

# **GROUP 1**

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**LEGALITY SHOULD BE  
CONSIDERED THE MINIMUM  
BASELINE REQUIREMENT AS  
DEFINED IN NATIONAL FOREST  
LAWS.**

## **1-3 CONTD**

**VARIOUS NATIONS SHOULD BE PERMITTED TO EXPORT FOREST PRODUCTS SO LONG AS A CHECK LIST BASED ON ALL RELEVANT LAWS IS AGREED ON BY ALL STAKEHOLDERS.  
NO CONCRETE ALTERNATIVE EVIDENCE WAS PRESENTED**

**PHASED APPROACH  
SHOULD BE FROM LEGAL TIMBER  
PRODUCTION TO SFM  
DIF OPINIONS OF THE OPTIONS FOR  
IMPLEMENTATION  
I.E MODULAR, STEPWISE, PHASED  
APPROACH.  
TIME FRAME SHOULD BE SET BY  
THE VARIOUS NATIONS AND NOT  
IMPOSED (REF EU-FLEGT)**

**5(contd)**

**BASELINE BE DEFINED  
ACCORDING TO LEGAL ORIGIN &  
LEGAL COMPLIANCE  
BE THIRD PARTY VERIFIED.  
NO PHASED APPROACH BELOW  
LEGALITY**

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**COMMUNICATION**

**A) NEXT PERSON/COMPANY IN THE  
LINE OF SELLING**

**B) 3<sup>RD</sup> PARTY VERIFIED**

**C) OFF PRODUCT**

**D) DOCUMENTS MADE AVAILABLE TO  
ALL INTERESTED PARTIES  
(UPHOLDING OPENNESS AND  
TRANSPARENCY)**

**FOR SMALL SCALE PRODUCERS  
SETTING UP CENTRAL POINTS TO  
FACITILTATE TRADE PROMOTION**

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**COSTING IS A PERCEIVED  
CHALLENGE. PHASED APPROACH  
MAY NOT BE COST EFFECTIVE  
COST-BENEFIT ANALYSIS  
REQUIRED  
RISKS ASSOCIATED WITH  
PHASED APPROACHES. NEED TO  
A) HAVE A CREDIBLE DELIVERY  
MECHANISM  
B) MAINTAIN THAT CREDIBLE  
SYSTEM**