



Joint Session of the ECE Timber Committee and the FAO European Forestry Commission

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Towards the 2013 Strategic Review of the integrated programme of work on forestry and timber (Agenda item 9 c)

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Outline

- Proposals
- Overview of approach, methodology and timeline
- PoW: Reviewed every 4/5 years
- Priorities up to 2017

- TC/EFC: Discuss and review plans
 - Provide additional ideas/suggestions

- Stronger participation of Member States

- More flexible arrangements and terms of office



Review content

Strategic Review: Broad assessment of 'Timber & Forestry subprogramme' including:

- Direction and objectives
- Mandates of TC & EFC + subsidiary bodies
- Structure & content of programme
- Resources
- Methods
- Partnerships
- Outputs

4th Review: Undertaken in 2012-13, to be approved by end of 2013 & cover period: 2014-17

PoW 2014-17 to be endorsed by joint EFC+TC Session in 2013



Methodology

- Review as **broad** as possible
- Review as **inclusive** as possible
- Survey with **open** questions
- Review process **open** and **transparent**
- Review should be **forward looking**
- Review should make use of **different means**








Means

- a. Survey
- b. Evaluation of the work of the Teams of Specialists
- c. Secretariat assessment of Work and outputs
- d. Informal meetings with stakeholders
- e. Meetings with TC&EFC members



Timeline







Phase I: Evaluation

- Oct 2011  TC + EFC: Review methodology and timeline approved
- Jan – Apr 2012  Questionnaire out and back
- Mar 2012  WPFES: ToS Evaluation (Additional day for review)
- May 2012  Secretariat Assessment
- July 2012  Docs:
 - Results of survey
 - Second assessment
 - First draft of PoW 2014-2014



Timeline

Phase II: Preparation of PoW 2014-17

- Oct 2012  1 day meeting back-to-back with the TC for draft PoW 2014-17
- March 2013  WPFES  Revised PoW 2014-17
- Jul 2013  Final draft of PoW 2014-17 issued
- Oct 2013  Joint Session of the TC and EFC to adopt PoW 2014-17
- Jan 2014  Implementation begins



Implementation

TC + EFC:

- Discuss proposal
- Provide suggestions
- Authorize implementation

