

Appendix B - Agenda

Monday, 27 July 2009

Plenary (All day)

08.30-09.30 Registration

09.00-10.00 Opening and Welcome

- *Moderator, Mr Ahmed Şenyaz, Head, Research and Development Department, Ministry of Environment and Forestry, Turkey*
- *Mr Faruk Şakir Özay, Director National Poplar Research Institute, Ministry of Environment and Forestry, Turkey*
- *Mr Mehmet Nakkaş, Assistant Director of Afforestation and Erosion Control, Turkish Ministry of Environment and Forestry*
- *Mr Osman Kahveci, Director General of Forestry, Ministry of Environment and Forestry, Turkey*
- *Mr Jim Carle, Chief, Forest Resources Development Service, FAO, Rome, Italy*

10.00-10.30 Nomination of the Chair

Approval of the Agenda

Introduction of Participants

The International Poplar Commission, FAO and Objectives of the Workshop

- *Mr Jim Carle, Chief, Forest Resources Development Service, Forestry Department, FAO, Rome, Italy*

Italy-FAO Poplar and Willow Project to Enhance the Contribution of Poplars and Willows towards Sustainable Livelihoods and Land-use in the Eastern Mediterranean and Central Asia

- *Mr Alberto Del Lungo, Forestry Officer, Technical Adviser, Project GCP/INT/059/ITA, Forest Resources Development Service, Forestry Department, FAO, Rome, Italy*

10.30-10.45 *Coffee break*

- 10.45-12.30
- Statement by Mr Ismet Karakas, Representative of Poplar Growers and by Mr Tayfun Şahin, Representative of Sawmill Owners (Şahin Company)
 - Country reports and discussion - Challenges and Opportunities in Poplar and Willow cultivation - *by country representatives*

12.30-13.30 *Lunch*

- 13.30-15.00
- Country reports and discussion - Challenges and Opportunities in Poplar and Willow cultivation - *by country representatives*

15.00-15.15 *Coffee break*

- 15.15-16.00
- Country Reports and discussion - Challenges and Opportunities in Poplar and Willow cultivation - *by country representatives*

- 16.00-17.30
- Synthesis of key messages and discussion – *by Jim Carle*

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08.30-09.00 *Plenary*

- Guidelines for Working Sessions
- Introduction to the Logical Framework Approach

09.00-10.00 • *Working Sessions:* Identification of project **priority needs** (Genetics, Silviculture, Cultivation systems [Agroforestry/Stand], End uses) taking into account participatory and pro-poor, people-oriented approaches to better serve sustainable livelihoods and land-use

10.00-10.15 *Coffee break*

10.45-12.30 • *Working Sessions:* Project **impact and outcomes** (Genetics, Silviculture, Cultivation systems [Agroforestry/Stand], End uses) taking into account participatory and pro-poor, people-oriented approaches to better serve sustainable livelihoods and land-use

12.30-13.30 *Lunch*

13.30-15.00 • *Working Sessions:* Project **outputs and actions** (Genetics, Silviculture, Cultivation systems [Agroforestry/Stand], End uses) taking into account participatory and pro-poor, people-oriented approaches to better serve sustainable livelihoods and land-use

15.00-15.15 *Coffee break*

15.15-16.30 • *Working Sessions:* Project **outputs, actions, key players, indicators and risks** (Genetics, Silviculture, Cultivation systems [Agroforestry/Stand], End uses) taking into account participatory and pro-poor people-oriented approaches to better serve sustainable livelihoods and land-use

16.30-17.30 • *Plenary:* Feedback of Working Sessions, preliminary results – by *Working Session Rapporteurs*

Wednesday, 29 July 2009

Field Trip to Akyazi District

08.30 *Departure*

- Windbreaks
- Agroforestry
- Nursery production
- End Use: pallets
- Management of intensive plantations

Throughout the field trip, discussion on the social, environmental and economic impacts that the agroforestry, plantation and nursery visits have had on farmers, communities, investors, processors and users and relevance for project proposal preparation.

19.00 *Back to Izmit*

Thursday, 30 July 2009

Field Trip to Iznik District

08.30 *Departure*

- End Use: Pilling for fruit baskets (presented by owner)
- Intensive forest plantations (presented by owners)
- Nursery production (Challenges and opportunities in poplar growing, market demand, clones (presented by poplar growers))

Throughout the field trip, discussion on the social, environmental and economic impacts that the agroforestry, plantation and nursery visits have had on farmers, communities, investors, processors and users and relevance for project proposal preparation.

- Sightseeing

20.00 *Back to Izmit*

Friday, 31 July 2009

08.30-09.00 *Plenary:* Debriefing after the field trip on relevant issues for finalization of project proposals, including technical, policy and institutional issues relating to provision of wood and non-wood products and social and environmental services.

09.00-10.00 *Working Sessions:* Revise Logical Framework of project proposals, including impacts, outcomes, outputs, activities, key actors, indicators and risks.

10.00-10.15 *Coffee break*

10.15-12.30 *Working Sessions:* Finalize project proposal presentations.

12.30-13.30 *Lunch*

13.30-16.00 *Plenary*

- Present and discuss project proposals
- Next steps - Commitment towards action
- Opportunities for funding
- IPC membership benefits

16.00-16.30 *Closing remarks*

- Ministry of Environment and Forestry
- PFGFTRI
- FAO

16.30 *Workshop Closure*

