

COST Action E19 "National Forest Programmes in a European Context"
Working Group 2: Influence factors of substantive NFPs

Preliminary agenda for the 3rd Working Group Meeting

Aberdeen/Scotland, 28-30 March 2001

Main topic: Legal aspects

1. Opening and adoption of the agenda
2. Election of the new WG2 Chair
3. Report on the co-ordination of the work programmes of WG1&2
4. Definition of substantive NFPs in terms of core elements (desk papers available)
5. Reflections on plenary presentations of invited speakers on
"Effects of political culture on substantive NFPs" (Kristine Kern)
"Effects of legal regulations on national forest programmes" (2 invited speakers)
6. Presentation of research papers
 - Willi Zimmermann, Switzerland
 - N.N.
 - N.N.
7. Discussion and drafting theses list
8. Presentations on experiences with legal aspects
 - Austria: Johannes Voitleithner
 - Finland: N.N. (to be nominated by Heikki Pajuoja)
 - Portugal: Americo Mendes
9. Discussion and drafting theses list
10. Summary discussion and preparation of final list of theses
11. Conclusions from country reports (Willi Zimmermann)
12. Products and deliverables of WG2
13. Preparation of next WG2 meeting (example of a research paper on financial incentives)
14. Other topics
15. Closing

Vienna, 5 December 2000