

60th session of the Timber Committee
6th meeting of the Forum Forestier Lémanique

Neuchâtel, Thursday, 26 September 2002

Joint meeting on innovative uses of wood: outlook for the 21st century
Revised programme

Time	Detailed Programme	Comments
08.00	Rendez-vous at the Place des Nations, Geneva	* TC participants and interested FFL members
08.15	Bus leaves Geneva (Place des Nations)	* Expected arrival in Neuchâtel: around 10.00
10.00	Rendez-vous in Neuchâtel at the "Bâtiment des Lettres" (University of Neuchâtel) - welcome of the participants - morning coffee	* For all FFL and TC participants * Meeting Room (RN 02)
	SEMINAR ON INNOVATIVE USES OF WOOD: OUTLOOK FOR THE 21ST CENTURY	
10.30	<u>Speeches of welcome</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Mr. Andrea Semadeni, Chief of Division, OFEFP ◦ Mr. Jeff Serveau, Chairman, Timber Committee ◦ Prof. Rodolphe Schlaepfer, Chairman of the FFL • Mr. Pierre Bonhôte, Conseiller communal de la ville de Neuchâtel (urbanisme, domaines et forêts) <u>Presentations</u>	* Languages: French and English
11.00	• Prof. Jean-Luc Sandoz (Switzerland): Innovative timber structures for a better use of wood: A contribution to sustainable development	
11.30	• Dr. Al Schuler (USA): Innovative uses of wood, promoting market development and support for forest sustainability	
12.00	<u>Closing Discussion</u> Questions and closing discussions (plenary)	* Facilitation: Mr. Rodolphe Schlaepfer
12.30	Lunch at the University of Neuchâtel (Restaurant de la Cité Universitaire)	* About 5-10 minutes walk from the Bâtiment des Lettres to the Cité Universitaire
13.45	BUSINESS MEETING OF THE FORUM FORESTIER LEMANIQUE - Report on activities and programme for future activities - Election of Steering Group and of the Chairman of the FFL	* Free time for Timber Committee delegates * Same meeting room as in the morning (RN 02)
	VISIT TO THE NEUCHATEL "ARTEPLAGE"	
14.15	<u>Presentations and closing speech</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr. Marcus Mooser (Director CEDOTEC): Presentation on wood use and EXPO.02 	* For all FFL and TC participants * Same meeting room as in the morning (RN 02)
15.00	<u>Closing ceremony</u> (at the Neuchâtel pavilion) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closing speech by Mr. Jean-Gustave Beguin (Président du Grand Conseil Neuchâtelois) • Aperitif offered by the City of Neuchâtel and Lignum Neuchâtel 	* About 5-10 minutes walk from the Bâtiment des Lettres to the Neuchâtel pavilion
15.45	GUIDED VISIT TO THE PALAIS DE L'EQUILIBRE	* Language: English
16.45	UNGUIDED VISIT TO THE NEUCHATEL "ARTEPLAGE"	
17.45	Bus leaves Neuchâtel for Geneva	* TC participants and interested FFL members
19.30	Bus arrives in Geneva (Place des Nations)	