

# Forests, Rangeland and Climate Change in the Near East Region

20-22 September 2011

Cairo, Egypt

## Provisional Agenda

Tuesday 20 September 2011		Speaker	Chair
<b>Opening</b>			
8:30-09:00	Registration		
09:00-09:20	Welcoming remarks ○ RNE	FAO - ADG or DRR- GIZ	Mohamed Saket
09.20-09.40	Introduction of participants		
09.40-09.50	Workshop objectives, approach & expected outcomes	HQs	
09:50-10:30	Forests and Climate Change – a general introduction and discussion	HQs or Consultant	
10:30-11:00	<i>Coffee break</i>		
<b>Setting the scene – FO, R &amp; CC in NE</b>			
11:00-11:30	Key issues & developments in region and discussion	Consultant	Amr Rabie
11:30-13:00	Brief country presentations – gaps, weaknesses, challenges and priorities	Countries’ representatives	
13:00-14:30	<i>Lunch break</i>		
14:30- 15:30	Brief country presentations – gaps, weaknesses, challenges and priorities <i>cont’d</i>	Countries’ representatives	Syed Mahmood Nasir
15:30- 16:00	Regional forest and climate change and related initiatives	GIZ , Shinya Abe, HQ	
16:00-16:45	Discussion of countries’ views on developing a regional/sub-regional cooperation programme(s) for forests, rangelands and climate change and key areas for cooperation		
16:45 -17:00	Summary of main issues and wrap up	Syed Mahmood Nasir	

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<b>Wednesday 21 September 2011</b>		<b>Speaker</b>	<b>Chair</b>
<b>Project identification</b>			
08:30	Group photo		Syed Nassir
08:40-09:40	Funding options for projects	Patricia Gorin	
09:40-10:00	Introduction to project identification/implementation	Said Messat	
10:00 – 10:30	Introduction to group discussions	Said Messat	
10:30-11.00	<i>Coffee break</i>		
11:00-13:00	Working group session: Identification of logical framework: project goal, outcomes, outputs/results and activities to be covered by regional/sub-regional project(s) and their indicators		
13:00-14:30	<i>Lunch</i>		
14:30- 15:30	Working group session: - <i>cont'd</i>		Issa Odeh Suleiman AlShoubaki
15:30- 16:00	<i>Break</i>		
16:00- 17:30	Report from group discussion and Wrap up for the day	Group Rapporteurs	
<b>Thursday 22 September 2011</b>			
08:30-10:30	Summary and discussion of conclusions of the groups on the outlines of a regional or sub-regional project(s)	Said Messat	Youssef Saadani
10:30-11.00	<i>Coffee break</i>		
11:00 –12:30	Priority areas for action - Next steps/timeline/ involvement of countries/role of consultant		
12:30-13:00	<i>Closing of workshop</i>		