<u>Thematic priorities</u>: The 4POW 2021-2024 consists of two technical-policy biennium: 2021-2022 and 2023-2024. Consistent with Annex II of ECOSOC resolution 2017/4, the Forum's odd- and even-year sessions for each biennium will be thematically linked on the basis of the GFGs and targets, taking into account the post-2020 programme of work of the High-Level Political Forum on Sustainable Development (HLPF). In order to carry out this guidance, would it be useful for the work programme to (check one):

a. x\_\_\_Identify three GFGs and associated targets as thematic priorities for a technical exchange of

GFG 5 -

In suggesting GFG 5 as the third most important priority, Nigeria is conscious of the fact that the adoption of appropriate, efficient and effective governance frameworks – across all levels (Sub-National, Regional and Internationally) and sectors (Public, Private, CSOs, NGOs etc) provides the foundation for ensuring linkages and complementarities to enhance Sustainable Forest Management. This can also be seen as having the potential of addressing GFG 6.

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