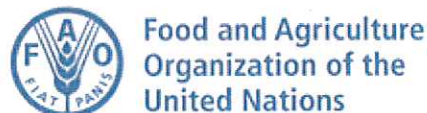


FORESTRY AND TIMBER SECTION



29 May 2015

Dear Mr. von Rohr,

I wish to take this opportunity to thank you personally and the Clean Forest Club for participating in our annual "International Day of Forests" on 20 March 2015 dedicated to the theme of "Forests for Food – Food for Forests". I am especially grateful for your generous contribution to the "Learning from Forests" Exhibition, a truly spectacular display for staff and visitors to enjoy.

The International Day of Forests was hailed as a highly successful event, in great part thanks to your generous contributions. The stunning exhibition concept with trees sponsored by the Clean Forest Club resembled a walk through the forest and recreated the forest ecosystem with examples of its biodiversity. It helped to visualize the multiple values and functions of forests and their essential role in our society. It was also an honour to have you as one of our distinguished guests and keynote speakers at the opening of the Learning from Forests Exhibition.

It was a very rewarding experience to join efforts once again with the Clean Forest Club to celebrate the International Day of Forests. It also highlighted the collaborative character of our work on forests and their overall importance for the UNECE region.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Ivonne Higuero", written in a cursive style.

Ivonne Higuero
Chief

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