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ANNUAL STATUS REPORT for CAR

YEAR: 2016

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2. CAR coordinator (name, address, telephone, e-mail)	Rolf Björheden Skogforsk Uppsala Science Park 751 83 Uppsala +46-18 18 85 09 rolf.bjorheden@skogforsk.se
3. Duration	2016-2020
4. CAR status	Does the CAR develop according to plan? So far completely according to plan.but focus area coordinator Viktorija Rozentāle, LVM, has been replaced by Pirjo Venäläinen, Metsäteho, due to new work tasks.
5. Activities during the reporting year	CAR planning activities: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Yearly NB-NORD activities 2016-2020 decided by the NB-NORD Coordination Committee (meeting date 2016-03-13 --14)• Focus area work plans (thematic workshops planning)• Program for short term scientific mission stipends elaborated CAR Workshops and Conferences: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Workshop “Mechanized silvicultural operations” (http://urn.fi/URN:ISBN:978-952-326-182-2)• Workshop-webinar “High capacity transports and low volume roads” (meeting date 2016-10-18)

6. Results achieved during the reporting year	Apart from the proceedings from the workshops <i>Silvicultural operations</i> and from <i>Transport and low volume roads</i> , the main result is the comprehensive program for a Biennial CAR conference in cooperation with NOFOBE (www.nordicforestresearch.org/sns-research/car/nofobe-2016-2020).
7. Publishing and communication during the reporting year International scientific peer reviewed journals, other scientific publications, short communications, web etc.)	The procedure should be to publish results and other documents on the NB-NORD homepage, but this has not been fully functional. Therefore documents have been posted on participant homepages and shared on mail. This is the case for the following documents: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Silviculture Workshop proceedings at http://urn.fi/URN:ISBN:978-952-326-182-2 • Webinar minutes and Focus area work plans • Call for papers to the Biennial CAR Conference (joint with NOFOBE) 14-16/ in Lappeenranta, Finland
10. Short economic report (overview) of the reporting year	Total costs for the reporting year SEK 156.789 of which SEK 23.014 are travelling expenses. The remainder are Workshop venue and coordination costs. The surplus of the annual SNS-contribution c:a SEK 290.000 is carried over to 2017 and the joint CAR Conference activities
11. Date and signature	Date: 2017-02-08 Signature of CAR coordinator:  Rolf Björheden