

Draft Programme

Informal consultations on financing sustainable forest management

12-13 March 2009

Malaysia room (Room B-227), Building B, Second floor, FAO Headquarters
Viale delle Terme di Caracalla, 00100 Rome, Italy

Thursday, 12 March 2009

10:00 am -1:00 pm	Opening Adoption of working procedure Session I. Presentations on forest finance <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Outcome of the Ad Hoc Expert Group to Develop Proposals for the Development of a Voluntary Global Financial Mechanism/Portfolio Approach/Forest Financing Framework▪ Summary of inputs received on proposals for financing sustainable forest management▪ Report of the Secretary-General on Finance and other means of implementation for sustainable forest management▪ Financing flows and needs▪ Other relevant developments▪ Discussion
1:00 – 3:00 pm	Lunch Break
3:00 - 6:00 pm	Session II. Discussion on forest finance based on Report of the Secretary-General on Finance and other means of implementation for sustainable forest management <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Needs▪ Building blocks▪ Solutions▪ Issues that were not discussed, if any

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10:00 am -1:00 pm	Discussion from Session II continues as required Session III. Discussion on specific groups of countries and issues <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Small island developing States▪ Low forest cover countries▪ High forest cover low deforestation countries▪ Other
1:00 – 3:00 pm	Lunch Break
3:00 - 6:00 pm	Session III. Continued (1.5 hours) ----- (possible 30 minute break) ----- Session IV: Wrap up <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Presentation of a summary highlighting key points of discussions▪ Way forward (discussion on how to present key points to UNFF8)▪ Closing

Documents

- Report of the Secretary-General on Finance and other means of implementation for sustainable forest management • [E/CN.18/2009/9](#)
- Chair's summary report of open-ended ad hoc expert group to Develop Proposals for the Development of a Voluntary Global Financial Mechanism/Portfolio Approach/Forest Financing Framework • [E/CN.18/2009/11](#)
- [Synthesis paper on inputs received on proposals for financing sustainable forest management](#)
- [Financing Flows and Needs to Implement the Non-Legally Binding Instrument On All Types of Forests](#): A study prepared for the Advisory Group on Finance of the Collaborative Partnership on Forests with the support of the Program on Forests (PROFOR) of the World Bank
- Background Analysis Paper on [Financing for the implementation of the Non-Legally Binding Instrument on Forests](#): A FAO contribution to the Advisory Group on Finance of the Collaborative Partnership on Forests