



OceanLitter Programme



Preventing and reducing marine plastic litter from sea-based sources

PROJECT	GLOLITTER PARTNERSHIPS PROJECT
GEOGRAPHIC FOCUS	30 countries across Asia, Caribbean, Latin America, Pacific and Africa.
TOTAL BUDGET	\$5.7 million USD
DONOR	Norway, in partnership with Australia and the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia.
PROJECT DURATION	2020 - 2025

PROJECT	REGLITTER PROJECT
GEOGRAPHIC FOCUS	India, Indonesia, the Philippines, Sri Lanka, Timor Leste, Thailand and Viet Nam.
TOTAL BUDGET	KRW 7.5 billion (\$5.5 million USD)
DONOR	The Republic of Korea
PROJECT DURATION	2023 – 2027

PROJECT	PRO-SEAS PROJECT
GEOGRAPHIC FOCUS	Global, with a specific focus on large marine ecosystems in Costa Rica, Kenya, Jamaica and Vanuatu.
TOTAL BUDGET	\$7.1 million USD
DONOR	Global Environment Facility (GEF)
PROJECT DURATION	2025 – 2029

THE ISSUE

It is estimated that about 20% of total marine plastics comes from sea-based sources such as fisheries, shipping, recreation, oil and gas industry, and others. Plastic litter has devastating effects on our oceans, marine life and human health. Reducing and preventing marine plastic litter is vital to safeguard the sustainability of our oceans.

OUR SOLUTION

Projects under the OceanLitter Programme provide technical assistance to developing countries to prevent and reduce marine litter from sea-based sources, specifically from the shipping and fisheries sectors. The Programme's partnerships are three-tiered involving global, regional and national level partners; representing government, industry and non-governmental organizations.

IMPACT

- ✓ Partner countries are leading the change on national, regional, and global levels and enforcing international conventions and regulations on marine plastic litter.
- ✓ Marine plastic litter originating from the shipping and fisheries sectors is reduced.
- ✓ Increased knowledge on effective management and prevention of sea-based marine plastic litter among key stakeholder groups.
- ✓ Private sector is committed to supporting marine plastic litter related initiatives.

