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**Report of the technical assessment of the forest management  
reference level submission of Monaco submitted in 2011**

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## **I. Introduction and summary**

### **A. Overview**

1. This report covers the technical assessment (TA) of the submission of Monaco on its forest management reference level (FMRL), submitted on 17 May 2011 in accordance with decision 2/CMP.6. The TA took place (as a centralized activity) from 23 to 27 May 2011 in Bonn, Germany, and was coordinated by the UNFCCC secretariat. The TA was conducted by the following team of nominated land use, land-use change and forestry experts from the UNFCCC roster of experts: Mr. N.H. Ravindranath (India), Mr. Robert Waterworth (Australia), Mr. Walter Oyhantcabal (Uruguay), Ms. Naoko Tsukada (Japan), Mr. Lucio Santos (Colombia) and Ms. Marina Vitullo (Italy). Mr. N.H. Ravindranath and Mr. Robert Waterworth were the lead reviewers. The TA was coordinated by Ms. María José Sanz-Sánchez (UNFCCC secretariat).

2. In accordance with the “Guidelines for review of submissions of information on forest management reference levels” (decision 2/CMP.6, appendix II, part II), a draft version of this report was communicated to the Government of Monaco, which provided comments that were considered and incorporated, as appropriate, into this final version of the report.

### **B. Proposed reference level**

3. Monaco notes that it has no forests, rather only green spaces and parks which, while they may contain trees, are not defined as forests. This is supported by the national inventory report (NIR) submissions by Monaco.

4. As Monaco has no forests, it has not provided an FMRL.

## **II. Conclusions and recommendations**

5. Monaco made its FMRL submission on 17 May 2011. The expert review team (ERT) concludes that the FMRL submission of Monaco has been prepared and reported in accordance with decision 2/CMP.6.

6. As Monaco contains no forests, no FMRL has been produced. The ERT notes that the assertion that Monaco does not contain forest land is consistent with the 2011 NIR.

## **Annex**

### **Documents and information used during the technical assessment**

#### **Reference documents**

Soumission de la Principaute de Monaco au titre de la Décision 2/CMP.6, 17 May 2011.

Available at

<[http://unfccc.int/files/meetings/ad\\_hoc\\_working\\_groups/kp/application/pdf/awgkp\\_monaco\\_2011.pdf](http://unfccc.int/files/meetings/ad_hoc_working_groups/kp/application/pdf/awgkp_monaco_2011.pdf)>.

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