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## **DECISION 2(LVIII)**

## **EXTENSION OF THE ITTO BIENNIAL WORK PROGRAMME 2021-2022**

The International Tropical Timber Council,

Appreciating the work of the Secretariat in implementing the Biennial Work Programme for the years 2021-2022:

<u>Taking note</u> that the progress report on implementation of the BWP 2021-2022 presented to the Fifty-eighth Session of the ITTC (Document ITTC(LVIII)/7) includes descriptions of work that may carry on into 2023 and possibly beyond in the Implementation Status updates provided for relevant approved activities;

<u>Further taking note</u> of the recommendation of the Informal Advisory Group to extend the BWP 2021-2022 so that it is back in line with the biennial approval cycle of the ITTO Administrative Budget;

## Decides to:

- 1. Extend the Biennial Work Programme for 2021-2022, as adopted under Decision 2(LVI), for a period of one year;
- 2. Urge all members to pay their assessed contributions in a timely manner and consider making additional resources available, be it through voluntary contributions or in-kind resources to implement the Biennial Work Programme 2021-2022;
- 3. Request the Executive Director to seek additional funding sources to finance the continued implementation of the Biennial Work Programme 2021-2022;
- 4. Request the Executive Director to report on the progress in implementing the Biennial Work Programme 2021-2022 to the Council during its Fifty-ninth Session; and
- 5. Request the Executive Director, in accordance with operative paragraph 6 of Decision 4(LVI), to present a new Biennial Work Programme for consideration and approval to the Council during its Fifty-ninth Session.

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