

15 December 2011

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**MEETING MINUTES:
GCS TECHNICAL PANEL MEETING # 28**

Participants:

DW Don Wijewardana
EZ Ederson Zanetti
MD Michael Dutschke
MG Michael Galante

Absent:

AH Ahmad Hussain
BL Brenton Ladd
DK Damien Kuhn
EL Erik Lammerts van Bueren
GG Gianluca Gondolini
KK Kaysara Khatun

Start time: [13:05 CET](#)

Agenda

1. UNFCCC COP17 Debriefing
2. GCS General Assembly Preparations
3. Yanachaga PIN Assessment Scheduling
4. Puyusacha PIN Assessment Scheduling
5. 6th World Water Forum Participation (12-17 March 2012, Marseille, France)
6. Miscellaneous

1. UNFCCC COP17 Debriefing

- The GCS has generated a great deal of interest at the UNFCCC COP 17 and several countries are interested to collaborate at the national level
- The GCS made a presentation at the CIFOR Forest Day on 4 December 2011 with great interest from all participants
- The GCS made a press briefing on 9 December 2011 which was televised and broadcasted on the UNFCCC website. The web stream will be added to the GCS website in the coming weeks
- The GCS has been invited to present at the upcoming ITTC meeting in 2012
- The GCS has been invited by the commissioner of the African Union to the Parliamentarians Conference due to take place in Kampala, Uganda 2010 on Multilateral Environment Agreements

2. GCS General Assembly Preparations

- Countries with agreements with the GCS shall be invited to become institutional members
- Meeting location to be in Europe with a high probability within the Black Forest, Germany

3. Yanachaga PIN Assessment Scheduling

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- The GCS is in the process of developing the GCS water methodology and is keen to increase the internal capacity for water conservation
- EZ to send thorough documentation on water methodologies and their processes of development

6. Miscellaneous

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Scheduling of TP 28

- The next TP meeting is scheduled for [12 January 2012 at 1pm CET](#)

Meeting Closed: [13:55 CET](#)