

Interim REDD+ Partnership

Role of Co-chairs

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REDD+ Partnership document (1)

- One developing and one developed country Partners
- Selected for non-renewable terms
- Inclusive and transparent selection process

REDD+ Partnership document (2)

Tasks:

- report to the Partnership
- solicit and communicate Partner views
- tasking secretariat services based on guidance from the Partnership
- proposing meeting agendas to the partners for approval
- oversight the provision of secretariat services by FCPF FMT and UN-REDD on behalf of the partner countries
- receive contact from interested countries to the Partnership
- When appropriate, may draw support from the former and upcoming co-chairs

REDD+ Partnership document (3)

• Work program shall determine (Appendix II):

Duration of the term for the Co-chairs

Role

Method of selection

Co-chairs proposal (1)

- Duration of the term:
 - 6 months non renewable (Co-chairs are only responsible for matters in their term)
 - rotation among Partners
- Method of selection:
 - decision adopted by Partner countries by consensus
 - selection of the next co-chairs will be completed expeditiously so as to secure enough time for preparation
- Definition of Annex I and non-Annex I parties provided by the UNFCCC applies expediently

Co-chairs proposal (2)

- Role:
 - Facilitative and coordinative role under the authority of the Partnership
- Tasks:
 - Reporting to the Partnership
 - Receiving contact from countries which are willing to join the Partnership
 - Soliciting and communicating Partner views, including proposing to conduct communication by videoconference, teleconference or other electronic means when necessary
 - Tasking and providing oversight of secretariat services based on guidance from the Partnership, including encouraging donor countries to support the budget in accordance with the agreed work program

Co-chairs proposal (3)

Tasks:

- Chairing the meetings
 - -Proposing meeting agenda including the level of attendance (technical, political level), presenters to be invited, closed and open sessions, documentation to be distributed to Partners, on the basis of consultations with host country and the secretariat
 - -Preparing a report of the conclusions of the meetings and collecting comments from Partners
- Liaising with countries and organizations undertaking specific tasks on behalf of the Partners