda* The Miranda Birdwing. These are both protected species according to the CITES treaty.
- ✓ Butterflies are known to be environmentally sensitive organisms, hence their use in the Conservation of Bornean Forest Reserves project. The list of species in this study provides a baseline for any future butterfly studies for Labi-Teraja.

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### Teraja Fish survey 17-18 April 2010 recorded by Novi Yus

Team led by Etienne. Participants: Nick, Novi, Amelie, Rainette

### Program:

Wasai Teraja 17 April. Stop at 4 different fishing areas Time: 13.00 pm finish at 15:00 pm; cloudy and some times rain.

Wasai Beludok 18 April. Stop at 3 different fishing areas. Time 9:00 am finish at 11:00 am

### Equipment:

Small net held by 2 long poles, 1 m wide; wide throw net, 2,5m long and 5m wide, with long rope at the end of the net; 2 small round nets, each 30 cm wide, 40 cm high; 2 buckets

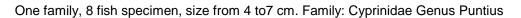
### Ecology and Habitat:

### Wasai Teraja

Wasai Teraja is fed by several streams with waterfalls from the drainage area up to the watershed between Teraja Protection forest and Brunei national border. The forest beside the river was rich in vines and undergrowth, Plant debris litters the forest floor and many big log have fallen across the river. The canopy is thick and continuous, the soil damp and sandy in most places. Stream was clear but in some places slightly muddy from soil erosion.

We started to walk from Teraja Longhouse follow the foothpath to the forest, first stop in the wide river near the landslip that exposed a rocky slope. Then continue to sandy area where the path crosses the sg not far from the first stop. The third stop was at the first Teraja waterfall which is quite far from the first and second sample area's. The fourth stop is imediately upstream from the waterfall, which required a short climb.

1. First stop, after the secondary forest mix with bamboo forest. Soil and rock erosion is prevalent. Several treefalls both on the land and in th river result result is stagnant water ponds, that form a safe hiding place for the fish. We used a large throw net and caught many fishes from 1 family. 3 times netting with the same result we decided to move on.



2. Second stop, resembled a sandy beach area, with sandy soil at the flat open area and muddy fine clay on the sides and bottom river, here the forest had opened up. The river runs clear, 30cm to 1 meter deep and 2-4 m wide river. Low current were some places along the river are calm and near stagnant. We used both the throw net and fish net here. The halfbeak fishes were caught easily by small net, after observing its movement from above. The bigger fish from Cyprinidae family were caught in deeper water using the throw net.

Two different familis, have 3 different species and more than 10 specimens. Fishes range from 5 cm to 17 cm. Family: Hemiramphidae and Cyprinidae

3. Third stop, at the Teraja waterfall. The bottom stream is silt, with rounded sandstone pebbles and smooth porous friable sandstone rocks covered with algae. The water is slightly muddy. Wide open area and on bothe sides the waterfall has thick forest canopy. We used the bottom net; (a long net weighed down with stones, resting on the bottom of the river). Leave it for an hour and collect it later. Also use throw net and netting. We didn't find any fish here. In front of the deep pool, the river passes a shallow rocky, stoney area were water become clear and in some places had strong current especially at narrow stream where the turbid water moves around big rocks. The water vegetation with wide spread branches and small leaves, has strong spread roots rooting in the rocky soil under the water. Etienne throw net several times at several places on this area. But we didn't catch any fish here.

Note: when swimming in the waterfall several times previously, we saw small fishes and shrimp in the water nearby us and felt the pinch from their bites, the absence of the fish on the research day probably due to a flash



flood caused by the heavy rain the night before on 16 April 2010.

4. Fourth stop upstream above the waterfall. Here few cascading small waterfalls and calm stream. The bottom of the stream is smooth sandstone, slippery from algae. As the stream near to the end of waterfall the movement of the water is quite fast as a result is no detritus found in the bottom, only in a few places were it caught by roots. Observed from above it has small prawn and small fishes which we can't identify and could not catch as they were very agile. We uses throw net and catch school of young fish.

Family: Channidae, more than 20 specimens some we released back to the water.

### **Beludok Waterfall**

Is a more than 30m meter high rocky waterfall with debris of logs, branches, stones and big rocks at the bottom, no distinct pool, the stream is not wide with shallow water about 20 cm to 60 cm deep. Surrounded by large rocks and thick forest. We start from the waterfall as the first sample location, then the small stream nearby. The third stop is nearby the waterfall as well but at wider stream.

1. First stop is on the Beludok Waterfall area, the area is littered with many logs and rocks, and the stream water is shallow, clear and appears calm. The bottom of the stream is rocky, subrounded gravel, at some part under the big rocks area is sandy soil about 20cm to 40 cm deep, were small shrimps and small fish find a hiding area. We observed the fish from above and caught using the small net.

One Family: Cyprinidae 1 specimen; 4 cm long and we released the specimen back to the water after taken a photograph. Later we can't determind the genus of this small specimen, should keep the specimen for further identification. The other fish is Genus: Rasbora

2. Second stop not far from the waterfall, has a lot of logs, branches and debris. The bottom is rocky, stone as well gravel and falling trees

1 family: Cyprinidae, 1 speciment and we released back to the water after photograph.

3. Third stop is on the stagnant water like a pond, the canopy is open up with many palm and rattan trees. The water is calm; the bottom of the stream is muddy, clay soil with debris from florest floor, many fallen leaves and dead branches. This area is rich with small fishes as many detritus at the bottom of the stream. It is a deep stream with many hiding places for the fishes making it very dificult to catch, try several times with throw net but the net was caught by spiny vegetation and dead branches beside the narrow river. We should use different method and equipment in the future. Caught 1 juvenile, possible halfbeak fishes and released back after the photograph. Didn't determine the family of this fish as it is dificult to identify the juvenile fish's size less than 1 cm.

### **Appendix 2. Preparation and HSE**

### PNHS Teraja survey weekend April 17-18 2010 preparation notes

### Meeting point: Teraja longhouse at 10.30 on Saturday

#### Program for the weekend April 17,18 (times are indicative/flexible):

On the weekend April 17,18, we plan a short program discussion at the Teraja longhouse, an initial screening of the area, and we will start the survey. The survey can be continued in follow-up weekends as appropriate per survey topic.

10.30 Arrive at longhouse; Discussion of objectives, program, area and organization of survey

12.00 Lunch at longhouse

13.30 Easy walk to waterfalls and start of survey by participants

17.30 End of main program and option to return home

For those who stay overnight:

Dinner Possibility of night walk

Next day: Continue initial survey.

#### Organisational responsabilities

Overall coordination Longhouse liaison Scientific program coordination HSE coordinator Journey Management & Welcome Food managers Peter Engbers & Jacqueline Henrot & Hans Dols Hans Dols & Novi Yus Jacqueline Henrot David Mendes Silene Engbers Folkert Hindricks, Tom Crampin

### Expected outputs of the survey:

- 1. Annotated checklists of biota, highlighting the biodiversity of the site, the species of conservation concern and the common species (likely to be spotted by tourists. Photographs and short description (aspect and habitat) of selected species.
- 2. Annotated trail maps of the Teraja area, with length, hardship, habitats, highlights etc.
- 3. Teraja biodiversity photo album, checklists and selected trail maps (printer friendly) downloadable maps from the PNHS website.

#### Goals of the survey:

The survey should result in an appraisal of its flora, fauna, folklore, as well as an evaluation of its eco-tourism potential, in specific:

- raise the profile of the area to promote its conservation,
- gather scientific evidence of its value for conservation,
- provide an overview of the ecotourism potential of the area
- involve the local community in the conservation effort and the ecotourism development

By explicitly describing its value in terms of biodiversity and potential for ecotourism, we hope to have leverage material to lobby for its conservation/protection.

### Significance of the Teraja area:

- It is a piece of fairly undisturbed forest that is quite accessible and eco-touristically interesting
- It is used by local people who still hold the traditional knowledge & legends
- New plant taxa have been described from the area and researchers value the site.
- It holds various habitats: swamp, ridge, waterfalls, rivers therefore a diverse flora and fauna.
- It is under threat by developments as highlighted in PNHS report to the HoB council

### Participation for weekend April 17,18 (status as per April 10)

		Fi	rst Weeke	nd	Further work	
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Name	Торіс	17-Apr	18-Apr	longhouse	Period	High Sens GPS
Vic Hitchings	Butterflies	N	Y	Ν		?
Joseph Koh	Spiders	Ν	Ν	Ν	later	?
Etienne Loubens	Freshwater fishes	Y	Y	Y		?
Ulmar Grafe	Frogs	Y	Ν	Ν	Early April	?
Sandra Goutte	Frogs	Y	Ν	Ν	Full Month April	Y
Hanyrol Hanyzan	Frogs	?	?	?	Full Month April	?
Hans Dols	Reptiles, Trail mapping, Geo	Y	Y	Y		Y
Axel Geisslinger	Mammals	Y	Y	Y		?
Tom Crampin	Birds	Y	Y	Y		?
Folkert Hendricks	Birds	Y	Y	Y		?
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David Edwards	Ferns	N	N	N	later	?
Hajah Kamariah Abu Salim	Angiosperms	N	N	N	later	?
Joffre	Angiosperms	N	N	N	later	?
Arifin	Angiosperms	N	N	N	later	?
Mohamed Abdul Majid	Bryophytes (mosses & liverwo		N	N	later	?
Kushan Tennakoon	Parasitic Plants, Land use	N	N	N	later	?
Jacqueline Henrot	Plants	Y	Y	Y		?
Nick Hoggmascall	Fishes	Y	Y	?		?
Novi Yus	Forest use /Local folklore	Y	Y	Y		?
Jackie Maskall	Forest use /Local folklore	Y	Y	?		?
Peter Engbers	Trail mapping, Field assistant	Y	Y	Y	Need follow up for long trails	Y
Douwe de Vries	Trail mapping, Field assistant	Y	Y	Y	Need follow up for long trails	Y
David Mendes	Trail mapping, Field assistant	Y	Y	Y	Need follow up for long trails	Y
Iwan de Lugt	Trail mapping, Field assistant	Y	Y	Y	Need follow up for long trails	?
Silene Engbers	Journey Management	Y	Y	Y		
Rainette Engbers	Field assistant	Y	Y	Y		
Intan Dols	Field assistant	Y	Y	Y		
Coenraad Dols	Field assistant	Y	Y	Y		
Aru Dols	Field assistant	Y	Y	Y		
		20	19	16		

### Team composition for April 17/18

<u>Teams</u>	Team suggestion	n April 17-18	Trail mapping (HS GPS)		
<u>In field</u>	Team composition		Mapping + Track		
Butterflies + Plants	Vic Hitchings	Jacqueline Henrot	David Mendes	Jackie Maskall	
Freshwater fishes	Etienne Loubens	Novi Yus	Nick Hoggmascall		
Frogs	Ulmar Grafe	Hanyrol Hanyzan	Sandra Goutte		
Mammals + Reptiles	Axel Geisslinger	Iwan de Lugt	Hans Dols	Peter Engbers	
Birds	Tom Crampin	Folkert Hindricks	Douwe de Vries		
Dedicated Trail mapping Team 1	Peter Engbers	David Mendes	Iwan de Lugt		
Dedicated Trail mapping Team 2	Hans Dols	Douwe de Vries	Axel Geisslinger		
<u>At longhouse</u>					
Geology & history	Nick Hoggmascall	Hans Dols			
Forest use (food, medicine, crafts)	Novi Yus	Jackie Maskall			
Local folklore /legends	Novi Yus	Jackie Maskall			

#### Role of the PNHS:

- liaise with the Teraja longhouse (which would host the survey and will be paid for their help)
- contribute as field assistants
- compile & if necessary edit the survey reports
- publish the survey results on its website
- map the trail systems

### <u>Cost</u>

Participants are expected to volunteer their time, expertise, survey equipment, and make own transport arrangements (car pooling!?). The PNHS will cover the cost of food & accommodation & services as provided by the longhouse (for weekend Apil 17-18)

### **Organisation**

All participants are responsible for own transport to longhouse. Suggest to car pool. We can make arrangements on pre-meeting.

All people should take their own survey material and tour/safety provisions. All teams should take first aid equipment, safety provisions, some food, and water.

The night at longhouse is on the public front area floor. Please take your own mattress and sleeping needs. There is no shower. Washing can be in the river.

PNHS will together with longhouse take care of lunches, breakfast, and dinner.

### Suggested Items to bring:

- 1. Global Positioning System (GPS)
- 2. Personal First Aid Kit
- 3. Whistle and Pocket knife
- 4. Insect repellent
- 5. Flashlight (spare bulb and extra batteries) or Head lamps, strong night lamp
- 6. Camera (extra batteries), binoculars
- 7. Leech Socks and extra socks
- 8. Hat and Rain Coat
- 9. (Long) Sleeved T-Shirts, (Long) Pants for during trekking, Swim wear, and towel
- 10. Extra clothes
- 11. Slippers, Trekker Boots
- 12. Spare Plastic Bags (to store camera in case of rain and to pack clothing)
- 13. Drinking Water
- 14. Garbage Bags , Water tight proof bags
- 15. Backpack
- 16. Mattress and sheet bag (blanket/sleeping bag for cold blooded)
- 17. Personal Toiletries (tooth brush, paste, body soap, shampoo, toilet paper and etc.)
- 18. Personal Items (plastic food container i.e. plate, fork, spoon and cup?)
- 19. High energy snacks (+lunch box?)
- 20. Survey equipment

#### Suggested shopping list (1 dinner, 1 breakfast, 2 lunches) for food management team

- Water
- Coffee/Tea/Sugar/Milk
- Juice
- Drinks
- Bread
- Jam
- Peanut butter
- Carrots
- Apples
- Snacks and energy bars
- 1 Evening meal (together with longhouse food??)
- Toilet Paper

### Trails recommended for survey and trails to explore

Trails recommended for survey (see maps). These are recorded and available for download to GPS:

- Teraja waterfalls
- Bkt Teraja from road and from Teraja waterfalls
- Mendaram waterfalls
- Rampayoh waterfalls
- Telingan waterfalls

Trails to explore and record:

- Beludok waterfall from longhouse
- Further continue along Teraja river past waterfalls towards border
- Confirm trail from Teraja waterfalls upto ridge on way to Bkt Teraja
- Old Teraja-Marudi log walk (tracks into peat swamp)
- Tracks through rice paddies opposite longhouse
- Bkt Teraja- Rampayoh waterfalls (full day)
- Mendaram- Rampayoh waterfalls
- Record new Bkt Teraja forestry road
- Any entrances from East (Belait ridge logging road)?
- Any other?

Trail info to prepare:

- GPS track
- Category
- Length and time
- Points of interest (viewpoint, waterfall, etc)
- Habitat and natural history points of interest
- Special points (warnings, risks, highlights)

### **Participants & Topics**

Vic Hitchings	butterflies	Peter Engbers	trail mapping, ecotourism
Etienne Loubens	fishes	Douwe de Vries	photography
Ulmar Grafe	frogs	David Mendes	HSE, photography
Sandra Goutte	frogs	Iwan de Lugt	photography
Hanyrol Ahmadsah	frogs	Alex Cobb	
Joseph Koh	spiders		
Hans Dols	reptiles, trails	<u>Support</u>	
Axel Geisslinger	fishes, mammals	Silene Engbers	
Tom Crampin	birds	Rainette Engbers	
Folkert Hindricks	birds	Amelie Loubens	
Jacqueline Henrot	plants	Intan Dols	
Nick Hoggmascall	fishes	Coenraad Dols	
Novi Yus	forest use, fishes	Aru Dols	
Jackie Maskall	Insects, forest use		

Best regards,

For PNHS,

Peter Engbers, Jacqueline Henrot, Hans Dols,

### HSE Plan prepared by David Mendes

### **Emergency contact directory:**

Gov. Ambulance emergency -991 – coordinated by KB hospital – nearest ambulanceBSP emergency337-2999 or 3229999Panaga Medical emergency337 2200 – can coordinate a medical emergencyGovernment BOMBA-Search and rescue coordination center (army)998Switchboard2423901 / 2459500

### Other contacts:

SG Liang Clinic	32304287 /438									
24 hours ambulance; D	24 hours ambulance; Doctor –office hours									
Labi Clinic (Thursday s	only)	3233210 /216								
Panaga Duty Doctor		337 3779								
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### What to do in case of emergency @ location? Personal injury.

- Raise alert to base camp if possible
- Make area safe and ensure your own safety before intervening
- carry any injured person to safety
- Take your position on GPS and try to establish contact with base camp via sms / radio providing details of emergency and GPS coordinates
- Assess situation and best course of action (head back / wait for help)
- Communicate your decision to base camp and plan.
- You may have to look for signal in high areas or call for help in no communication possible care should be taken not to get lost.
- Any victim should be accompanied by another person at all times
- Stretcher available at base camp
- Bomba and search and rescue team can be activated in serious case

### What to do in case of emergency @ base camp

- Obtain details of injury and exact coordinates (confirm by repeating back)
- Assess situation and call for ambulance / bomba if required.
- Obtain information from medical team if needed on what to do.
- Call all teams to base camp to head count and support any rescue.
- Ultimately Search and rescue team can be activated.

### What to do not to get lost:

- Ensure that you have registered at the base camp and provided details of you plans and expected time back
- Always stick to the group (min 3 pax) and do not wander on your own.
- Monitor compass to have a feel for your bearing
- Return to base in case of GPS failure
- Watch for other members of the team and do not allow them to split from group.
- Carry extra supplies of energy food and extra water and or purifying tablets

### What to do in case you get lost

#### STOP > Sit, Think, Observe and Plan.

- Stay Calm and Stay Where You Are. If nobody is in danger, then don't move. Wandering in the forest only befuddles those searching for you.
- Take note of your position. Try to establish contact with base camp and provide your position or last known position / area.
- **Prepare Your Own Signals.** Be aware of rescuers trying to signal and make contact with torchlights, whistles, tree drumbeats or shouts.
- Take an Inventory of Supplies. Water, food, dry clothes and material for shelters are all essential items.
- **Conserve Body Heat and Energy.** Do not risk getting cold or wet to allow hypothermia to creep up; wear multiple layers and stay under shelter.
- Move Away From Hazards. Don't risk your safety being exposed to strong winds, rain or lightning, move nearby and leave a sign trail tag or rock marker at your last stop.
- At Dark, Get Rest. Don't travel at night and light a fire if possible; switch-off on guard duty to watch for rescue signals.

How to deal with:

Snake Bite:

#### Signs of Snake Bites

If you have to walk in high water, you may feel a bite, but not know that you were bitten by a snake. You may think it is another kind of bite or scratch. Pay attention to the following snake bite signs.

Depending on the type of snake, the signs and symptoms may include:

- A pair of puncture marks at the wound
- Redness and swelling around the bite
- Severe pain at the site of the bite
- Nausea and vomiting
- Labored breathing (in extreme cases, breathing may stop altogether)
- Disturbed vision
- Increased salivation and sweating
- Numbness or tingling around your face and/or limbs

### What To DO if You or Someone Else is Bitten by a Snake

- Remain calm. Two out of 3 victims are injected with very little or no venom. In the latter case, no specific treatment is required. Venomous snakes use their venom to kill their prey. If molested, they bite in defence, and usually do not inject their venom.
- Identify the snake if it is safe to do so. This is very important if the doctors are to give the right antidote. Injecting the wrong type of antivenin is not only useless, but may also endanger the victim's life.
- Apply first aid if you cannot get the person to the hospital right away.
  - Lay or sit the person down with the bite below the level of the heart.
  - Tell him/her to stay calm and still.
  - Cover the bite with a clean, dry dressing.
- DO NOT attempt to cut or suck the wound. Apply a simple bandage and keep the bitten area lower than the level of the heart if possible. Go to the hospital, do not await the development of symptoms. If you are the victim and all alone, then walk slowly. Do not run for help.
- The correct antivenin is the only treatment of proven value. Panaga Health Centre stocks antivenin of all commonly encountered snakes in Brunei, and doctors are capable of treating snakebites and cases of adverse serum reaction and shock.
- Prompt medical treatment, reassurance and bed-rest are the keys to a full recovery.

### Insect bites and stings (severe reactions):

- 1. Bites on mouth or throat / multiple bites return to base.
- 2. Check the person's airways and breathing. If necessary, call emergency and begin rescue breathing and <u>CPR</u>.
- 3. Reassure the person. Try to keep him or her calm.
- 4. Remove nearby rings and constricting items because the affected area may swell.

### General steps for most bites and stings:

- 1. Remove the stinger if still present by scraping the back of a credit card or other straight-edged object across the stinger. Do not use tweezers -- these may squeeze the venom sac and increase the amount of venom released.
- 2. Wash the site thoroughly with soap and water.
- 3. Place ice (wrapped in a washcloth) on the site of the sting for 10 minutes and then off for 10 minutes. Repeat this process.
- 4. If necessary, take an antihistamine, or apply creams that reduce itching.
- 5. Over the next several days, watch for signs of infection (such as increasing redness, swelling, or pain).

### **Risk assessment matrix**

Ref.	Guide word / Hazard	Threats / consequences	Controls	Recovery	Team Review	Actions
1.	Communications	<ol> <li>Unable to call for help timely in case of an emergency</li> <li>Rescue team unable to locate party to be rescued</li> <li>Unable to contact emergency line / hospital</li> </ol>	Teams of 3 Radio with sufficient battery GPS (2 for long journey) Mobile phone SMS including base camp Mark trail with paper? Long trails/		Is SMS a realistic communication means? How are we gng to communicate for the longer trails? No radios ok, but in case victim cannot move one party needs to obtain rescue or attempt to establish contact via SMS/phone and provide coordinates. Other party to stay with victim Whistle included as part of the equipment list.	<ol> <li>Borrow radios? – check TSW</li> <li>Provide mobile phone number <ul> <li>@ the base to all participants</li> <li>All participants to carry and provide their mobile phone number.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Establish protocol for GPS coordinates</li> <li>Briefing: Ask personnel if they can obtain coordinates from the GPS – right format         <ul> <li>Brief all on protocol for GPS coordinates.</li> <li>List of emergency contacts at base camp         </li> </ul> </li> <li>Base camp has a phone? Number?</li> <li>Prepare emergency contacts list - david</li> <li>Emergency contacts list to be available at the base camp         </li> <li>Carry toilet paper to mark trail</li> </ol>
2.	Evacuation	<ol> <li>Unsure on what to do in case of an emergency /@ location/ @ base camp</li> <li>Unable to carry casualty to safety / ambulance</li> <li>Ambulance taking too long to arrive at teraja</li> <li>Unable to establish the best / shortest method to recover casualty</li> </ol>	Guideline " What to do in case of emergency" Briefing at the start of the survey Portable Stretcher available Establish best means of evacuation depending on condition of casualty Identify nearest ambulance (Telisai bomba?) Journey plan for long expedition and possible evacuation points	Stretcher at the base camp 1 First aid kit First aiders(if possible) Teams of minimum 3 people Pre-defined itinerary to allow for quick rescue GPS protocol via SMS Radios Emergency numbers at base camp; team members numbers at base camp Organise rescue party but without adding any risks Ultimately Contact Bomba / Army	Nearest medical clinin is at Mukim Labi 3233210 next nearest is at Bukit Sawat 3239673 http://www.information.gov.bn/brun eidiary_content/hospital_clinic/hosp ital.html	<ol> <li>Prepare guideline What to do in case of emergency" to be given to all participants</li> <li>Collect portable stretcher from panaga clinic (emergency section)</li> <li>Carry out briefing at the start of the survey to include all participants on what to do in case of an emergency</li> <li>Call Mukim Labi clinic to verify contact and resources available at the labi clinic (doctor + ambulance?)</li> <li>Prepare journey / evacuation points prior to journey (long trails)</li> </ol>
3.	Overall management of teams	<ol> <li>Confusion on where people are, what they are doing and what time they are returning /</li> <li>false emergency/ failing to identify an emergency</li> </ol>	Registration point (POB) for anyone going into/out of the forest. Team composition, sign in sheet with Time in/location/ expected time out Central Board to reflect location of different teams " Planned itinerary" sheets			<ol> <li>Prepare registration sheets</li> <li>Brief personnel on sign-in/out rules</li> <li>Carry and install board at base camp</li> <li>Prepare "planned itinerary" Template sheets to be placed at the base camp.</li> <li>Brief key personnel on emergency communications -</li> </ol>

1.	Personnel getting distracted and lost Failure of GPS/ not knowing how to use it	1. 2. 3.	Unable to find way back Diverting too far from the planned itinerary Extended period in jungle	Getting lost guidelines Use paper to mark itinerary Carry compass			1. 2. 3. 4.	Prepare guidelines if lost Brief all on Guidelines if lost. Brief – recommended to carry extra energy food / water/ purifying tablets Add compass + purifying tablets to list of equipment
2.	Environmental Hazards							
	;swelling water at the rivers /					No issue?		
	Rocky / slippery trails around river, waterfall plateau	4.	Ankle injuries / fractured limbs / head injury	Team of Experienced trekkers Shoes with good grip No haste in any instance Care for less experienced members	Refer to Evacuation		5. 6. 7. 8.	Each team to carry first aid kit – will try to borrow from TSW 6 sets Each team to have a first aider (if possible) Identify first aiders among team members (any?) Prepare journey plan for long journeys
	slippery slopes; water fall plateau and ridge	5.	Fall and injury; inability to rescue / recover person		Rope at base camp? Evacuation	Maybe an issue on ridge and waterfall plateau areas	9. 10.	Brief of personnel to take care on waterfall plateau and ridge; look out for one another; shout for any hazards Purchase rope? To be available at base camp?

	poisonous plants and animals;.	1.	Health hazard / skin/ eye reactions	Relocate to lower areas Stay		Possible due to nature of work	Brief all: not to touch if not sure; communicate to others accidental contact / reaction Go to base camp if any reaction develops Contact medical team     Z. Mention in briefing / briefing
	igina ing canoo,			away from major trees until storm passes			notes
	bee and wasp stings; snake, spider, centipede	3.	Anaphylactic shock; blocked airways (bites in mouth or throat); Death	Snake bites or multiple bites; bite in mouth or throat – evacuate immediately to base camp – remain calm avoid exertion Take anti-histaminic if needed (insects) Sigle bite – observe follow guidelines	Retreat to base camp / evacuate / contact medical support on what to do	Low risk but possible	<ol> <li>Brief personnel on mouth and throat bites, multiple bites and snake bites</li> <li>Prepare guideline on snake / insect bites.</li> <li>Provide anti-histaminic for base camp (David Mendes)</li> </ol>
	and leech bites;					No issue	
	rattan thorns;	5.	Eye injury; Infection	No Haste Warn others of hazards	Tweezers / FA kit Remove any thorns ASAP to prevent infection		<ol> <li>Tweezers available at base camp / personal kit</li> </ol>
	overexposure to wind, rain or sun;					Not an issue	
	cold and wetness;			Wind break/poncho/ spare dry shirt		May be an issue under rain or immobilized person due to injury	<ol> <li>Add light poncho to list of equipment dry shirt for long trails</li> </ol>
	tainted or no water			Carry extra water and water purifying tablets			<ol> <li>Carry water purifying tablets (long trails)</li> </ol>
1.	Equipment Hazards						
	improper jungle clothes					May be an issue for long trails with dense vegetation	<ol> <li>Ensure adequate clothing for long trails</li> </ol>
	; faulty torchlights; ill- fitting backpacks;						<ol> <li>Carry spare batteries / bulb + ,more than one flashlight per team</li> </ol>
	missing equipment parts; GPS ; Compass						<ol> <li>Prior to departure use equipment list as a Checklist of equipment and check working condition</li> </ol>
	poor footwear;	6.	Common that old footwear's sole detaches				12. Note to check old footwear sole condition (long trails)
	too heavy gear;						<ol> <li>Advise to travel light (long trails)</li> </ol>
	lacking food and water supplies						<ol> <li>Briefing notes - List recommended energy food to bring</li> <li>Advise to take extra energy food just in case.</li> </ol>
2.	Human				ł		
	jungle experience;					Any participants with no jungle	16. Add question to indemnity form