

## FOREWORD

Demonstration Study on Carbon Fixing Forest Management was started in 2001 by Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) in collaboration with Forestry Research and Development Agency (FORDA), Ministry of Forestry in Indonesia to supply useful information and data necessary for the management of forestry under the Clean Development Mechanism (CDM) in the framework of Kyoto Protocol. Since then, the Study has produced several publications such as “Handbook on Forest Plantation Sector Business in Indonesia” as a manual for forestry investors, which provides information mainly on policies and regulations of forest plantation in Indonesia.

The Report titled “Survey on Silvicultural Techniques and Plantation Promoting Policies in Indonesia” was prepared as a series of manuals for forestry investors to provide useful information on plantation from the technical aspects. This Report covers the techniques on silviculture including seed collection, nursery establishment, plantation establishment, plantation management in addition to policies and regulations on plantation. It also provides brief information on community forestry with seven case studies which is expected to be useful for community forestry planners.

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We hope this Report could be beneficial and informative, and satisfy organizations and companies that show interest in forest plantations for carbon sequestration.

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