FOREST CARBON PARTNERSHIP FACILITY (FCPF) SECOND PARTICIPANTS COMMITTEE MEETING March 11-13, 2009

Gamboa, Panama

Resolution PC/2/2009/3

Collaboration between the FCPF and the UN-REDD Programme

WHEREAS:

The Participants Committee:

- (i) Recalls the Note on *Cooperation between FCPF and UN-REDD Programme on REDD Readiness* dated October 9, 2008, which outlined the need for greater collaboration between the FCPF and the UN-REDD Programme;
- (ii) Recalls the Paris Declaration on Harmonization and Aid Effectiveness; and
- (iii) Recognizes the success of the joint mission to the Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC) of January 2009, and coordination and engagement efforts in Indonesia, Panama, Papua New Guinea, and Vietnam.

THE PARTICIPANTS COMMITTEE HAS HEREBY RESOLVED THAT:

- 1. The Facility Management Team (FMT) of the FCPF and the UN-REDD Programme Secretariat should continue to improve collaboration, especially by developing and supporting joint REDD readiness activities, to the extent possible, in order to share knowledge, leverage experience and expertise. Such collaboration should apply, in particular, but not exclusively, to:
 - Document templates to be used by REDD countries in the Readiness process, e.g., the R-Plan of the FCPF and the National Joint Program Document of the UN-REDD Programme, and review processes, with the objective of developing one common document and following one review process;
 - Harmonized operational guidance on consultation and participation;
 - Development and use of a joint Roster of Experts to provide members of the FCPF Technical Advisory Panel and UN-REDD Programme Technical Advisory Group;
 - Joint scheduling of meetings; and
 - Involvement in donor coordination efforts at the country level.
- 2. The FMT and participating UN organizations in the UN-REDD Programme should continue to undertake joint missions, at the request of REDD country governments, in close collaboration with civil society, including Indigenous Peoples,

and other relevant partners, following the model of the DRC mission mentioned above.

3. The FMT will provide a note giving an overview of the issues relevant to collaboration between FCPF and the UN-REDD Programme at the third meeting of the Participants Committee. The FCPF Participants Committee encourages the UN-REDD Programme Secretariat to provide a similar overview to the UN-REDD Policy Board.