



CAFI Executive Board Decision

Adoption of the 2024 CAFI Annual Report

Adopted at the 26th Executive Board Meeting on 25.06.2025
EB.2025.25

Considering:

- Decision [EB.2023.26](#) asking the CAFI Secretariat to develop a shorter structure for the CAFI reports, in line with industry standards
- Decision [EB.2024.13](#) on project annual reports.

The CAFI Executive Board:

1. Adopts the 2024 Annual report;
2. Takes note of the overall improvement in projects reports quality and timeliness, allowing CAFI to perform rich analyses; and reminds Implementing organizations that:
 - a) no extension, at or without cost, will be granted to projects that have repeatedly failed to comply to the reporting deadlines and format set out in the CAFI Manual of Operations;
 - b) Executive Board approval of new projects will take into account the track record of implementing organizations in respecting the reporting requirements of the CAFI legal framework.
3. Takes note of the slight overall decline in gender responsiveness of projects and
 - a) asks the CAFI and FONAREDD Secretariats to ensure dissemination of the gender scores to projects with low scores (0-1) or presenting risks; assess with projects the underlying reasons for these low scores; and report to the CAFI Executive Board and FONAREDD Program Review Committee, respectively.
 - b) asks implementing organizations whose projects have earned low scores (0-1) to i) take all proactive measures and provide an action plan to be shared with the CAFI and FONAREDD Secretariats by end September 2025, in line with their policies and procedures, to better report and/or enhance their gender performance ii) ensure adequate reporting of projects gender activities and results in 2025 semestrial reports and beyond.