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Agenda 10.1

DECISION 8-I-18R

The transition of the Interim Secretariat into the AFoCO Secretariat

The Assembly of the Asian Forest Cooperation Organization (AFoCO),

Recalling Article 9 of the Agreement on the Establishment of AFoCO, regarding the forming of the Secretariat;

Taking note on the decision of the Governing Council of the Agreement between the Governments of the Member States of the Association of the Southeast Asian Nations and the Republic of Korea on Forest Cooperation (ASEAN-ROK Forest Cooperation), which agreed on the transfer of the functions, personnel, assets, and archives of the Secretariat of the ASEAN-ROK Forest Cooperation to the AFoCO Secretariat; and

Considering the state of assets and the progress report on the on-going projects approved under the ASEAN-ROK Forest Cooperation as appended in document A-11(I-18R),

Decides to

1. Endorse forming of the Secretariat in accordance with Article 9 of the Agreement; and
 2. Receive devolved assets, archives, and legal liabilities including the management of on-going project activities of the Interim Secretariat for AFoCO.
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