





## November 3<sup>rd</sup>

Virtual Meeting link: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82862068766

Meeting ID: 828 6206 8766

Time	Item	Input
10:00 – 10:30	Registration of participants Welcome coffee	
10:30 – 10:35	Opening remarks Introducing the Agenda	Mr. Carl Amirgulashvili, Head of the Biodiversity and Forestry Department, Ministry of Environmental Protection and Agriculture
	Welcome speeches:	
	Mr. Otar Shamugia, Minister of Environmental     Protection and Agriculture of Georgia	
	Mr. Levan Davitashvili, Vice Prime Minister, Minister of Economy and Sustainable Development of Georgia	
	Mrs. Maia Bitadze, Head of the Environment Protection and Natural Resources Committee, Parliament	
10:35– 11:15	H.E. Ernst Peter Fischer, Ambassador Plenipotentiary and Extraordinary of the Federal Republic of Germany to Georgia (The main donor and partner of the NFI implementation process)	
	H.E. Pawel Herczynski Ambassador, Head of Delegation of the European Union in Georgia	
	H.E. Kelly C. Degnan, Ambassador Plenipotentiary and Extraordinary of the United States of America to Georgia	
	H.E. Thomas Mühlmann Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the Republic of Austria to Georgia	





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11:15 – 12:00	Georgian NFI presentation:  - Preparatory work; - Data Analyzing process; - Main findings; - Future perspectives.	Biodiversity and Forestry Department
12:00 – 12:15	Q&A	
12:15 – 12:45	Needs and challenges of the forestry sector	National Forestry Agency, Biodiversity and Forestry Department
12:45 – 13:00	Forest Information and Monitoring System (FIMS)	Biodiversity and Forestry Department
13:00 - 14:00	Lunch	
14:00 – 14:30	Panel session 1: introducing the topic by the moderator  Importance of National Forest Inventory data for political and governance decisions in the forestry sector	
14:30 – 14:45	Q&A Discussion	
14:45 – 15:00	Coffee break	
15:00 – 15:30	Panel session 2: introducing the topic by the moderator  Implementation of new technologies in the forestry sector	
15:30 – 15:45	Q&A Discussion	
15:45 – 16:00	Wrap up the meeting	Biodiversity and Forestry Department







## November 4th

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Time	Item	Input
10:30 – 11:00	Registration of participants Welcome coffee	
11:00 – 11:05	Opening remarks Introducing the agenda	Head of the Biodiversity and Forestry Department, Ministry of Environmental Protection and Agriculture
11:05 – 13:00	Session 1  The importance of NFI results in the political and strategic decision-making process (Experience sharing)	
13:00 – 14:00	Dinner	
14:00 – 15:30	Session 2  The importance of NFI for the sustainable forest management	
15:30 – 16:00	Coffee break	
16:00 – 17:45	Session 3  NFI and modern technologies (Experience sharing)	
17:45 – 18:00	Wrap up the meeting	Biodiversity and Forestry Department