



PC Review of Tanzania's draft R-PP

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General comments

- The Tanzania R-PP details a very ambitious approach to establishing new and upgrading existing organizations to implement REDD activities.
- The R-PP provides valuable information on the history of forest policy in Tanzania and provides a clear picture of how Tanzania intends to approach REDD readiness.
- Donor financing will likely assist in meeting establishment costs during the scheduled four year REDD readiness phase (2010-2013).
- The R-PP does not request funding from FCPF, but is primarily to be financed directly by Norway.



Strengths

The proposed involvement of all key agencies in the National Climate Change Council Steering Committee and Technical Committee.

Good understanding of requirements for MRV, carbon accounting and the establishment of a reference scenario.



Areas for improvement

- Consider elaborating on how Tanzania intends to transition from the REDD Task Force to the proposed national governance structure.
- Consider identifying and further elaborating on strategies that might be used to address identified drivers of deforestation.
- Some replication of information provided in the R-PP in the annexes.
- Useful to more clearly distinguish between the coordination of readiness activities (component 1) and the ongoing REDD+ implementation framework (component 2c). At times these functions are mixed up.