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DECISION 1(XXX)

PROJECTS, PRE-PROJECTS AND ACTIVITIES

The International Tropical Timber Council,

Having considered at its Thirtieth Session the recommendations of the three Committees on Projects, Pre-Projects and Activities, as contained in documents CEM(XXVIII)/7, CRF(XXVIII)/8 and CFI(XXVIII)/11;

1. Decides:

(i) to approve the following Projects:

PD 34/00 Rev.2 (M)	Extension and Consolidation of the National Forest Statistical Information System (Bolivia) (\$352,005.00)
PD 74/01 Rev.1 (M)	Development and Implementation of Guidelines to Control Illegal Logging for Sustainable Forest Management in Indonesia (Indonesia) (\$665,850.00)
PD 87/01 Rev.1 (M)	Development of the <i>Integrated Forestry Compendium: A Knowledge Base for Forest Management and the Forest Product Industry</i> (Ghana) (\$442,777.00)
PD 28/00 Rev.2 (F)	Integrated Management of the Valley of Mefou and Afamba (Province Centrale Du Cameroon) (Cameroon) (\$563,265.00)
PD 41/00 Rev.3 (F,M)	Model Development to Establish Commercial Plantation of Dipterocarps (Indonesia) (\$461,212.00)
PD 44/00 Rev. 3 (F) Phase II	The Implementation of a Community-Based Transboundary Management Plan for the Betung-Kerihun National Park, West Kalimantan, Indonesia – Phase II (Indonesia) (\$764,954.00)
PD 60/01 Rev.1 (F)	Sustainable Management and Rehabilitation of Mangrove Forests by Local Communities on the Caribbean Coast of Colombia (Colombia) (\$583,626.00)

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PD 66/01 Rev.1 (F)	Establishment of the Mengamé-Minkébé Transboundary Gorilla Sanctuary (MMGS) at the Cameroon-Gabon Border (Cameroon) (\$770,751.00)
PD 67/01 Rev.1 (F)	Dissemination of Forest Development and Research Results obtained during the Implementation of the Technical Project for Forest Conservation-CEMARE (Panama) (\$147,173.00)
PD 86/01 Rev.1 (F)	SAR Systems for Operational Forest Monitoring in Indonesia (\$273,414.00)
PD 12/99 Rev.3 (F) Phase III	Model Forest Management Area (MFMA) Phase III (Malaysia) (\$966,700.00)
PD 51/00 Rev.2 (I,M)	Improvement of Rubberwood Utilization and Marketing in Thailand (Thailand) (\$406,138.00)
PD 65/01 Rev.2 (I)	Training in Reduced Impact Logging in Cambodia (Cambodia) (\$274,933.00)
PD 69/01 Rev.2 (I)	Improved and Diversified Use of Tropical Plantation Timbers in China to Supplement Diminishing Supplies from Natural Forests (China) (\$588,815.00)
PD 77/01 Rev.2 (I,F)	Contribution to the Development of Skills and Technical Training Structures at the Mbalmayo National School of Forestry, Central Province of Cameroon (Cameroon) (\$274,880.00)
PD 85/01 Rev.2 (I)	Strategies for the Development of Sustainable Wood-Based Industries in Indonesia (Indonesia) (\$479,603.00)

- (ii) to authorize financing for immediate implementation of the following Projects approved at this Session:

PD 34/00 Rev.2 (M)	(\$352,005.00)
PD 74/01 Rev.1 (M)	(\$665,850.00)
PD 28/00 Rev.2 (F)	(\$563,265.00)
PD 44/00 Rev.3 (F) Phase II	(\$764,954.00)
PD 60/01 Rev.1 (F)	(\$583,626.00)
PD 51/00 Rev.2 (I,M)	(\$406,138.00)
PD 65/01 Rev.2 (I)	(\$274,933.00)
PD 69/01 Rev.2 (I)	(\$588,815.00)
PD 77/01 Rev.2 (I,F)	(\$274,880.00)

- (iii) to authorize the release of additional funds for the continued implementation of the following Projects:

PD 26/96 Rev.4 (F)	(\$90,591.00)
PD 58/97 Rev.1 (I)	(\$120,159.00)

- (iv) to authorize the release of additional funds in the amount of \$200,000.00 for the continued implementation of the Freezailah Fellowship Fund;

- (v) to authorize financing for immediate implementation as soon as earmarked funds are available in the Special Account or the Sub-Account A of the Bali Partnership Fund, of the following Projects approved at this Session:

PD 87/01 Rev.1 (M)	(\$442,777.00)
PD 41/00 Rev.3 (F,M)	(\$461,212.00)
PD 66/01 Rev.1 (F)	(\$770,751.00)
PD 67/01 Rev.1 (F)	(\$147,173.00)
PD 86/01 Rev.1 (F)	(\$273,414.00)
PD 12/99 Rev.3 (F) Phase III	(\$966,700.00)
PD 85/01 Rev.2 (I)	(\$479,603.00)

2. Decides:

- (i) to approve the recommendations of the Committees to implement the following Pre-Projects:

PPD 23/01 (M)	Analysis of Tropical Timber Production and Trade Patterns in French-Speaking African Countries During the 90s-Challenges for the 21 st Century (Togo) (\$29,910.00)
PPD 26/01 (M)	Assessing the Feasibility of and Support for a Tropical Timber Promotional Campaign (ITTO) (\$47,600.00)
PPD 27/01 (M)	Review of PNG's Timber Treatment Process (PNG) (\$48,000.00)
PPD 11/00 Rev.2 (F)	Development of an Integrated Regional Forestry Master Plan for the Eco-Floristics Area in order to Develop Participatory Forest Management (Togo) (\$72,668.00)
PPD 17/01 Rev.1 (F)	Action Plan on Sustainable Mangrove Management (Global) (Japan) (\$181,485.00)
PPD 22/01 (F)	Tropical Forest Fire Monitoring and Management System based on Satellite Remote Sensing Data in China (China) (\$49,100.00)
PPD 24/01 (F)	Development of National Criteria and Indicators for Sustainable Forest Management in the Congo based on the ITTO Criteria and Indicators (Congo) (\$39,510.00)
PPD 16/01 Rev.1 (I)	Timber Enhancement through Mechanical Processing (Congo) (\$47,370.00)
PPD 19/01 Rev.1 (I)	Sustainable Management of Non-Timber Forest Products (NTFPs) in Congo's Forests under Sustainable Management (Congo) (\$93,562.00)
PPD 21/01 Rev.2 (I)	Promotion of Secondary Species from Cameroon Forests (Cameroon) (\$44,205.00)

- Cooperation with FAO to Convene an International Conference on Criteria and Indicators for Sustainable Forest Management (\$150,000.00) [Decision 5(XXX)];
 - Guidelines for the Management of Secondary Tropical Forests, Tropical Forest Restoration and Rehabilitation of Degraded Forest Lands (\$200,000.00) [Decision 6(XXX)];
 - Cooperation between the International Tropical Timber Organization (ITTO) and IUCN – The World Conservation Union (\$188,000.00) [Decision 8(XXX)];
 - Reporting Formats and Training for ITTO Criteria and Indicators for Sustainable Management of Natural Tropical Forests (\$832,500.00) [Decision 9(XXX)];
 - Certification (\$172,380.00) [Decision 10(XXX)]; and
 - Strengthening Sustainable Forest Management in Central African Countries (Congo Basin) (\$120,000.00) [Decision 11(XXX)].
6. Urges Members to consider financing those approved Projects, Pre-Projects and Activities for which funds are not immediately available,
 7. Appeals to Members to make unearmarked contributions to the Special Account which comprise at least 10% of the total value of their pledges, in accordance with Decision 6(XIII), the remainder being voluntary contributions allocated to approved Projects, Pre-Projects and Activities and furthermore decides that such unearmarked contributions shall not be allocated without the prior authorization of the Council,
 8. Further appeals to Members to also make voluntary contributions to the Bali Partnership Fund, particularly to the Sub-Account B of this Fund to finance Projects, Pre-Projects and Activities to assist Members in achieving the Year 2000 Objective of ITTO,
 9. Requests the Executive Director to continue consultations with potential donors and the Common Fund for Commodities in order to secure financing for those Projects, Pre-Projects and Activities for which funds are not immediately available.

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