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The executive board directors of LAM together with the members attended on the last meeting concluded that :

1. LAM members and the industry will continue using the common surf breaks , untill the industry receives an official response to any of the emails / letters sent to the Ministry of Tourism regarding the issues which may arise. (While we have received a mail from Ministry's beauro stating that Minister will attend , which confirms receipt of our communications).
2. The meetings with LAM secretariat and SIWEK together with the Defense Minister during June 2013 concluded as there won't be any hesitation for the Liveboards to surf with proper communications. Which was detailed on media, as the minister gave a word to the media after the meeting.
3. LAM or the industry have not been advised / informed formally by any government body or any law enforcement authority that the long practice of using the surf breaks by Liveboards will have to be discontinued upto now.
4. A committee was appointed from the members attended, including the legal counsellor of LAM to discuss further and to propose the government about the revised regulation of resort boundary (on January 2012) which the Liveboard industry might face issues in using the dive sites and surf breaks as some very popular breaks as some of these sites falls direct in to the boundaries of some resorts.