

**PROCESS AND TIMELINES FOR REVIEW OF
MALAYSIAN CRITERIA AND INDICATORS FOR FOREST MANAGEMENT
CERTIFICATION (NATURAL FOREST) [MC&I(NATURAL FOREST)]**

Timeline	Activity
Preparation (Jul. 2015)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Stakeholder dialogue on proposal to consolidate MC&I(Natural Forest) and MC&I Forest Plantation.v2
Month 1 (Oct. 2015)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Announcement on Review of MC&I(Natural Forest), taking into account the outcome of the stakeholder dialogue
Month 2 – 4 (Nov. 2015 – Jan. 2016)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • First public comment (60-day) on review of MC&I(Natural Forest), with a view for streamlining with MC&I Forest Plantation.v2 • Initiate formation of multi-stakeholder Standards Review Committee (SRC)
Month 5 & 6 (Feb. – Mar. 2016)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Secretariat compiles/consolidates all comments/proposals received from the First public comment period and prepares a Working Draft 1 for the consideration of the SRC • Formation and formalisation of multi-stakeholder SRC
Month 7 & 8 (Apr. – May 2016)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • First Meeting of the SRC to consider the comments/proposals received from the First public comment period with <i>Working Draft 1</i> and prepares <i>Enquiry Draft 1</i> of the revised standard
Month 9 & 10 (Jun. – Jul. 2016)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Enquiry Draft 1 circulated and posted on MTCC web site for Second public comment (30-day) • Secretariat compiles comments and prepares Working Draft 2
Month 11 & 12 (Aug. – Sep. 2016)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Second Meeting of the SRC to considers the comments/proposals received from the Second public comment period with <i>Working Draft 2</i> and prepares <i>Enquiry Draft 2</i>
Month 13 – 15 (Oct. – Dec. 2016)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Secretariat organises and facilitates regional consultations (i.e. in Sabah, Sarawak and Peninsular Malaysia) on Enquiry Draft 2 with the stakeholder groups • Secretariat compiles comments and prepares Working Draft 3
Month 16 & 17 (Jan. – Feb. 2017)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Third Meeting of the SRC to consider the comments/proposals received from the regional consultations with <i>Working Draft 3</i> and prepares <i>Final Enquiry Draft</i>
Month 18 & 19 (Mar. – Apr. 2017)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Final Enquiry Draft circulated and posted on MTCC web site for third public comment (60-day) • Secretariat compiles comments and prepares Final Working Draft
Month 20 & 21 (May – Jun. 2017)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fourth Meeting of the SRC to consider and finalise revised standard after considering the comments received with <i>Final Working Draft</i>
Month 22 & 23 (Jul. – Aug. 2017)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Adoption of revised standard by MTCC Board of Trustees • Revised standard posted on the MTCC website and printed copies made available