



Round Table Meeting on the coherence between forest-related policies in the EU - the role of the EU Forest Strategy -

**4 February 2019, 10.30 -14.00 hrs.
European Forestry House, Brussels**

DRAFT AGENDA

10.30: Welcome

10.45: Presentations by invited experts

1. Dan Burgar Kuzelicki, European Commission - DG AGRI // *The EU policies supporting sustainable and multifunctional forestry and their coordination*
2. Bernhard Wolfslehner, BOKU – EFI // *Scientific considerations on the coordination of forest-related policies and the role of stakeholders*
3. Ossi Martikainen - ALDE, FI // *The own-initiative opinion on the mid-term review of the EU Forest Strategy of the Committee of the Regions*
4. Ionel Popa, Chair of the Working Party on Forestry of the Romanian Presidency in the European Council // *Ongoing work on the Council Conclusions on the mid-term review of the EU Forest Strategy – tbc.*

12.00: Interventions by invited Members of the European Parliament followed by a round table discussion with the representatives of the forest-based sector stakeholders and other participants

- MEP Jytte Guteland (Sweden, S&D), co-chair of the SFM Intergroup

- MEP Nils Torvalds (Finland, ALDE) – tbc.

12.50: Conclusions

13.00: Networking lunch

14.00: Meeting closed

About the organizers:

- EUSTAFOR** The European State Forest Association representing organizations managing state-owned forests that practice sustainable and multifunctional forest management.
www.eustafor.eu
- UEF** The European Federation of Professional Foresters Organizations.
www.european-foresters.eu
- FECOF** The European Federation of organizations representing forest municipalities and other local authorities in the European countries.
www.fecof.eu
- CEPF** The umbrella association of national forest owner organizations in Europe, representing family forestry in Europe and promoting the values of sustainable forest management, private property ownership and the viability of the forest sector.
www.cepf-eu.org
- COPA-COGECA** The united voice of farmers and agri-cooperatives in the European Union.
www.copa-cogeca.eu
- CEPI** The pan-European association representing the forest fiber and paper industry, gathering companies producing paper, cardboard, pulp and other bio-based products through its 18 national associations.
www.cepi.org
- CEI-Bois** The European Confederation of the Woodworking Industries, representing 18 national organizations, 4 European-sector federations and 1 private industrial group. www.cei-bois.org