

Background

Workshop on the review of CDM modalities and procedures

Bonn, Germany, 8–9 June 2013



Mandated activities

- Decision 3/CMP.1 (Marrakesh text)
 - First M&P review to be carried out by end-2013 (“no later than one year after the end of the first commitment period”)

- Decision 5/CMP.8 (Doha)
 - Reiterated that the first review to be done by CMP 9
 - Invited submissions from Parties and observers
 - Requested the CDM Executive Board to submit recommendations, based on EB, secretariat and stakeholder experience
 - Mandated the current workshop to facilitate progress on the review
 - Requested SBI 39 to submit recommendations to CMP 9 on possible changes to the CDM modalities and procedures, with a view to CMP 9 adopting a decision on this matter at that session



Review of other M&P

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| Simplified M&P for small-scale CDM project activities (decision 4/CMP.1, annex II) | Covered also by the mandate for review in decision 3/CMP.1 |
| M&P for afforestation and reforestation CDM project activities in the first commitment period (decision 5/CMP.1) | First review was to take place by end-2011, but did not take place |
| Simplified M&P for small-scale afforestation and reforestation project activities (decision 6/CMP.1) | Standing mandate to the EB to review the M&P and possibly make recommendations to the CMP |
| M&P for CCS in geological formations as CDM project activities (decision 10/CMP.7) | First review is to take place by 2016 |



Documentation

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| Party/observer submissions | FCCC/SBI/2013/MISC.1 |
| EB recommendations | FCCC/SBI/2013/INF.1 |
| NGO submissions (webpage) | http://unfccc.int/parties_observers/ngo/submissions/items/3689.php |

