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Agenda for National Forest Inventory Capacity Building Workshop for Vanuatu

Date: 8-10 March 2016

**Venue: Melanesian Hotel, Port Vila
Vanuatu**

Objectives

- **The main objective of this National Forest Inventory Capacity Building Workshop is to continue capacity development toward the implementation of a full NFI in 2017.**
- **The main output / product from the workshop will be a “road map” outline in the form of a table of contents for an NFI proposal document that will be will collaboratively drafted on the final day.**

SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES

- Develop capacity on NFI in Vanuatu;
- Review previous NFI experiences in Vanuatu;
- Clarify the main purpose of an NFI for Vanuatu to help with later design building on the pilot testing done with GIZ support in 2014/15;
- Develop an outline for a “road map” toward a full NFI proposal;
- Identify the next steps toward NFI implementation.

Day One: 8 th (Tuesday) March 2016			
Time	Event	Organization	Speaker
8:00-8:30	Arrival and registration		
8:30-8:45	Opening remarks Self-introduction of participants – including their current position / work role.	Vanuatu FD	Tate Hannington, Director and Vanuatu FD staff
8:45-9:30	Welcoming remarks and objectives of the workshop by SPC, and Introduction to FAO and SPC’s role in assisting Pacific countries with NFI	UN-REDD / SPC	Adam Gerrand UN-REDD and Jalesi Mateboto SPC
9:30-10:00	Participants to explain their interest in an NFI and expectations for the workshop	All	All
10:00-11:00	Presentation of previous NFI experiences in Vanuatu, current status and future needs	Vanuatu FD	Ioan Viji, Dick Tomker
11:00-12:00	1. National forest assessment and policy linkages (exercise on Why do an NFI?)	UN-REDD / FAO	Adam Gerrand
13:00-14:00	Lunch		
14:00-16:00	2. How to do an NFI in 20 steps. Small group exercise and report back on the steps in planning an NFI	UN-REDD/FAO/ SPC	Adam Gerrand / SPC
16:00-16:30	General discussion and review of day 1		