



26TH SESSION OF THE FAO COMMITTEE OF FORESTRY AND THE 6TH WORLD FORESTRY WEEK

KENYA POSITION

Agenda Item No. 6: Agriculture and Forestry Linkages

Mr. Chairman,

Kenya supports the African position and welcomes the proposed integration of agriculture and forestry systems; to optimize land productivity, environmental stability, socioeconomic development and climate change resilience.

Kenya calls upon FAO through its actions and programmes, to support countries in promoting coherence in the implementation of agricultural and forestry policies; to reduce competition for land, increase agri-food productivity, promote biodiversity conservation and integrate land use planning.

Such programmes could include enhanced investments in climate-smart agriculture, agro-forestry, and forest landscape restoration that Kenya is implementing in collaboration with FAO and other partners through Forest Investment Facility (FIF), integrated land-

use planning and capacity, policy and financial incentives for participatory forest management among other.

I Thank You Chair and back to you