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COMMITTEE ON FORESTRY

Twenty-sixth Session

3-7 October 2022

Statement of Competence and Voting Rights Submitted by the European Union (EU) and its Member States

- 1. **Opening of the Session**
- 2. Adoption of the Agenda

MS Competence – MS Vote

3. **Designation of the Drafting Committee**

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4. State of the World's Forests 2022: Forest pathways for green recovery and building inclusive, resilient and sustainable economies

Shared Competence – MS Vote

5. Forests and sustainable production of wood and non-wood forest products - meeting demands and supporting resilient local economies

Shared Competence - MS Vote

6. **Agriculture and forestry linkages**

Shared Competence – MS Vote

- 7. Forest solutions for combating climate change
 - 7.1 Action Plan for the implementation of the FAO Strategy on Climate Change: elements for comments and inputs

Shared Competence – MS Vote

7.2 Forests Fires and the Global Fire Platform

Shared Competence – MS Vote

- 8. **Progress in implementation**
 - 8.1 Decisions and Recommendations of FAO Bodies of Interest to the Committee *Shared Competence MS Vote*
 - 8.2 Progress report on the implementation of the FAO Strategy on Mainstreaming Biodiversity across Agricultural Sectors and its 2021-23 Action Plan Shared Competence MS Vote
 - 8.3 Global Forest Resources Assessment and Remote Sensing Survey 2021-2022 *Shared Competence MS Vote*

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8.4 Finance and investment in forest pathways *Shared Competence – MS Vote*

8.5 Restoration and the UN Decade on Ecosystem Restoration 2021-2030 *Shared Competence – MS Vote*

8.6 Dialogue with Statutory Bodies in Forestry *Shared Competence – MS Vote*

9. Other Matters

- 9.1 FAO's work in Forestry under the FAO Strategic Framework 2022-31 *Shared Competence MS Vote*
- 9.2 Outcomes of the XV World Forestry Congress *MS Competence MS Vote*
- 9.3 Multi-year Programme of Work of the Committee on Forestry for 2020-2023 *Shared Competence MS Vote*
- 9.4 Implementation of the UN Strategic Plan for Forests and strengthening FAO's contribution to the International Arrangements on Forests, including the Collaborative Partnership on Forests and the mid-term review in 2024 *Shared Competence MS Vote*
- 9.5 Development of regional action plans for the FAO Science and Innovation Strategy (2022-25)

 Shared Competence MS Vote

10 Election of officers

MS Competence – MS Vote

11 Date and place of the next Session

MS Competence – MS Vote

12 Adoption of the Report

Shared Competence – MS Vote

13 Closure of the Session

MS Competence – MS Vote