MONITORING AND ASSESSMENT

Regarding monitoring and assessment, it is important to bear in mind section VII of the UN Forest Instrument. Reporting should be voluntary and take into account the availability of resources. It is also desirable to strive to achieve further harmonization, synergy and simplification of reports already sent to various organizations Members of the Collaborative Partnership on Forests (CPF), in order to reduce the workload of States Parties, in particular developing countries.

RESOURCES AND MEANS OF IMPLEMENTATION

An issue of fundamental importance both for the Strategic Plan and for the Programme of Work is the clear indication of the means of implementation needed to achieve any possible goal or target, as well as the financial requirements for any action defined as a priority. A suggestion would be to include a column besides each target or action listing the correspondent source of resources and the required means of implementation.