

### **Tenure Rights in Fisheries: Questions for group discussion**

1. Awareness for fishers and fish worker about their rights, ways to realise them and to represent their interests in relevant decision-making processes is key to secure access to fishing grounds and resources. Identify capacity gaps/ challenges for fisher and fish workers organizations to claim their rights to fishing grounds and access to fisheries resources. What alliances do we need to build / strengthen to support national and regional advocacy
2. What measures/tools (social, economic, environmental and political) that exist in community that can be employed to push back policies/ regulations that deny rights to fishing grounds and access to fisheries resources
3. What type of tenure rights, individual, community level exist in your community? How have they contributed to secure access fishing ground and fisheries resources? How has the liberal policies contributed to strengthen application of traditional/ indigenous peoples rights? What is the contribution of Tenure Guidelines, SSF Guidelines in be instrumental in restoring tenure? What are the blocks for such instruments
4. What are the gendered impacts of restricted access to fishing grounds and fisheries resources to livelihoods, sustainability of fisheries resources. What measures/ policies that exist that can contribute to gender equity in access to fishing ground and fisheries resources