

## **Plan of Action and Personal Commitment**

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My immediate plan of action, as a personal commitment to expand the impact of the forum would be as follows:

- Organizing two policy dialogues at a national level regarding the current global environmental governance and the importance of the same for developing countries like Ethiopia. I intend to organize the policy dialogue in the coming 3-4 months after the Geneva meeting. The organization, which I am heading, has enough resources to organize these national dialogues. All appropriate stakeholders will be invited to this function.
- Organizing a Horn of Africa regional discourse on environmental governance issues. This, I intend to do during the next Horn of Africa – Regional Environment Centre and Network (HoA-REC/N) meeting in October 2009 to take place in Khartoum.

The ideas emanating from both the national and regional dialogues will be formulated into recommendations to be submitted to the GEG Project Office and in case there emerge some action points to be followed up, I will take it forward in consultation with our colleagues here and at the Horn of Africa Regional Environmental Center/Network. Proper consultations have already been made with the focal person at HoAREC/N and it's warmly welcomed. I hope that I'll get more inspirations for more action after the meeting in Geneva.