# Management Group (MG) of the UN-REDD Programme Decisions of meeting of 29 May 2013 Draft

#### **Participants:**

MG members and alternates

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**UNDP: Tim Clairs** 

UNEP: Tim Christophersen, Keith Alverson

Secretariat: Mario Boccucci, Thais Linhares Juvenal

Apologies: Charles McNeill

#### Others

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## 1. Approval of minutes of previous MG call (22 May)

a. Approved.

#### 2. Draft Guidebook on National Legislation for Implementation of REDD+ (Legal preparedness)

a. Following the Global Programme Coordination Group call this week, further work will be undertaken on the guidebook, with the MG's approval sought at a later date (*UNEP will coordinate further work on the guidebook, in liaison with UNDP and FAO*).

## 3. PB10 Preparations

- a. The MG were invited to review the agenda and draft decisions submitted to the SG, and provide any additional reactions/feedback, particularly on the draft decisions (MG).
- b. The MG will give further consideration to whether a discussion on FPIC should be tabled during PB10 under the stakeholder engagement item, with focus on what the outcome from the PB would be. (Secretariat to include on agenda of the next MG call, or if necessary, during a separate dedicated call; Charles to introduce and provide update).
- c. Co-chair: UNDP will provide an update on the co-chairing arrangements (Charles).

#### 4. Update on Panama

- a. A short analysis of recent tweets, particularly related to the Guardian article, will be provided for the MG's information (*Secretariat to circulate*).
- b. Any further media requests for information/interview will be directed to the Secretariat.
- c. MG will review proposed blog article, along with an information note for the SG (Secretariat to circulate by Thursday, with a view to sending both out by close Friday 31 May).
- d. MG to revisit at next MG call, including update on PRISMA (Charles)

# 5. AOB

- a. Consolidated 2012 Annual Report: revised proposed text on 2012 expenditure will be circulated probably in the form of a narrative (Secretariat to circulate Wed 29 May for immediate review by MG; report will subsequently be finalized and submitted to MPTF-O)
- b. Satya (UNORCID) will meet with the Secretariat during a visit to Geneva next week. (Any contributions to this meeting to be sent to Mario by 5 June).
- c. Revised draft of REDD+ academy concept note has been circulated. (*MG to review and send any feedback to TimC2*).

# 9. Next call: Wednesday 5 June (3pm CET).

a. Secretariat to confirm call in details, and continue to look for a conference solution that will facilitate Nairobi's full participation.