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## PROPOSED POLICIES FOR AJUSTMENT, SUPPLEMENT OR ESTABLISHMENT

IN THE PERIOD OF 2014-2015

No.	Name of policy	Expected contents for ajustment, supplement or establishment	Implement agent
A	Policies for adjustment or supplement		
1	Law on forest development and protection	- Supplement (clause 1, article 3); clause 4 of article 3; clause 3 and Point a, clause 4 of article 24; clause 3 of article 61	MARD
2	Decree 23/2006/NĐ-CP dated on 03/3/2006 of government about implementation of forest development and protection law	- Supplement and adjust article 29; article 52, article 53, article 54 and article 56	MARD
B	Policies for establishment		
1	Action plan to respond to climate change in the forestry sector period of 2015-2020, vision 2021-2050	<p><i>1. General objectives</i> Sustainable forests management and development to mitigate climate change impacts and prevent disaster, contributing to ensure environmental security and social and economic development.</p> <p><i>2. Specific objectives</i> (i) mitigate effects of climate change through reforestation, improving the quality of forest and sustainable forest management in critical areas, (ii) adapt to climate change in order to sustainable forest management in conditions of climate change, (iii) raising awareness and building capacity in response to climate change of forestry sector.</p>	VNFORESR
2	Establishment of decision of the Prime Minister on forest co-management policy, benefit sharing	<p>1. Objectives: Sustainable management of current forest resources based on maximizing existing capacity in combination with assigning specific responsibilities of the parties involved.</p> <p>2. Contents:</p>	VNFOREST

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	between the parties in forest co-management	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Regulation on benefit-sharing mechanisms between parties in forest co-management;</li> <li>- Regulations on extraction or utilization of forest product, non timber forest product in a way of protect biodiversity and increase carbon storage in compliance with decision No. 186/2006/QĐ-TTg, decision 178/2001/QĐ-TTg; decision 126/Q Đ-TTg and Decree 117/NĐ-CP.</li> <li>- Organization and activities of forest co-management;</li> <li>- Rights and obligations of rural communities, households and individuals when participating in forest co-management.</li> <li>- Organize forest protection activities in forest co-management: i) inspection and supervision; II) Settlement of disputes and handling violations.</li> </ul>	
3	Construction management policy decision coastal forests	<p><i>1. Overall objectives:</i> Sustainable development, protection and management of coastal forests to contribute to reduce natural disaster, improving the quality of community life and strengthening security and defense.</p> <p><i>2. Specific objectives:</i> (i) Mitigate natural Disaster, limiting the harmful effects of winds and waves, preventing shoreline erosion and sand moving, combating with desertification and improving the response capacity of coastal protection forests to climate change, (ii) Protect the sea dike system and infrastructures on coastal areas and estuarines; environmental protection and biodiversity conservation, (iii) Contribute to socio-economic development, improving the quality of lives of coastal communities and strengthening national security protection.</p> <p><i>3 Main contents</i> + Planning for management and development of coastal forest; especially mangrove forest; + Organize coastal forest management; + Invest in protection, development and</p>	VNFOREST

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4	Build a circular of MARD on guiding the management of the land managed by the various sectors	<p>utilization of coastal forests.</p> <p><i>1. The objective of the circular</i></p> <p>(i) Manage coastal areas and watershed protection areas in a sustainable way with approach method of integrated management and landscape management</p> <p>(ii) Contributing to the formation of system of decision-making tools at multi-sector level and strengthening inter-sectoral coordination.</p> <p><i>2. Main contents</i></p> <p>+ Develop mechanisms for coordination of resources assessment in the watershed areas and coastal areas</p> <p>+ Develop a coordination mechanism to make planning of organizing and implementing management planning of the resources of protection forest areas;</p> <p>+ Develop a coordination mechanism to establish technical standards and regulations on management and protection of resources of coastal forest.</p>	VNFOREST, Directorate of Fishery; Directorate of Water Resource; and Department of cultivation
5	Building a scheme for sustainable forest management at provincial level	<p><i>1. Overall objective</i></p> <p>To effectively manage, protect and use current forest areas and forest land in a sustainable way, improve the quality and value of forests to ensure protection function, environmental protection, contributing to economic growth, job creation, alleviation of poverty, ensuring national security and contributing to construct new rurals in provinces.</p> <p><i>2. Specific objectives</i></p> <p>(i) Improving forest cover and improve the quality of natural forests in the province, (ii) strict control of forest extraction activities, transportation, trading and processing of forest products; reducing the number of forest fire cases and forest area damaged by forest fires; (iii) the entire forest area and forest land are managed by forest owners; (iv) Improving production value and export value of timber and non timber forest products (v) to create jobs for workers and local communities living in and near</p>	VNFOREST

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		forest.	
6	Build the scheme of sustainable management of coastal forest	<p><i>1. General objectives</i> to manage, use and develop mangrove forest in the context of markedly increasing impact of climate change and sea level rising in our country, contributing to socio-economic development, stabilize life of local communities on coastal area and strengthening coastal security and defense.</p> <p><i>2. Main contents</i> + Clarify goals of coastal forest management; + Establish Principles of coastal forest management; + Building planning and schedule of developing coastal forest; + Organize and manage coastal forests; + Use coastal forests; + Organization of implementation.</p>	VNFOREST
7	Develop action plans to implement REDD + at the local/ province	<p><i>1. The goal of the plan:</i> Identify and prepare for REED activities at the local level, ii) to contribute to the successful implementation of REDD + at the local level.</p>	VNFOREST

## **SOME POLICIES ARE PRIORITIED TO SUPPLEMENT, DAJUST OR CONSTRUCT IN 2014**

*A. Develop an action plan to respond to climate change in the forestry sector 2015-2020 period, vision 2021 - 2050*

- Activities
- Prioritized activities
- Prioritized regions
- Prioritized programs

*B. Construction of forest co-management policy, benefit sharing between the parties in forest co-management*

- Background
- Content of policy on forest co-management
- Organize forest protect activities in forest co-management:

*C. Building policy on managing littoral forest, which clarifies the role of littoral forests in mitigating and adapting to Climate change*

- Specific objectives
- Major contents: Planning littoral forest protection and development; Stipulating guidelines or circulars on solutions to the establishment, protection and rehabilitation of littoral forest, especially on difficult sites such as coastal areas strongly affected by flood-tide and landslide; Organizing inshore forest management

*D. Building Circular of Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development on guiding to manage planned land that is co-managed by different sectors: the cooperation in building and submitting of stakeholders, especially of Viet Nam Administrative Forestry, General Department of Water Resources; General Department of Aquaculture and Department of Cultivation.*

- The context of policy
- Targets of Circular
- issues must be solved

*E. Building projects on sustainable littoral forest management*

- The context of building and mitigating climate change:
- Major contents of the projects

*F. Developing action plans to implement REDD+ at local/provincial levels*

- The context of plan construction
- The objectives of plans
- The contents of plans