

## Response to international NGOs on DRC Adopted at Oslo on June 17, 2016

## EB.2016.14

- The Executive Board appreciates the efforts by international NGOs to inform the Executive Board of their concerns, acknowledges the letter dated June 14<sup>t,</sup> 2016, and discussed it during the EB4 meeting
- 2. Requests the Secretariat to:
  - a. contact the senders of the letter to obtain more information, particularly any supporting documentation regarding the allocation of a logging concession to SOMIFOR
  - b. subsequently contact the DRC government on behalf of the Executive Board to provide necessary clarifications and responses
- 3. <u>Reiterates</u> that the provisions of the LOI prevail over the wording of FONAREDD's calls for proposals and their terms of reference.
- 4. The EB will decide on further action after having received the information above.