25th Session of the Committee on Forestry

Item 8.1 - DECISIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS OF FAO GOVERNING BODIES OF INTEREST TO THE COMMITTEE

Introductory Notes

This document provides a report of the decisions and recommendations of the FAO Bodies of interest to the Committee on Forestry.

It includes a report of the following Bodies and sessions:

1. FAO Conference: 41st session, held at FAO on 22-29 June 2019, whose outcomes are relevant in particular for agenda items 6, 7.1, 7.2, 8.2, 8.3, 9.1 and 9.2.

2. FAO Council:
   - 160th session, held at FAO in December 2018, whose outcomes are relevant in particular for agenda items 4.2, 5, 6, 7.1, 7.2, 8.2, 9.1, 9.3 and 9.5;
   - 161st session, held at FAO in April 2019, whose outcomes are relevant in particular for agenda item 8.3;
   - 163rd session, held at FAO in December 2019, whose outcomes are relevant in particular for agenda items 5, 9.1, 9.2, 9.3 and 9.5;
   - 164th session, held virtually in light of the global COVID-19 pandemic in July 2020, whose outcomes are relevant in particular for agenda items 4, 5, 6, 9.1 and 9.2.

3. Programme Committee:
   - 127th Session, held at FAO in November 2019, whose outcomes are relevant in particular for agenda item 5;
   - 128th Session, held virtually in June 2020, whose outcomes are relevant in particular for agenda items 4, 6, 7.1, 7.2 and 8.2.

4. Committee on Constitutional and Legal Matters: 108th Session, held at FAO in March 2019, whose outcomes are relevant in particular for agenda item 8.3.

5. Commission On Genetic Resources For Food And Agriculture: 17th Regular Session, held at FAO in February 2019, whose outcomes are relevant in particular for agenda items 5 and 8.3.

6. Regional Conferences:
   - FAO Regional Conference for Africa: 30th Session, held in Khartoum, the Sudan in February 2018;
   - FAO Regional Conference for Europe: 31st Session, held in May 2018 in Voronezh, Russian Federation;
   - FAO Regional Conference for Latin America and the Caribbean: 35th Session, held in Montego Bay, Jamaica, in March 2018;
   whose outcomes are relevant in particular for agenda items 5, 6 and 7.2.