

Carpathian Convention Working Group on Sustainable Forest Management¹

4- 6 September 2013, Rzeszow, Poland

DRAFT PROGRAMME

Wednesday, 4 September 2013

14.00 – 19.00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Arrival of the meeting's participants - Field trip visit to forests
20.00	Official dinner

Thursday, 5 September 2013

09.00 – 11.30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Opening of the meeting - Welcome by Ministry of Environment of Poland - Opening remarks by UNEP Vienna – ISCC - Election of the Chair - Adoption of the Agenda - State of signature and ratification of the Protocol on Sustainable Forest Management to the Framework Convention on the Protection and Sustainable Development of the Carpathians (Forest Protocol) - Update on the BIOREGIO Carpathians project - Presentation of the draft Strategic Action Plan for the Implementation of the Forest Protocol (Forest Protocol SAP) by UNEP Vienna – ISCC and
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¹ Meeting organised within the European Transnational Cooperation Programme BIOREGIO Carpathians project – WP 7

	discussion of the document
11.30 – 11.50	Coffee break
11.50 – 13.00	- Discussion of the Forest Protocol SAP
13.00 – 14.00	Lunch
14.00 – 16.00	- Discussion of the Forest Protocol SAP
16.00 – 16.20	Coffee break
16.20 – 18.00	- Presentation of the draft document on common criteria for definition of virgin forests by WWF DCP and discussion of the document

Friday, 6 September 2013

9.00 – 11.00	- Discussion of the draft document on common criteria for definition of virgin forests
11.00 – 11.20	Coffee break
11.20 – 13.00	- Presentation of proposal for projects and initiatives related to the Forest Protocol and discussion - Next steps - Closure of the meeting