

FGLG-South Africa

Work plan 2013



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FOREST GOVERNANCE LEARNING GROUP – SOUTH AFRICA (FGLG-SA) DRAFT 2013 IMPLEMENTATION PLAN

What are you going to do?	What do you want to achieve?	When?	Who will be directly involved?	Who do you want to influence by this activity?	What will be your strategy to influence?	Priority (High, Medium, Low)
Output 1: Forest Rights and small forest enterprise						
1.1 Monitor the implementation of the National Industrial Policy Action Plan (IPAP) 3	Effective Resource prioritization, allocation and utilization by SMFE, especially in communities	2012/3	FGLG-SA and respective National and Provincial Forest Sector Forums	Department of Trade and Industry (DTI), Department of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries (DAFF), Department of Economic Development (DED) and Industry	Nominated Task Team to report electronically and through Group's learning events; Issue media release and/or write an article directly in the media and track reactions – priority would be given to this strategy!	H
1.2 Monitor the implementation of the SMFE strategy	Development of support mechanisms for SMFE; Effective resource prioritization, allocation and utilization by SMFE	2012/3	FGLG-SA and its networks	DAFF, DTI and Department of Rural Development and Land Reform (DRDLR)	As above!	H
1.3 Monitor the consolidation of stakeholders' inputs into the land reform policy review process	Ensure policy review process is sensitive to stakeholders' views	2012/3	FGLG-SA and other subject expert invitees	DRDLR	Nominate a Task Team; the rest is same as above!	H
Output 2: Legitimate Forest Products						
2.1 Convene learning event on access to	Promotion of forest access rights for NTFP	2012/3	FGLG-SA, NTFP	Industry and Government	Complete draft status quo and key issues paper; Convene a	H

State and private production resource assets for NTFP based enterprises	based enterprises & opportunities		enterprises, Industry, government & NFAC – CFA		learning event; Draft a position document; Hold bilateral sessions with DAFF for representation; Issue a media release and/or an article	
Output 3: Pro-poor climate mitigation and adaption through forestry						
3.1 Provide inputs into development of forest sector climate change response strategy	Ensure that strategy makes provision for real pro-poor benefits	2012/3	FGLG-SA and other subject expert invitees	Policy makers in the Departments of Science and Technology (DST), DWEA and DAFF; Research Institutions; and Industry	Finalise analysis of the forestry responses to climate change concept; Draw lessons from other FGLG processes; Convene a Group learning event; Draft a position document in response; Hold bilateral sessions with DAFF for representation	H
Output 4: Trans-national learning and preparedness						
4.1 Provide inputs to SA's position on the Forest Law Enforcement, Governance and Trade (FLEGT) processes	Ensure that key forest governance issues are covered and discussed; Influence decisions on FLEGT thereof	2012/3	FGLG-SA, DAFF and other subject expert invitees	SA, SADC and AU	Convene a follow-up event to deliberate on SA's action plan for implementation of the SADC FLEGT Programme	H
4.2 Convene at least two FGLG-SA learning events on Outputs 2.1 and 4.4	Create platform for the Group's contact dialogue; Workshop and generate Group's inputs on key issues; Group's visioning and capacity building	2012/3	FGLG-SA and other invitees	FGLG-SA and identified subject organisations	Convene learning events; Workshop numerous key issues and produce briefs as inputs by the Group to various processes; Reflect on and record progress and tactics	H

4.3 Benefit sharing business enterprise model(s)	Document and share lessons on benefit sharing business model(s)	2012/3	FGLG-SA, DAFF and other invitees	Enterprise development, climate change mechanisms and FLEGT processes	Convene a learning event using the draft paper; Review draft framework paper; Peer review and editing; Produce final draft paper and share with FGLG particularly Ghana, Uganda, Cameroon and Mozambique	H
4.4 Convene at least one SMFE related events	Create platforms to raise and/or discuss key relevant issues	2012/13	DAFF, IDC, DRDLR, SAFCOL ¹ , DPE, NEF ² , FSCC ³ , NFAC ⁴ & FGLG-SA	Key SMFE support institutions	Identify opportunities, collaborate with other partners, document outcomes and follow through – an opportunity to deliberate on real community empowerment projects' models!	H

¹ SACOL – South African Forestry Company Limited reporting to the Department of Public Enterprise (DPE).

² NEF – National Empowerment Fund reporting to the Department of Trade and Industry (DTI).

³ FSCC – Forest Sector Charter Council reporting to the Department of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries (DAFF).

⁴ NFAC – National Forest Advisory Council reporting and advising the Minister of DAFF.