

## **A UN Environment Assembly Side Event**

The fundamental values of forests are widely recognized, especially in the context of climate change and sustaining biodiversity. Forests and oceans are the two lungs that sustain our planet's atmosphere. They regulate climate, rainfall patterns and global temperatures.

This UNEA side event on Forests and Life on Land offers an opportunity to highlight the importance of forests, from their contributions to economies and industry, to diversity and energy. High level speakers will discuss how forests are an integral part of the 2030 Agenda, and recent policy developments including the landmark adoption of the UN Strategic Plan for Forests 2030 by the UN General Assembly.

## 3 December 2017, 10:30 -13:30

Karura Forest Kenya Forest Service Headquarters, (Along Kiambu Road, Nairobi, Kenya)

