

Voluntary National Contribution the Republic of Uzbekistan towards achieving the Global Forest Goals and targets of the United Nations Strategic Plan for Forests (2017-2030)

Global Forest Goal 1: Reverse the loss of forest cover worldwide through sustainable forest management, including protection, restoration, afforestation and reforestation, and increase efforts to prevent forest degradation and contribute to the global effort of addressing climate change

By 2021 Uzbekistan has planned to create forest plantations about 1,3 million ha. By this day already created more than 0,58 million ha. Usually we are implemented measures to halt deforestation and restore 42,000ha of degraded forests annually. But, with special resolution of the President of Uzbekistan 2019 year increased to 0,5 million ha and targeted for 2020 to increase this number to

are developing in forestry sphere actively. Uzbekistan has an active cooperation with Eberswalde University (Germany), OYO Corporation (Japan), Turkey and World Bank. With forestry organization of Turkey, USA and GIZ, KOICA, FAO, APFNet on improvement of capacity building. In 2017 year established Forest Research Institute.

Global forest goal 5. Promote governance frameworks to implement sustainable forest management, including through the United Nations forest instrument, and enhance the contribution of forests to the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development

In 2017 year established the State Forestry Committee of the Republic of Uzbekistan on the basis of the General Directorate of Forestry under the Ministry of Agriculture and Water resources of the Republic of Uzbekistan. In 2018 year adopted new edition of Forest Law.

Global forest goal 6: Enhance cooperation, coordination, coherence and synergies on forest-related issues at all levels, including within the United Nations system and across member organizations of the Collaborative Partnership on Forests, as well as across sectors and relevant stakeholders.

Cross-sectoral coordination and cooperation to promote sustainable forest management and ha 792 r rc41