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1. Introduction

The SIAR Part 1 report assesses the completeness of a Party's annual submission with regard to its national registry. Each section contains questions related to the specific items to be assessed.

1.1. Overall assessment

Ref Nr	Requirement	Assessment
P1.1.1	Submission complete?	
	Information has been provided pursuant to paragraphs 11 to 18 in section I.E of the annex to decision 15/CMP.1, paragraph 32 in section II.E of the annex to decision 15/CMP.1 and the further guidance by the SIAR guidelines?	[x]Yes []No
P1.1.2	Public Information Provided?	
	Information has been provided pursuant to paragraphs 44 to 48 in section I.E of the annex to decision 13/CMP.1?	[x]Yes []No
P1.1.3	Explanation of how the previous Annual Review recommendations have been addressed?	[x]Yes []No []NA

2. Accounting of Kyoto Protocol units

The purpose of this section is to indicate whether information has been reported by the Party in its annual submission pursuant to paragraphs 11 to 18 in section I.E of the annex to decision 15/CMP.1.

Ref Nr	Requirement	Assessment	Comments	
15/CMP.1 annex I.E paragraph 11				
Standard	d electronic format (SEF)			
P1.2.1	14/CMP.1 annex I. paragraph 3			
	Has the Party transferred or acquired any Kyoto Protocol units in the reporting period or in any year prior to the reporting year?	[x]Yes[]No	The Party has transferred or acquired Kyoto Protocol units during or prior to the reported period as indicated in [SEF] and [SEFCR].	
	(If yes, Party is required to submit the SEF report)			
P1.2.2	15/CMP.1 annex I.E paragraph 11			
	Has the Party provided a report in the SEF containing the information required by paragraph 11 of the annex to decision 15/CMP.1?		The Party's SEF report [SEF] was made available to assessors by 15/04/2014	
	(Yes is also indicated when the Party has not submitted a SEF and was not required to do so)			
15/CMP.	1 annex I.E paragraph 12			
Discrepa	ant transactions			
P1.2.3	Has the transaction log identified discrepancies in transactions proposed by the Party?	[]Yes [x]No	The ITL identified no discrepancies with transactions proposed by the Party during the reported period (see [RRITL], Report R-2).	
P1.2.4	Has Party reported all discrepancies as required by paragraph 12 of the annex to decision 15/CMP.1?	[x]Yes []No	The Party reported that no discrepancies occurred during the reported period. The information has been verified and matches the ITL records (see [RRITL], report R-2).	

Ref Nr	Requirement	Assessment	Comments
15/CMP.	1 annex I.E paragraph 13		
Reversal	of storage notifications		
P1.2.5	Has the transaction log issued reversal of storage notifications to the Party's national registry?	[]Yes [x]No	The ITL identified no reversal of storage notifications to the Party's national registry during the reported period (see [RRITL], Report R-3).
P1.2.6	Has Party reported all notifications directing it to replace ICERs in accordance with paragraph 49 of the annex to decision 5/CMP.1?	[x]Yes []No	The Party reported that no reversal of storage notifications was addressed to its national registry during the reported period. The information has been verified and matches the ITL records (see [RRITL], report R-3).
15/CMP.1	1 annex I.E paragraph 14		
Non-cert	ification notifications		
P1.2.7	Has the transaction log issued non-certification notifications to the Party's national registry?	[]Yes [x]No	The ITL identified no non-certification notifications to the Party's national registry during the reported period (see [RRITL], Report R-3).
P1.2.8	Has the Party reported all notifications to replace ICERs in accordance with paragraph 50 of the annex to decision 5/CMP.1?	[x]Yes []No	The Party reported that no non-certification notifications were addressed to its national registry during the reported period. The information has been verified and matches the ITL records (see [RRITL], report R-3).
15/CMP.	1 annex I.E paragraph 15		
Non-repl	acement		
P1.2.9	Has the transaction log a record of non-replacement for this Party?	[]Yes [x]No	The ITL identified no non-replacement notifications to the Party's national registry during the reported period (see [RRITL], Report R-3).

accordecis 15/CMP.1 annex Inconsistencies P1.2.11 Has t trans. termi	Party reported all non-replacements in ordance with paragraph 56 of the annex to sion 5/CMP.1?	[x]Yes []No	The Party reported that no non-replacement notifications were addressed to its national registry during the reported period. The		
P1.2.11 Has t trans termi			information has been verified and matches the ITL records (see [RRITL], report R-3).		
P1.2.11 Has t trans termi	ex I.E paragraph 16				
trans termi	es from discrepant transactions				
P1.2.12 Has F	the transaction log identified discrepant sactions proposed by the Party that were not hinated or cancelled?	[]Yes [x]No	The ITL did not identify discrepant transactions proposed by the Party that were not terminated or cancelled.		
towar parag	Party reported on units that are not valid for use ards compliance with commitments under Article 3, agraph 1, pursuant to paragraph 43 (b) of the ex to decision 13/CMP.1?	[x]Yes []No	The Party reported that its national registry does not hold units that are not valid for use towards compliance with commitments under Article 3, paragraph 1.		
	ex I.E paragraph 17				
Actions and ch	hanges to address discrepancies				
proble chang discre previo	Party reported actions taken to correct any olem that caused a discrepancy to occur, any nges to the national registry to prevent a repancy from reoccurring, or the resolution of any riously identified questions of implementation aining to transactions?	[x]Yes []No	The Party reported that there were no actions necessary to undertake to correct problems that caused discrepancies from occurring, or to prevent discrepancies from reoccurring. There were no actions necessary to address questions of implementation pertaining to transactions.		
15/CMP.1 annex I.E paragraph 18 CPR Calculation					

Ref Nr	Requirement	Assessment	Comments
P1.2.14	Has Party reported the calculation of its commitment period reserve?	[x]Yes []No	Party notes in [RESPONSE] The latest version of PL NIR 2014 (May 2014) in Chapter 12.5 of the report was supplemented with information on the CPR calculation method as follows: The value of commitment period reserve presented in the registry - 2 012 046 833 tons of eq. CO2 – was calculated as 100 per cent of five times the most recently reviewed inventory, which amounts to 402 409 367 tones of eq. CO2 emissions in 2010, and was approved during the review in 2012. The CPR value was introduced into the system on 18th of March 2013, after publication of the 2012 inventory results on UNFCCC pages (FCCC/ARR/2012/POL. 18 March 2013. UNFCCC). 5*402 409 367 tones of eq. CO2 = 2 012 046 833 tons of eq. CO2

3. National Registry Change

If a change to a Party's national registry has been identified under paragraph 22 of the annex to decision 15/CMP.1 then information relating to this change should be submitted by the Party in accordance with paragraph 32 of the annex to decision 15/CMP.1.

The baseline for reporting changes of national registry is the information provided by the Party in its last submission.

Ref Nr	Requirement	Submission complete?	Item changed during reported period?	Comments
P1.3.1	15/CMP.1 annex II.E paragraph 32.(a) Change of name or contact Has the Party reported changes to the name or contact information of the registry administrator?	[x]Yes []No	[]Yes [x]No	In [NIR] Chapter 14, page 263, the Party states that no changes have been made to the name and contact information of the registry administrator.
P1.3.2	15/CMP.1 annex II.E paragraph 32.(b) Change of cooperation arrangement Has the Party reported changes to the names of the other Parties with which they cooperate in maintaining their national registry consolidated?	[x]Yes []No	[]Yes [x]No	In [NIR] Chapter 14 page 263, the Party states that no changes have been made to its cooperation arrangements.
P1.3.3	15/CMP.1 annex II.E paragraph 32.(c) Change to the database or the capacity of National Registry Has the Party reported a change to the database structure or capacity of the national registry?	[x]Yes []No	[x]Yes []No	In [NIR] Chapter 14 page 263 the Party states that changes have been made to the database structure of its national registry.

Ref Nr	Requirement	Submission complete?	Item changed during reported period?	Comments
P1.3.4	15/CMP.1 annex II.E paragraph 32.(d) Change of conformance to technical standards Has the Party reported a change to how the national registry conforms to the technical standards for data exchange between registry systems?	[x]Yes []No	[x]Yes []No	In [NIR] Chapter 14 page 263, the Party states that no changes have been made to the conformance to technical standards by its national registry. The Party states that changes have been introduced in release 5 and 6 of the national registry were limited and only affected EU ETS functionality. However, each release of the registry is subject to both regression testing and tests related to new functionality. These tests also include thorough testing against the DES and were successfully carried out prior to the relevant major release of the version to Production (see [NIR] Annex 9).
P1.3.5	15/CMP.1 annex II.E paragraph 32.(e) Change of discrepancies procedures Has the Party reported a change to the procedures employed in the national registry to minimize discrepancies?	[x]Yes []No	[]Yes [x]No	In [NIR] Chapter 14 page 263, the Party states that no changes have been made to the procedures employed in its national registry to minimize discrepancies.

Ref Nr	Requirement	Submission complete?	Item changed during reported period?	Comments
P1.3.6	15/CMP.1 annex II.E paragraph 32.(f) Change of Security Has the Party reported a change to the security measures employed in the national registry to prevent unauthorized manipulations and to prevent operator error?	[x]Yes []No	[]Yes [x]No	In [NIR] Chapter 14 page 263, the Party states that no changes have been made to the security measures employed in its national registry.
P1.3.7	15/CMP.1 annex II.E paragraph 32.(g) Change of list of publicly available information Has the Party reported a change to the list of publicly accessible information?	[x]Yes []No	[]Yes [x]No	In [NIR] Chapter 14 page 263, the Party states that no changes have been made to the list of publicly available information accessible by means of the user interface of its national registry.
P1.3.8	15/CMP.1 annex II.E paragraph 32.(h) Change of Internet address Has the Party reported a change to the Internet address of the national registry?	[x]Yes []No	[]Yes [x]No	In [NIR] Chapter 14 page 263, the Party states that no changes have been made to the Internet address of its national registry.
P1.3.9	15/CMP.1 annex II.E paragraph 32.(i) Change of data integrity measure Has the Party reported a change to the measures ensuring the integrity of data storage and the recovery of registry services in the event of a disaster?	[x]Yes []No	[]Yes [x]No	In [NIR] Chapter 14 page 263, the Party states that no changes have been made to the data integrity measures.

Ref Nr	Requirement	Submission complete?	Item changed during reported period?	Comments
P1.3.10	15/CMP.1 annex II.E paragraph 32.(j) Change of test results Has the Party reported a change to the results of any test procedures?	[x]Yes []No	[x]Yes []No	In [NIR] Chapter 14 page 263, the Party states that changes have been made to the results of its test procedures. Both regression testing and tests on the new functionality were successfully carried out prior to release of the version to Production environment. The site acceptance test was carried out by quality assurance consultants on behalf of and assisted by the European Commission; the report is attached in [NIR] Annex 9.

4. Public information

This section provides information on the completeness of public information provided pursuant to part E of the annex to 13/CMP.1, paragraphs 44 to 48 inclusive.

Paragraph 44 of the annex to decision 13/CMP.1 requires the national registry to make non-confidential information publicly available.

Ref Nr	Requirement	Submission complete	Has party identified this type of information confidential?	Comments
P1.4.1	13/CMP.1 Annex paragraph 45 Account information provided?	[x]Yes []No	[] Yes [] No [x] Partial	The Party provides reference to this publicly available information in [NIR] Chapter 12 page 260.
P1.4.1.1	13/CMP.1 Annex paragraph 45 (a) Account name: the holder of the account	[x]Yes []No	[]Yes [x]No []Partial	The Party provides reference to this publicly available information in [NIR] Chapter 12 page 260.
P1.4.1.2	13/CMP.1 Annex paragraph 45 (b) Account type: the type of account (holding, cancellation or retirement)	[x]Yes []No	[] Yes [x] No [] Partial	The Party provides reference to this publicly available information in [NIR] Chapter 12 page 260.
P1.4.1.3	13/CMP.1 Annex paragraph 45 (c) Commitment period: the commitment period with which a cancellation or retirement account is associated	[x]Yes []No	[] Yes [x] No [] Partial	The Party provides reference to this publicly available information in [NIR] Chapter 12 page 260.
P1.4.1.4	13/CMP.1 Annex paragraph 45 (d) Representative identifier: the representative of the account holder, using the Party identifier (the two-letter country code defined by ISO 3166) and a number unique to that representative within the Party's registry	[x]Yes []No	[x]Yes []No []Partial	The Party provides reference to this publicly available information in [NIR] Chapter 12 page 260.

Ref Nr	Requirement	Submission complete	Has party identified this type of information confidential?	Comments
P1.4.1.5	13/CMP.1 Annex paragraph 45 (e) Representative name and contact information; the full name, mailing address, telephone number, facsimile number and email address of the representative of the account holder	[x]Yes []No	[x]Yes []No [] Partial	The Party provides reference to this publicly available information in [NIR] Chapter 12 page 260.
P1.4.2	13/CMP.1 Annex paragraph 46 Article 6 project information provided?	[x]Yes []No	[] Yes [x] No [] Partial	The Party provides reference to this publicly available information in [NIR] Chapter 12 page 261.
P1.4.2.1	13/CMP.1 Annex paragraph 46 (a) Project name: a unique name for the project	[x]Yes []No	[]Yes [x]No [] Partial	The Party provides reference to this publicly available information in [NIR] Chapter 12 page 261.
P1.4.2.2	13/CMP.1 Annex paragraph 46 (b) Project location; the Party and town or region in which the project is located	[x]Yes []No	[]Yes [x]No [] Partial	The Party provides reference to this publicly available information in [NIR] Chapter 12 page 261.
P1.4.2.3	13/CMP.1 Annex paragraph 46 (c) Years of ERU issuance; the years in which ERU's have been issued as a result of the Article 6 project	[x]Yes []No	[]Yes [x]No [] Partial	The Party provides reference to this publicly available information in [NIR] Chapter 12 page 261.

Ref Nr	Requirement	Submission complete	Has party identified this type of information confidential?	Comments
P1.4.2.4	13/CMP.1 Annex paragraph 46 (d) Reports; downloadable electronic version of all publicly available documentation relating to the project, including proposals, monitoring, verification and issuance of ERU's, where relevant, subject to the confidentiality provisions in decision 9/CMP.1.	[x]Yes []No	[]Yes [x]No [] Partial	The Party provides reference to this publicly available information in [NIR] Chapter 12 page 261.
P1.4.3	13/CMP.1 Annex paragraph 47 Holding and transaction information provided?	[x]Yes []No	[] Yes [x] No [] Partial	The Party provides reference to this publicly available information in [NIR] Chapter 12 page 261.
P1.4.3.1	13/CMP.1 Annex paragraph 47 (a) The total quantity of ERUs, CERs, AAUs and RMUs in each account at the beginning of the year	[x]Yes []No	[]Yes [x]No [] Partial	The Party provides reference to this publicly available information in [NIR] Chapter 12 page 261.
P1.4.3.2	13/CMP.1 Annex paragraph 47 (b) The total quantity of AAUs issued on the basis of the assigned amount pursuant to Article 3, paragraphs 7 and 8	[x]Yes []No	[]Yes [x]No [] Partial	The Party provides reference to this publicly available information in [NIR] Chapter 12 page 261.
P1.4.3.3	13/CMP.1 Annex paragraph 47 (c) The total quantity of ERUs issued on the basis of Article 6 projects	[x]Yes []No	[]Yes [x]No [] Partial	The Party provides reference to this publicly available information in [NIR] Chapter 12 page 261.

Ref Nr	Requirement	Submission complete	Has party identified this type of information confidential?	Comments	
P1.4.3.4	13/CMP.1 Annex paragraph 47 (d)	[x]Yes []No	[] Yes [x] No []	The Party provides reference to this publicly available	
	The total quantity of ERUs, CERs, AAUs and RMUs acquired from other registries and the identity of the transferring accounts and registries		Partial	information in [NIR] Chapter 12 page 261.	
P1.4.3.5	13/CMP.1 Annex paragraph 47 (e)	[x]Yes []No	[] Yes [x] No []	The Party provides reference to this publicly available	
	The total quantity of RMUs issued on the basis of each activity under Article 3, paragraphs 3 and 4		Partial	information in [NIR] Chapter 12 page 261.	
P1.4.3.6			The Party provides reference to this publicly available		
	The total quantity of ERUs, CERs, AAUs and RMUs transferred to other registries and the identity of the acquiring accounts and registries		Partial	information in [NIR] Chapter 12 page 261.	
P1.4.3.7	13/CMP.1 Annex paragraph 47 (g)	[x]Yes []No	[] Yes [x] No []	The Party provides reference to this publicly available	
	The total quantity of ERUs, CERs, AAUs and RMUs cancelled on the basis of activities under Article 3, paragraphs 3 and 4		Partial	information in [NIR] Chapter 12 page 262.	
P1.4.3.8	13/CMP.1 Annex paragraph 47 (h) [x]Yes []No []Yes [x]No []		The Party provides reference to this publicly available		
	The total quantity of ERUs, CERs, AAUs and RMUs cancelled following determination by the Compliance Committee that the Party is not in compliance with its commitment under Article 3, paragraph 1		Partial	information in [NIR] Chapter 12 page 262.	

Ref Nr	Requirement	Submission complete	Has party identified this type of information confidential?	Comments	
P1.4.3.9	13/CMP.1 Annex paragraph 47 (i) The total quantity of other ERUs,	[x]Yes []No	[]Yes [x]No [] Partial	The Party provides reference to this publicly available information in [NIR] Chapter 12 page 262.	
	CERs, AAUs and RMUs cancelled				
P1.4.3.10	13/CMP.1 Annex paragraph 47 (j)	[x]Yes []No	[] Yes [x] No [] Partial	The Party provides reference to this publicly available	
	The total quantity of ERUs, CERs, AAUs and RMUs retired		Faitiai	information in [NIR] Chapter 12 page 262.	
P1.4.3.11	13/CMP.1 Annex paragraph 47 (k)	[x]Yes []No	[]Yes [x]No []	The Party provides reference to this publicly available	
	The total quantity of ERUs, CERs		Partial	information in [NIR] Chapter 12 page 262.	
	and AAUs carried over from the previous commitment period			(Note the link provided in [NIR] Chapter 12 page 262 is broken or incorrect)	
P1.4.3.12	13/CMP.1 Annex paragraph 47 (I)	[x]Yes []No	[x]Yes []No [] Partial	The Party provides reference to this publicly available	
	Current holdings of ERUs, CERs, AAUs and RMUs in each account		Partial	information in [NIR] Chapter 12 page 262.	
P1.4.4	13/CMP.1 Annex paragraph 48	[x]Yes []No	[]Yes [x]No	The Party provides reference to this publicly available	
	List of legal entities authorized by Party provided? ¹			information in [NIR] Chapter 12 page 262.	

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For the purpose of the annual review, the list of accounts assigned to legal entities within the national registry is sufficient

5. Previous Expert Review Team recommendations

This section provides information on the completeness of Party's annual submission in addressing the previous annual review recommendations. If the Expert review team has made recommendations in the previous review, this section should list them and party's annual submission is checked if it covers each recommendation.

Ref Nr	Recommendation from previous Annual Review report (with ref)	Has Party covered the recommendation in its submission?	Comment
P1.5.1	The 2013 ERT report was not available at time of assessment (15 May 2014). The following recommendation is from the 2012 ERT report. Report consistent commitment period reserve in the NIR	[x]Yes []No	In [RESPONSE].the Party reports the issue of its CPR values presented in the NIR 2013 was discussed during the in-country review held in September 2013. The current CPR is calculated according to the methodology set forth by the ERT
P1.5.2	The 2013 ERT report was not available at time of assessment (15 May 2014). The Party referenced the following recommendation contained the 2013 SIAR report in [NIR]. The assessor recommends that following major changes in the national registry, the party provides a data model which contains all DES required entities complete with descriptions in its annual NIR.	[x]Yes []No	Party included additional information in response to the 2013 SIAR in the [NIR] Annex 9.
P1.5.3	The 2013 ERT report was not available at time of assessment (15 May 2014). The Party referenced the following recommendation contained the 2013 SIAR report in [NIR]. The assessor strongly recommends that the Party test each release thoroughly against the DES as part of each major release cycle and provide the results of such tests in its annual NIR.	[x]Yes []No	Party included additional information in response to the 2013 SIAR in the [NIR] Annex 9.

P1.5.4	The 2013 ERT report was not available at time of assessment (15 May 2014). The Party referenced the following recommendation contained the 2013 SIAR report in [NIR].	[x]Yes []No	Party included the date of when the data snapshot was taken in each of the reports.
	The assessor identified some minor limitations regarding the publicly available information. The assessor was unable to determine whether the published information is up-to date. The assessor recommends to add the date when the data snapshot was taken in the reports.		