

## The 1<sup>st</sup> Monthly Report on Working Progress of TEFSO As of April 2019

In April 2019, TEFSO has implemented activities to support Thailand-EU FLEGT VPA as following;

| Date             | Activities  |
|------------------|---|
| 2 April 2019     | Organize Annex III Sub-Working Group Meeting 1/2019 Read More             |
| 3 April 2019     | Organize Ad-Hoc Working Group Meeting 3/2019 Read More                    |
| 23-24 April 2019 | Organize Supply Chain Control and Timber Legality Assurance System (TLAS) |
|                  | Sub-Working Group Meeting 2/2019 Read More                                |
| 29 April 2019    | Support Supply Chain Control on Private Land Sub-Working Group Meeting    |
|                  | 2/2019 Read More  |
| 30 April 2019    | Support Import Control Sub-Working Group Meeting 2/2019 Read More         |

The outcomes of all implementing under TH-EU FLEGT VPA as mentioned above are as following;

| Issues                                  | Progress/Outcome   |
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| VPA Main Text                           | Collected comments and questions to be discussed with the EU.  |
| Supply Chain Control                    | Gathered possible options and ways of which agency would be able to be verifying unit.   |
| Timber Legality Assurance System (TLAS) | Bettered understanding on differences of TLAS and other standards as well as gathered possible options and ways of which agency would be able to be FLEGT licensing unit. Also, the status of FLEGT whether to license or permit was made clear. |
| Supply Chain Control on Private Land    | The resolution over the SD form and format was agreed as well as the paradigm in determining high risk species.  |
| Import Control                          | The resolution over the DD form and the field –testing guidelines were agreed.   |