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## **DECISION 6-I-18R**

### **Organizational Symbol of the Asian Forest Cooperation Organization (AFoCO)**

The Assembly of the Asian Forest Cooperation Organization (AFoCO),

*With reference* to Article 11 of the Agreement on the Establishment of AFoCO; and

*Taking note* of consideration and recommendation of the prospective members of AFoCO on the organizational symbol;

*Decides* to approve the organizational symbol of AFoCO as below:

#### I. About the Emblem



1. The symbol is designed by a combination of various circles, semicircles, and circular quadrants, and it resembles the alphabetical shape of "AFoCO."
2. The three colors used for the symbol represent all types of forest sustainably managed in harmony with all living creatures:
  - broad-leaved forests in the tropical/temperate region (light green)
  - coniferous forests in the boreal/alpine region (dark green)
  - inhabitants including wildlife and people (dark brown)
3. The horizontal line going through the center of the symbol visualizes equality and connectivity among people and the environment. Above this horizontal line lies all terrestrial ecosystems including mangrove habitats, and below the horizontal line reflects environment that are below ground. Together they represent various ecosystems of the earth where AFoCO aspires to make greener through action-oriented forest cooperation in Asia.

## II. Use of AFoCO Emblem

4. To shape our image of AFoCO in a cohesive and effective way, the use of AFoCO emblem will be specifically prescribed by a few sample combinations of symbol and logotype as shown below.

### Main Version



### Alternate Versions

Simple Vertical (Center-aligned)		
Full Combination (Horizontal/vertical)		
Abbreviation (Horizontal)		
Abbreviation (Vertical)		
Square		

## III. AFoCO Flag

5. The design for the flag is as below.

