

Team of specialists (ToS) on the temperate and boreal forest resources assessment (TBFRA-2000)

Annex II

Provisional Agenda for the 5th meeting of the Team

Geneva, 22-24 March 1999
(starting Monday, 22 March, at 10.00 hrs)

1. Opening and arrangements for conducting the meeting
2. Developments since the 4th meeting of the Team (March 1998 - March 1999), Kit Prins - progress report on the implementation of the Global FRA 2000, Robert Davis (FAO)
3. The Main TBFRA-2000 Report: status by March 1999

Session I (Moderator: Albert Knieling)

Presentations:

- a) - General overview of the TBFRA-2000 outcome, Alex Korotkov;
- b) - Comparability, quality and reliability of the TBFRA-2000 data, as a pattern and test of the standardisation and harmonization of international statistics issue, Michael Köhl
- c) - Area of Forests and OWL: Situation and Changes (Chapter I), Tim Peck;
- d) - Ownership and Management Status of Forest and OWL (Chapter II), Tim Peck;

Session II (Moderator: Michael Köhl)

Presentations:

- e) - Wood Supply & Forest Growth/Drain Balance: Situation & Changes (Ch. IIIa), Erkki Tomppo;
- f) - Carbon sequestration; Carbon cycle/Biomass (Chapter IIIb), Pekka Kauppi & Jari Liski

Session III (Moderator: Erik Sollander)

Presentations:

- g) - Biological Diversity and Environmental Protection (Chapter IV), Nigel Dudley;
- h) - Forest Condition and Damage to Forest and OWL (Chapter V), John Innes;
- k) - Protective and socio-economic Functions (Chapter VI), Linda Langner

4. Conclusions and recommendations for the draft Main TBFRA-2000 Report and accompanying discussion (supplementary, satellite) papers
5. TBFRA-2000 electronic database as a product in itself (Peter Csoka)
6. Dissemination (presentation, publication) of the TBFRA-2000 data

7. Issues for the next temperate and boreal forest resources assessment
- future activities of the team of specialists, including the TBFRA-2010 preparations

Timetable:

Monday, 22 March 1999 a.m.: Items 1-3

p.m.: Item 3

Tuesday, 23 March 1999 a.m.: Items 3 (cont.)

p.m.: Items 3 (cont.+ break-out sessions)

Wednesday, 24 March 1999 a.m.: Item 4 and 5

p.m.: Items 6 and 7

Coffee breaks: 11.30 and 15.30

Lunches: 12.30 to 14.00