**AGENDA**

**of the Liaison group of the Coordination Mechanism for Cooperation in Forestry between China and CEE countries**

**Date: May 14th, 2018**

**Time: 9:00-11:00**

**Venue: Palace Serbia, Room “Makedonija”, Boulevard Mihajlo Pupin, 2, SIV1**

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1. **Adoption of the agenda of the 2nd LG Meeting**
2. **Progress report of the 2016 – 2018 Biennial programme of work of the Coordination Mechanism for Cooperation in Forestry between China and CEE countries**

* Biennial programme of work 2016 – 2018
* Website /www.china-ceecforestry.org/ report on activities and future development and maintenance
* Report from the International conference on China-CEECs Forestry Research and Education Cooperation
* Report about the activities undertaken under the WG Promotion of high-tech wood-based products

1. **Discussion on the priorities of the 2018 – 2020 Biennial Programme of Work of the Coordination Mechanism for Cooperation in Forestry between China and CEE countries**

* **Scientific research and education cooperation**
* Financing possibilities of joint projects
* Announcement of future 16+1 forestry Scientific research and education cooperation events
* Establishment of the 16+1 Technology & Innovation Demonstration Hub(s) for research in forestry wood chain – proposal
* **Business and investments opportunities**
* Publication of the catalogue of investment opportunities of the 16+1 forestry-wood chain – proposal

1. **Ministerial Statement of the Belgrade Ministerial meeting of the Coordination Mechanism for Cooperation in Forestry between China and CEE countries**
2. **Agreement on the date and location for the next meeting of the Liaison group and the Ministerial Meeting of the Coordination Mechanism for Cooperation in Forestry between China and CEE countries**
3. **AOB**