

**DRAFT WORK PROGRAMME - AFFORESTATION AND REFORESTATION WORKING GROUP
TWENTY-FIFTH MEETING**

UNFCCC Headquarters - Bonn, 21 - 23 September 2009

Monday, 21 September 2009

1. Welcome and organizational matters

2. Brief update from the Executive Board 47 and 49 meeting

3. Consideration of cases

- a. AR-NM0036: "Rubber outgrowing and carbon sequestration in Ghana (ROCS-Ghana)"
- b. AR-NM0037: "Afforestation/reforestation activities on degraded agricultural land subject to abandonment process"

4. Requests for revisions and clarifications

- a. Draft revision of AR-AM0002: "Restoration of degraded lands through afforestation/reforestation"
- b. Draft revision of AR-AM0004: "Reforestation or afforestation of land currently under agricultural use"
- c. Draft revision of AR-AM0005: "Afforestation and reforestation project activities implemented for industrial and/or commercial uses"
- d. Draft revision of AR-AM0006: "Afforestation/Reforestation with trees supported by shrubs on degraded land"
- e. Draft revision of AR-AM0010: "Afforestation and reforestation project activities implemented on unmanaged grassland in reserve/protected areas"
- f. Draft revision of the approved tool: "Estimation of GHG emissions from clearing, burning and decay of existing vegetation due to implementation of a CDM A/R project activity"
- g. Response to a request for clarification

5. Other matters related to methodologies (to be concluded during meeting)

- a. Consideration of the experts' report on the assessment of the implications of the possible inclusion of lands with forests in exhaustion as A/R CDM project with a view to provide an input on options for definition of forest in exhaustion
- b. Draft guidance on conditions under which GHG emissions from removal of existing vegetation due to site preparation are insignificant
- c. Revision of guidelines on conservative choice of default data for estimation of biomass stocks and change in woody vegetation
- d. Information on responses to questionnaire on no/low use of approved A/R methodologies

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6. In meeting working time

Wednesday, 23 September 2009

7. Finalization of consideration of cases

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10. Consideration and adoption of the Final Report

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