

## **ABSTRACT**

### **ROLE OF MARINE AND FISHERIES DEPARTMENT OF PROVINCIAL LAMPUNG IN COASTAL MARINE ECOSYSTEM CONSERVATION**

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According to Article 1 paragraph (2) of Law Number 32 Year 2009 on the Protection and Management of the Environment stated that environmental protection and management is a systematic and integrated efforts are being made to preserve the function of the environment and prevent pollution and / or environmental damage. The environmental management, including the management of coastal marine environment or ecosystem. The state of coastal marine ecosystems in Indonesia, especially in the province of Lampung memperhatikan enough, so that the necessary conservation activities. Marine and Fisheries Agency. Lampung Governor Regulation No. 11 of 2007, the Department of Marine and Fisheries Lampung province plays a role in the preservation of coastal marine ecosystems. Based on this, researchers interested in conducting research on this subject, with the following issues: a) What is the role of Marine and Fisheries Agency Lampung Province in the conservation of coastal marine ecosystems? b) Is the limiting factor Marine and Fisheries Agency Lampung Province in the conservation of coastal marine ecosystems? c) Does the Department of Marine and Fisheries Effort Lampung Province in the conservation of coastal marine ecosystems?

Approach the problem in the study conducted by the normative approach and empirical approaches. Normative approach is intended as an attempt to hold discussions with the dotted refuse to legislation and regulations. Empirical approach carried out by conducting observations of the realities in the field in the framework of applicable regulations, particularly regarding the implementation of the role of Marine and Fisheries Agency Lampung Province in the conservation of coastal marine ecosystems.

The results can be seen that the Department of Marine and Fisheries Lampung Province in conserving coastal marine ecosystems has a role, namely the cultivation of marine and coastal ecosystem rehabilitation, monitoring and control of marine and coastal ecosystems use planning and management of coastal marine resources. Marine and Fisheries Agency Lampung Province as local agency having authority in the preservation of coastal marine ecosystems has embarked on various efforts to conserve coastal ecosystems in the sea, the increased knowledge and insight of coastal communities, community development skills, empowering people to participate in the monitoring of ecosystem , coordinate with other relevant agencies and the development of conservation areas. Factors inhibiting the implementation of ecosystem conservation in the province of Lampung are people who are less aware of the importance of marine ecosystems pesisir and weak government oversight of the marine coastal zone management.

As for the suggestions of researchers, the Department of Marine and Fisheries should Lampung province in carrying out its role in the preservation of the marine and coastal ecosystems carried out with careful planning and involves the participation of coastal communities, so the preservation of coastal and marine ecosystems can walk up and effective. Efforts should be made by the Department of Marine and Fisheries Lampung Province in the preservation of coastal and marine ecosystems in a continuous. We recommend that the Department of Marine and Fisheries striving Lampung more cooperation with other agencies and NGOs in providing education and counseling on the importance of protecting the environment to the coastal communities.