



## INFORMATION NOTE FOR PARTICIPANTS

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### **Purpose**

This note provides participants with information on the content of the Regional Workshop on CDM and NAMAs, and contains links to relevant documentation. It will help participants prepare for the workshop, increasing the value of the event.

### **Background**

This first of a kind workshop on CDM and NAMAs will aim to facilitate sharing of experiences, lessons learnt and good practices in the process of preparation and implementation of NAMAs. It will also update DNAs and other stakeholders on recent development on priority areas of the CDM, as identified by the Conference of the Parties serving as the Meeting of the Parties to the Kyoto Protocol (CMP) at its last session, as well as to provide an opportunity for exchange of knowledge and experience among DNAs and practitioners to enable them to carry their role in the promotion and the implementation of the mechanism. Bilateral and multilateral agencies present at the workshop will provide participants with information on their NAMA support programmes. And countries will also be provided a platform -“NAMA Market Place”- to initiate dialogue with international organizations on potential support opportunities for implementation of their NAMAs. Further the workshop will also facilitate sharing of valuable lessons learned from CDM which are relevant for coordination of NAMA implementation.

The agenda comprises of 2 main pillars, “Training” and “Promotion of the CDM and NAMAs” with focus on finance, sustainable development co-benefits, stakeholder consultation, CDM PoAs, standardized baselines and the process of issuing letters of approval/authorization.

### **Objectives:**

#### **I. Training**

Enhance capacity of DNAs and mitigation experts to identify areas of improvement with regards to CDM LoAs approval process, on engaging in NAMA registry, conducting analysis of the sustainable development co-benefits of CDM and NAMAs, and on conducting an effective stakeholder consultation process. In addition, the aim is to update the participants on the current CDM requirements for PoAs and the recent developments in the regulatory framework; and to obtain their views and input for the improvement of this framework.

#### **II. Promotion of the CDM and NAMAs**

Showcase good practices in implementation of NAMAs, including on institutional arrangements to coordination preparation and implementation of NAMAs and national MRV systems. Showcase the current possible sources of finance for CDM and NAMAs, including from the Green Climate Fund (GCF), multilateral banks, national development agencies, and Nairobi Framework Partners. Additionally, to present the CDM Executive Board’s current strategy to increase demand for CERs through cooperation with the public and private sectors in compliance and voluntary markets.



## Paperless meetings

In an effort to reduce the environmental footprint of the workshop, the UNFCCC secretariat will provide participants the reference materials (presentations and supporting documentation) in an USB memory stick. Therefore, please **bring your laptop** to access the documents.

All materials used for this training will be posted in the DNA Forum Extranet (<https://cdm.unfccc.int/extranet/DNAForum/index.html>) and on NAMA webpage at: <http://unfccc.int/focus/mitigation/items/7429.php>

*NOTE: only documents required to solve the practical case studies will be handed out in printed format, to facilitate understanding and resolution.*

## Guiding Notes

### Opening Ceremony

The goal of this session is to welcome the participants to the workshop and explain how the topics that will be covered in this training are relevant for enhancing the regional distribution of the CDM and the development and implementation of NAMAs. The topics are LoAs approval process, sustainable development co-benefits, operation of NAMA registry, institutional arrangements, stakeholder consultation process, standardize baselines, CDM programmes of activities (PoAs), CDM and NAMA financing and MRV of NAMAs.

### Plenary 1: State of play - CDM and NAMAs

The goal of this session is to provide participants with an overview on the status of negotiations on CDM and NAMAs. It will highlight the role of these mitigation actions in contributing towards closing the pre-2020 ambition gap and contributing toward post 2020 climate regime. It will also update participants on the status of preparation and implementation of NAMAs in the region and on how the success of CDM can be further utilized.

### Reference materials:

- The report of the Conference of the Parties on its nineteenth session is available at: [http://unfccc.int/documentation/documents/advanced\\_search/items/6911.php?preref=600007786](http://unfccc.int/documentation/documents/advanced_search/items/6911.php?preref=600007786)
- Technical paper “Possible changes to the modalities and procedures for the clean development mechanism” that to be discussed at the 40th session of the Subsidiary Body for Implementation from 4 to 15 June 2014 in Bonn, Germany is available at: [http://unfccc.int/documentation/documents/advanced\\_search/items/3594.php?rec=j&preref=600007816](http://unfccc.int/documentation/documents/advanced_search/items/3594.php?rec=j&preref=600007816)
- All the information related to NAMAs can be found at: <http://unfccc.int/focus/mitigation/items/7172.php>
- All the NAMAs submitted to the secretariat is contained in document FCCC/SBI/2013/INF.12/Rev.2 and found at: [http://unfccc.int/documentation/documents/advanced\\_search/items/6911.php?preref=600007348](http://unfccc.int/documentation/documents/advanced_search/items/6911.php?preref=600007348)



- All the NAMAs submitted to NAMA registry can be found at:  
[http://unfccc.int/cooperation\\_support/nama/items/8184.php](http://unfccc.int/cooperation_support/nama/items/8184.php)

## Plenary 2: Institutional Arrangements

During this session the roles and examples of the structure of Designated National Authorities will be described. In addition, presentations on robust institutional arrangements for national mitigation efforts and how the existing CDM institutional arrangements could be utilized for NAMAs, will also be presented.

### Reference materials:

- The relevant provisions related to the roles of the DNAs in the CDM Project Standard v. 07.0 (paragraphs 33, 78, 79, 160, 186, 187 for CDM PAs, and paragraphs 213, 226-232 for CDM PoAs) can be found on the UNFCCC website at:  
[https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140624190848314/reg\\_stan01.pdf](https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140624190848314/reg_stan01.pdf)
- The relevant provisions related to the role of the DNAs with regard to the DNA acceptance of default values of fraction of non-renewable biomass can be found in the sixty-seventh CDM Executive Board report, paragraphs 92 and 93, at:  
[http://cdm.unfccc.int/filestorage/X/7/M/X7MEF9AQPBO51NL1RK64VG28JTC3S/eb67\\_report.pdf?t=MIh8bmFrNHIfDDc4VkS5QFVO31Y50bzMhNI](http://cdm.unfccc.int/filestorage/X/7/M/X7MEF9AQPBO51NL1RK64VG28JTC3S/eb67_report.pdf?t=MIh8bmFrNHIfDDc4VkS5QFVO31Y50bzMhNI)
- The relevant provisions related to the role of the DNAs with regard to proposals of specific renewable technologies/measures to be approved by the Board as conferring automatic additionality on microscale CDM project activities implemented in their Party country can be found in the procedure “Submission and consideration of microscale renewable energy technologies for automatic additionality. Version 02.0”, Annex 33 of the sixty-fifth CDM Executive Board report, at:  
[https://cdm.unfccc.int/Reference/Procedures/methSSC\\_proc04.pdf](https://cdm.unfccc.int/Reference/Procedures/methSSC_proc04.pdf)
- The relevant provisions related to the role of the DNAs with regard to the “*Process for dealing with letters from DNAs that withdraw approval/authorization*, version 01.0”, Annex 12 of the seventy-sixth CDM Executive Board report, can be found at:  
[https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20131111130016249/reg\\_proc10.pdf](https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20131111130016249/reg_proc10.pdf)
- The relevant provisions related to the role of the DNAs with regard to the procedure for direct communication with the Executive Board are established in the procedure “Modalities and procedures for direct communication with stakeholders, Version 01.0”, Annex 15 of the sixty-second CDM Executive Board report, and can be found at:  
[https://cdm.unfccc.int/Reference/Procedures/eb\\_proc03.pdf](https://cdm.unfccc.int/Reference/Procedures/eb_proc03.pdf)
- Tool kit on establishing and maintaining institutional arrangements for preparation national communications and biennial update reports from non-Annex I Parties:  
[http://unfccc.int/files/national\\_reports/non-annex\\_i\\_natcom/training\\_material/methodological\\_documents/application/pdf/unfccc\\_mda\\_toolkit\\_131108\\_ly.pdf](http://unfccc.int/files/national_reports/non-annex_i_natcom/training_material/methodological_documents/application/pdf/unfccc_mda_toolkit_131108_ly.pdf)

## Breakout session 1: National Approval Process / NAMA Registry



This breakout session is divided in two groups.

- **Group 1** will discuss the **CDM National Approval Process**. This session will allow DNA representatives to share experiences and get a better understanding of the approval process of CDM projects and PoAs: find alternatives to improve the approval process, discuss best practices and the standard content of LoAs for different projects and PoAs based on their scale, type, and if they are multi-country or single-country projects or PoAs.

Participants will solve the case studies with support from a facilitator.

**Role of the DNA representatives:** *DNA representatives are invited to participate actively in the resolution of case studies that will illustrate the appropriate content of LoAs based on scale, type, and whether they are multi-country or single-country projects or PoAs.*

- **Group 2** will have a discussion on overview, status, role and importance of NAMA registry. In accordance with the COP decisions (1/CP16, paragraph 53, 2/CP17 paragraph 45), UNFCCC secretariat has set up NAMA registry to facilitate matching of mitigation actions in the developing countries with the International support and to provide recognition to NAMAs that are implemented with domestic resources.

Participants will identify barriers related to submission of information on NAMAs and support to the registry and identify solutions to those barriers. The break out session will also focus on areas of improvements in the existing web-based platform. In addition to that participants will brainstorm to visualize the vision or the role of registry and its operation in pre-2020 and post 2020 climate change regime.

**Role of participants:** *Participants are invited to participate actively in the brainstorming session to contribute for further improvement in the NAMAs registry operation and guide the future direction and role for the registry in pre and post 2020 climate change regime.*

## Reference materials:

### Group 1 - National Approval Process

- The relevant requirements related to LoAs in the CDM Project Standard v. 07.0 (paragraphs 78, 79, 186 for CDM PAs, and paragraphs 226-232 for CDM PoAs) can be found on the UNFCCC website at:  
[https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140624190848314/reg\\_stan01.pdf](https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140624190848314/reg_stan01.pdf)
- The relevant requirements related to LoAs for bundling of project activities are in the General Principles for Bundling, EB66 Annex 21, v.02.0, which can be found on the UNFCCC website at: [http://cdm.unfccc.int/Reference/Guidclarif/ssc/methSSC\\_stan01.pdf](http://cdm.unfccc.int/Reference/Guidclarif/ssc/methSSC_stan01.pdf)
- The relevant requirements related to the LoA for CDM Carbon Dioxide Capture and Storage (CCS) project activities can be found on the UNFCCC website at:  
[https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140408181730563/methCCS\\_guid02.pdf](https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140408181730563/methCCS_guid02.pdf)



- The relevant requirements related to the LoA in the CDM Project Cycle Procedure v. 07.0 (paragraphs 180 and 258-260, 265) can be found on the UNFCCC website at: [https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140624190732727/pc\\_proc01.pdf](https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140624190732727/pc_proc01.pdf)
- The relevant requirements for the validation of the LoAs in the CDM Validation and Verification Standard v.07.0 (paragraphs 39-53) can be found on the UNFCCC website at [https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140624190900246/accr\\_stan02.pdf](https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140624190900246/accr_stan02.pdf)
- The Process for dealing with letters from DNAs that withdraw approval/authorization is available at: [http://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20131111130016249/reg\\_proc10.pdf](http://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20131111130016249/reg_proc10.pdf)

## Group 2 - NAMA Registry

- Annual report on registry operation: [https://unfccc.int/documentation/documents/advanced\\_search/items/6911.php?priref=600007593](https://unfccc.int/documentation/documents/advanced_search/items/6911.php?priref=600007593)
- Report on the extent of matching: [http://unfccc.int/documentation/documents/advanced\\_search/items/6911.php?priref=600007959](http://unfccc.int/documentation/documents/advanced_search/items/6911.php?priref=600007959)
- To view the registry and relevant COP decisions and documents visit : [http://unfccc.int/cooperation\\_support/nama/items/8184.php](http://unfccc.int/cooperation_support/nama/items/8184.php)

## Plenary 3: Enhancement of participation of stakeholders, key to success of mitigation activities

Goal of the session: the right to public participation in decision-making is recognized in the context of environmental issues, including climate change. Robust stakeholder consultation standards are required under existing international obligations and under the CDM. This session is focused on exploring the benefits of enhanced consultation process and the current rules and to provide room for improvements on how to conduct and assess local stakeholder consultation in the context of CDM and NAMAs.

## Reference materials:

- The relevant requirements related to the local stakeholder consultation in the CDM Project Standard for project activities v.07.0 (paragraphs 73-77) and for PoAs (paragraphs 224-225) can be found at: [https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140624190848314/reg\\_stan01.pdf](https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140624190848314/reg_stan01.pdf)
- The relevant requirements for the validation of the to the local stakeholder consultation in the CDM validation and verification standard v.07.0 (paragraphs 145-147, for project activities and paragraphs 246-247) can be found at: [https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140624190900246/accr\\_stan02.pdf](https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140624190900246/accr_stan02.pdf)

## Breakout session 2 - Local Stakeholder Consultation process + Financing

This breakout session is divided in two groups.

- **Group 1** will discuss the **CDM Local Stakeholder Consultation process**. This session aims at sharing the experience in the local stakeholder consultation process having different views from DNAs and project participants: key elements for proper consultation processes that enhance the engagement of stakeholders; requirements set by DNAs and how the results of the consultations are assessed; reaching at joint conclusions on the most relevant elements of best practices of local stakeholder consultation.

**Role of the DNA representatives:** *DNA representatives are invited to participate actively in the discussions after the presentations on local stakeholder consultation from different actors involved and to ask questions they may have about the DNA's requirements for the local stakeholder consultation process, exploring the benefits of enhanced consultation process.*

- Group 2 will consider investment approaches for leveraging financing from private sector. 95% of all investment in developing countries is from private-sector sources. Private sector finance is essential if we are to decarbonise the world economy and achieve climate-resilient development. Participants will discuss policy measures to incentivize private sector investment.

Reference materials:

### Group 1 - Local Stakeholder Consultation process

- The relevant requirements related to the local stakeholder consultation in the CDM Project Standard for project activities v.07.0 (paragraphs 73-77) and for PoAs (paragraphs 224-225) can be found at:  
[https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140624190848314/reg\\_stan01.pdf](https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140624190848314/reg_stan01.pdf)
- The relevant requirements for the validation of the to the local stakeholder consultation in the CDM validation and verification standard v.07.0 (paragraphs 145-147, for project activities and paragraphs 246-247) can be found at:  
[https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140624190900246/accr\\_stan02.pdf](https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140624190900246/accr_stan02.pdf)

### Group 2 – Financing

- Please refer to material used in previous regional workshop on NAMAs and for this workshop's presentation at: <http://unfccc.int/focus/mitigation/items/7429.php>

### Plenary 4: Finance and technical support

This plenary aims at describing the financial resources and access modalities that are available for CDM and NAMA projects. The potential beneficiaries of the CDM Loan Scheme and how to apply for it will be explained as well as investment approaches for leveraging private sector financing for mitigation actions and the German initiative on the NAMA Facility.

Reference materials:

- The UNFCCC Loan Scheme for CDM website can be accessed at:  
<http://www.cdmloanscheme.org/>





- Please refer to material used in previous regional workshop on NAMAs and for this workshop's presentation at: <http://unfccc.int/focus/mitigation/items/7429.php>

### Plenary 5: Sustainable Development co-benefits of mitigation actions

Goal: there are no defined procedures outlining how the assessment of Sustainable Development (SD) co-benefits should be conducted by a DNA in the context of CDM or by NAMA developers in the context of NAMAs. In the case of CDM, DNAs have their own practices with regard to assessing the contribution of projects to SD and subsequent monitoring. This session aims at sharing different approaches to identify and monitor SD co-benefits. Furthermore, views and expectations on the SD tool approved by the CDM Executive Board and the SD Monitoring Guidelines for DNAs (to be developed by the secretariat) will be shared among participants.

#### Reference materials:

- The voluntary tool for describing sustainable development co-benefits (SDC) can be found at the "Tools" section of the UNFCCC website:  
<http://cdm.unfccc.int/Reference/tools/index.html>
- The relevant requirements related to the description of the contribution of the project activity or PoA to sustainable development in the CDM Project Standard v. 07.0 (paragraphs 37, 79, 229) can be found at:  
[https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140624190848314/reg\\_stan01.pdf](https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140624190848314/reg_stan01.pdf)
- The relevant requirements for the validation of the contribution to sustainable development in the CDM validation and verification standard v. 07.0 (paragraphs 40, 51-53) can be found at [https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140624190900246/accr\\_stan02.pdf](https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140624190900246/accr_stan02.pdf)
- Please refer to material used in previous regional workshop on NAMAs and for this workshop's presentation at: <http://unfccc.int/focus/mitigation/items/7429.php>

### Breakout session 2 - Sustainable Development

This breakout session is divided in two groups.

- **Group 1** will discuss the **Guiding tool for DNAs on SD benefits monitoring**. The goal of this session is to share the experience and views of DNA representatives in order to reach conclusions on best practices to identify and monitor SD co-benefits of a project throughout its lifetime.

**Role of the DNA representatives:** *DNA representatives are invited to ask any questions on what is necessary to identify and monitor SD of a project.*

- **Group 2** will discuss approaches to identifying, quantifying, monitoring and reporting sustainable development co-benefits in the context of NAMAs.

**Reference materials:****Group 1 - Guiding tool for DNAs on SD benefits monitoring**

- The voluntary tool for describing sustainable development co-benefits (SDC) can be found at the “Tools” section of the UNFCCC website:  
<http://cdm.unfccc.int/Reference/tools/index.html>
- The relevant requirements related to the description of the contribution of the project activity or PoA to sustainable development in the CDM Project Standard v. 07.0 (paragraphs 37, 79, 229) can be found at:  
[https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140624190848314/reg\\_stan01.pdf](https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140624190848314/reg_stan01.pdf)
- The relevant requirements for the validation of the contribution to sustainable development in the CDM validation and verification standard v. 07.0 (paragraphs 40, 51-53) can be found at [https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140624190900246/accr\\_stan02.pdf](https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140624190900246/accr_stan02.pdf)

**Group 2 - SD for NAMAs**

- Please refer to material used in previous regional workshop on NAMAs and for this workshop’s presentation at: <http://unfccc.int/focus/mitigation/items/7429.php>

**Plenary 6: Standardized Baselines**

This session will describe the steps for submitting standardized baseline and the evaluation and approval process post- submission. In addition, there will be a dedicated presentation on how the CDM experience on standardized baselines could be used to develop NAMAs.

**Reference materials:**

- The form for submission of proposed standardized baselines is available at the “forms” section of the UNFCCC website under the section Methodology - Standardized Baselines”- New Standardized Baseline” at:  
[https://cdm.unfccc.int/Reference/PDDs\\_Forms/index.html#sbs](https://cdm.unfccc.int/Reference/PDDs_Forms/index.html#sbs)
- The guidelines for the establishment of sector-specific standardized baselines are available on the UNFCCC website at:  
[http://cdm.unfccc.int/Reference/Guidclarif/meth/meth\\_guid42.pdf](http://cdm.unfccc.int/Reference/Guidclarif/meth/meth_guid42.pdf)
- The guidelines on quality assurance and quality control of data used in the establishment of standardized baselines are available on the UNFCCC website at:  
[https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140605162814672/meth\\_guid46.pdf](https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140605162814672/meth_guid46.pdf)
- The standard for determining coverage of data and validity of standardized baselines is available on the UNFCCC website at:  
[https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140303103011788/MethSB\\_stan01.pdf](https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140303103011788/MethSB_stan01.pdf)





- The procedure for development, revision, clarification and update of standardized baselines is available on the UNFCCC website at:  
[http://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20131128162823391/Meth\\_proc07\\_ver03.1.pdf](http://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20131128162823391/Meth_proc07_ver03.1.pdf)

#### Break out session 4 – Standardized baselines

DNAs expressed the need for guidance in the development of relevant standardized baselines (SBs) in their countries. The goal of this session is to follow up with DNAs who have already submitted standardized baselines, and to provide guidance for DNAs who wish to submit a standardized baseline or are interested in getting familiar with this concept and the process to submit SBs. A presentation to provide support for submitting a proposed standardized baseline will be provided (Proposed standardized baseline submission form developed using the: 1) "Guidelines for the establishment of sector specific standardized baselines" and 2) "Methodological approach contained in an approved methodology").

**Role of the DNA representatives:** *DNA representatives that have already submitted standardized baselines are invited to ask any questions they may have on post submission steps of SB evaluation and approval and DNAs who wish to get familiar with SBs and/or wish to submit a standardized baseline are invited to ask for guidance as needed, including specific questions on how to choose either of the two options for the proposed standardised baseline submission form and how to complete it.*

#### Reference materials:

- The form for submission of proposed standardized baselines is available at the "forms" section of the UNFCCC website:  
[https://cdm.unfccc.int/Reference/PDDs\\_Forms/index.html#sbs](https://cdm.unfccc.int/Reference/PDDs_Forms/index.html#sbs)
- The guidelines for the establishment of sector-specific standardized baselines are available on the UNFCCC website at:  
[http://cdm.unfccc.int/Reference/Guidclarif/meth/meth\\_guid42.pdf](http://cdm.unfccc.int/Reference/Guidclarif/meth/meth_guid42.pdf)
- The guidelines on quality assurance and quality control of data used in the establishment of standardized baselines are available on the UNFCCC website at:  
[https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140605162814672/meth\\_guid46.pdf](https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140605162814672/meth_guid46.pdf)
- The standard for determining coverage of data and validity of standardized baselines is available on the UNFCCC website at:  
[https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140303103011788/MethSB\\_stan01.pdf](https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140303103011788/MethSB_stan01.pdf)
- The procedure for development, revision, clarification and update of standardized baselines is available on the UNFCCC website at:  
[http://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20131128162823391/Meth\\_proc07\\_ver03.1.pdf](http://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20131128162823391/Meth_proc07_ver03.1.pdf)

#### Plenary 7: PoA / MRV



This plenary session will cover some particular CDM and NAMA regulatory topics, i.e. CDM Programme of Activities (CDM PoAs), and NAMA Measurement, Reporting and Verification (MRV). A brief overview of the PoA concept and its specific regulatory requirements will be delivered, including the latest updates on these provisions. Presentations from Parties on their National MRV systems will be shared, and how the PoA concept could be applied to NAMAs will be also presented. Lastly, a presentation on NAMA ex ante and ex post evaluation framework will be delivered.

#### Reference materials:

- The CDM Project Standard v.07.0 includes the relevant requirements for the design of a PoA, and can be accessed at:  
[https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140624190848314/reg\\_stan01.pdf](https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140624190848314/reg_stan01.pdf)
- The Standard for the Demonstration of additionality, development of eligibility criteria and application of multiple methodologies for PoAs, version 03.0 and the amendment to this standard (EB 80) can be found at:
  - 1) [http://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20130729142721859/meth\\_stan04.pdf](http://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20130729142721859/meth_stan04.pdf)
  - 2) [https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140721153228939/meth\\_amen01.pdf](https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140721153228939/meth_amen01.pdf)
- The standard for Sampling and surveys for CDM project activities and programme of activities 0 and the amendment to this standard (EB 80) can be found at:
  - 1) [http://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20131128104214283/meth\\_stan05.pdf](http://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20131128104214283/meth_stan05.pdf)
  - 2) [https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140721153413674/meth\\_amen02.pdf](https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140721153413674/meth_amen02.pdf)
- The relevant requirements for the validation and verification of PoAs in CDM Validation and Verification Standard v.07.0 can be found at:  
[https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140624190900246/accr\\_stan02.pdf](https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140624190900246/accr_stan02.pdf)
- The relevant requirements related to the PoA in the CDM Project Cycle Procedure v. 07.0 can be found at:  
[https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140624190732727/pc\\_proc01.pdf](https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140624190732727/pc_proc01.pdf)

#### Breakout session 5 – PoA & NAMA Marketplace

This breakout session is divided in two groups.

- **Group 1** will discuss **PoA Development and Promotion**. The goal of this session is to share views on the roles of the DNAs in promoting PoAs and approving LoAs for PoAs, and to jointly arrive to conclusions on best practices and possible improvement for these activities carried out by DNAs.

**Role of the DNA representatives:** DNA representatives are invited to discuss different alternatives to in promote the development of PoAs taking into consideration the particular conditions of regions



*and countries; and ask questions regarding the approval process of LoAs for PoAs, and to jointly arrive to conclusions on best practices and possible improvement for these activities carried out by DNAs.*

- **Group 2** will consist of panel presentation by international organizations on their NAMA support programmes. Further, as a part of the NAMA Market place, a handful of countries seeking support for implementation will present their proposal to international organizations for feedback and to initiate funding discussion.

## Reference materials:

### Group 1 - PoA Development and Promotion

- The CDM Project Standard v.07.0 includes the relevant requirements for the design of a PoA, and can be accessed at:  
[https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140624190848314/reg\\_stan01.pdf](https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140624190848314/reg_stan01.pdf)
- The relevant requirements related to issuance of LoAs in the CDM Project Standard v. 07.0 for CDM PoAs (paragraphs 226-232) can be found on the UNFCCC website at:  
[https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140624190848314/reg\\_stan01.pdf](https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140624190848314/reg_stan01.pdf)
- The relevant requirements for the validation of the LoAs in the CDM Validation and Verification Standard v.07.0 (paragraphs 39-53) can be found on the UNFCCC website at  
[https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140624190900246/accr\\_stan02.pdf](https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140624190900246/accr_stan02.pdf)
- The relevant requirements related to the LoA in the CDM Project Cycle Procedure v. 07.0 (paragraphs 180 and 265) can be found on the UNFCCC website at:  
[https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140624190732727/pc\\_proc01.pdf](https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20140624190732727/pc_proc01.pdf)

### Group 2 - NAMA Marketplace

- Please refer to material used in previous regional workshop on NAMAs and for this workshop's presentation at: <http://unfccc.int/focus/mitigation/items/7429.php>

## Plenary 8: Way forward

In light of the current climate change negotiations and the new domestic development, the CDM continue to be relevant with its potential as a net mitigation and MRV tool, its potential to scale-up and for constituting the basis for the emerging ETS in many developing countries.

This session will include a presentation on the roles of the CDM and NAMA in the pre-2020 and post 2020 climate regime and a presentation on the recent developments of the CDM to enhance demand and improve supply of CERs.

**Reference materials:**

- The procedure for implementing voluntary cancellation in the CDM Registry can be found at:  
<https://cdm.unfccc.int/Registry/index.html>

**Plenary 9: Interaction session between DNAs and the Chair of the CDM Executive Board and the Director of SDM**

The goal of this last plenary is to have an interactive session for DNAs representatives to have the opportunity to communicate with the CDM Executive Board Chair and the Director of SDM on the position of CDM in the Latin American and the Caribbean region, the particular concerns that DNAs have while carrying out their role and responsibilities, and how the CDM would remain relevant for the future.

***DNA representatives are specially requested to prepare for providing the CDM Executive Board Chair and the Director of SDM their perspectives on:***

***Outlook on the CDM in Latin American and the Caribbean***  
***Constraints of DNAs in carrying out their role and responsibilities***  
***How the CDM would remain relevant for the future?***