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1. Overall Assessment Summary

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 [X]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?	[]Yes []No [X]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.	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].			
P1.2.2	(If yes, Party is required to submit the SEF report) 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?	[X]Yes []No	The Party's SEF report [SEF] was made available to assessors by 09/02/2016.			
15/CMD	(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 Discrepant 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).			

Ref Nr	Requirement	Assessment	Comments
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 in [NIR] Section 9.3 that no discrepancies occurred in 2013. The assessor assumes 2013 is a typographical error. Assuming 2014, the information has been verified with the ITL records ([RRITL], report R-2).
15/CMP.	1 annex I.E paragraph 13	1	
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 in [NIR] Section 9.3 that no notifications occurred in 2013. The assessor assumes 2013 is a typographical error. Assuming 2014, the information has been verified with the ITL records ([RRITL], report R-3).
15/CMP.	I 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 in [NIR] Section 9.3 that no notifications occurred in 2013. The assessor assumes 2013 is a typographical error. Assuming 2014, the information has been verified with the ITL records ([RRITL], report R-3).

Ref Nr	Requirement	Assessment	Comments
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).
P1.2.10	Has Party reported all non-replacements in accordance with paragraph 56 of the annex to decision 5/CMP.1?	[X]Yes []No	The Party reported in [NIR] Section 9.3 that no notifications occurred in 2013. The assessor assumes 2013 is a typographical error. Assuming 2014, the information has been verified with the ITL records ([RRITL], report R-3).

Ref Nr	Requirement	Assessment	Comments		
15/CMP.	5/CMP.1 annex I.E paragraph 16				
Inconsis	consistencies from discrepant transactions				
P1.2.11	Has the transaction log identified discrepant transactions proposed by the Party that were not terminated or cancelled?	[]Yes [X]No	The ITL did not identify discrepant transactions proposed by the Party that were not terminated or cancelled.		
P1.2.12	Has Party reported on units that are not valid for use towards compliance with commitments under Article 3, paragraph 1, pursuant to paragraph 43 (b) of the annex to decision 13/CMP.1?	[]Yes [X]No	The Party has not reported if its national registry holds units that are not valid for use towards compliance with commitments under Article 3, paragraph 1. The Party did not submit R2-R5 SIAR tables for the relevant period. In [RESPONSE] Party states that Iceland's national registry holds no units that are not valid for use towards compliance with commitments under Article 3, paragraph 1. R2-R5 SIAR tables were not applicable.		
	1 annex I.E paragraph 17 and changes to address discrepancies				
P1.2.13	Has Party reported actions taken to correct any problem that caused a discrepancy to occur, any changes to the national registry to prevent a discrepancy from reoccurring, or the resolution of any previously identified questions of implementation pertaining to transactions?	[]Yes [X]No	There were no discrepancies during the reported period however the Party made no statement that no actions were taken because they were not necessary. A statement specifically addressing this requirement should be included in the next annual submission by the Party. In [RESPONSE] Party states that Iceland will include a statement addressing the need for actions to correct any problem that caused a discrepancy to occur, any changes to the national registry to prevent a discrepancy from reoccurring, or the resolution of any previously identified questions of implementation pertaining to transactions in its next annual submission.		

Ref Nr	Requirement	Assessment	Comments
15/CMP.1	15/CMP.1 annex I.E paragraph 18		
CPR Cald	culation		
P1.2.14	Has Party reported the calculation of its commitment period reserve?	[X]Yes []No	The Party reported the calculation of its commitment period reserve (CPR) in [NIR] Chapter 9 section 5.

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	[X]Yes []No	In Section 11 of [NIR], the Party includes the names and e-mail addresses of the Registry administrators and includes this information in context of 15/CMP.1 annex II.E paragraph 32.(a)
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 Section 11 of [NIR], the Party states that no changes have been made to its cooperation arrangements.

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Ref Nr	Requirement	Submission complete?	Item changed during reported period?	Comments
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 section 11 of [NIR], the Party states that no changes related to Kyoto functionality have been made to the database and capacity of its national registry. Assessor notes that relevant common CSEUR documentation was referenced and included in the Party's submission at Annex VI.
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 section 11 of [NIR], the Party states that changes to the National Registry were limited and that these only affected EU ETS functionality. The Party states as well that no other changes have been made to the conformance to technical standards by its national registry. Assessor notes that relevant common CSEUR versions were referenced and included in the Party's submission at Annex VII.

Ref Nr	Requirement	Submission complete?	Item changed during reported period?	Comments
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 section 11 of [NIR], the Party states that no changes have been made to the procedures employed in its national registry to minimize discrepancies.
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 section 11 of [NIR], 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 section 11 of [NIR], 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 section 11 of [NIR], 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 section 11 of [NIR], 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 section 11 of [NIR], Party states that both regression testing and Annex H testing were successfully carried out. Assessor notes that relevant common CSEUR documentation was referenced and included in the Party's submission at Annex VIII.

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. The assessor should go to the webpage by the URL provided in the submission to determine if the information has been successfully made public. If the information is only found in the NIR that does not satisfy the requirements and should be negatively assessed. See the Publicly Available Information Guidance document for additional clarification.

Ref Nr	Requirement	Submission complete	Has party identified this type of information confidential?	Comments
P.1.4.1	13/CMP.1 Annex paragraph 45 Account information provided?	[X]Yes []No	[] Yes [] No [X] Partial	The Party provides reference to the publicly available information in section 9.4 of the [NIR] as being available at the following links:
				Homepage of the Environment Agency: http://www.ust.is/the-environment-agency-of-iceland/eu-ets/registry/
				Website of the European Union Translation Log (EUTL), accessible through the link: http://www.ust.is/the-environment-agency-of-iceland/eu-ets/registry/#Tab3
				Website of the Union Registry: https://ets-registry.webgate.ec.europa.eu/euregistry/IS/index.xhtm https://ets-registry.webgate.ec.europa.eu/euregistry/IS/index.xhtm
				The assessor could find the relevant information at the first url but it was not updated. In the relevant page the Party states that no retirement or cancellation accounts have been opened yet but a retirement account, a voluntary cancellation account and a net source cancellation account are reported at the links of the EUTL and Union Registry. No mandatory cancellation account was displayed. The assessor could download the relevant information at the two later links.
				The assessor noted that the information displayed on the EUTL was older than a month (10/12/2015, at the time of the assessment). The information at the Union Registry link was up to date (25/Jan/2016, at the time of the assessment) See P.1.4.1.4 for remarks on confidentiality.

Ref Nr	Requirement	Submission complete	Has party identified this type of information confidential?	Comments
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	See P1.4.1 The assessor could download the relevant information at the links https://ec.europa.eu/environment/ets/ .
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	See P1.4.1 The assessor could download the relevant information at the links https://ets-registry.webgate.ec.europa.eu/euregistry/IS/public/reports/publicReports.xhtml and http://ec.europa.eu/environment/ets/
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	See P1.4.1 The assessor could download the relevant information at the links https://ec.europa.eu/environment/ets/

Ref Nr	Requirement	Submission complete	Has party identified this type of information confidential?	Comments
P1.4.1.4	13/CMP.1 Annex paragraph 45 (d)	[X]Yes []No	[X] Yes [] No [] Partial	See P1.4.1
	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			The homepage of the Environment Agency of Iceland states that disclosures of contact information under paragraph 45 d) and e) are prohibited under Art. 38 of the Icelandic Climate Change Act No 70/2012, with later amendments.
	representative within the Party's registry			The website of the Union Registry states that in line with the data protection requirements of Regulation (EC) No 45/2001 and Directive 95/46/EC and in accordance with Article 110 and Annex XIV of Commission Regulation (EU) no 389/2013, the information on account representatives, account holdings, account numbers, all transactions made and carbon unit identifiers, held in the EUTL, the Union Registry and any other KP registry (required by paragraph 45) is considered confidential.
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	See P1.4.1 and P.1.4.1.4
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 the publicly available information in section 9.4 of [NIR] at the links mentioned in P.1.4.1. The assessor could find a statement in the first and third links informing that no Joint Implementation projects have been approved in Iceland, so no
				information concerning Article 6 projects is available on this regard.

Ref Nr	Requirement	Submission complete	Has party identified this type of information confidential?	Comments
P1.4.2.1	13/CMP.1 Annex paragraph 46 (a)	[X]Yes []No	[] Yes [X] No [] Partial	N/A See P.1.4.2
	Project name: a unique name for the project			
P1.4.2.2	13/CMP.1 Annex paragraph 46 (b)	[X]Yes []No	[] Yes [X] No [] Partial	N/A See P.1.4.2
	Project location; the Party and town or region in which the project is located			
P1.4.2.3	13/CMP.1 Annex paragraph 46 (c)	[X]Yes []No	[] Yes [X] No [] Partial	N/A See P.1.4.2
	Years of ERU issuance; the years in which ERU's have been issued as a result of the Article 6 project			
P1.4.2.4	13/CMP.1 Annex paragraph 46 (d)	[X]Yes []No	[] Yes [X] No [] Partial	N/A See P.1.4.2
	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.			

Ref Nr	Requirement	Submission complete	Has party identified this type of information confidential?	Comments
P1.4.3	13/CMP.1 Annex paragraph 47 Holding and transaction information provided?	[X]Yes []No	[X] Yes [] No [] Partial	The Party provides reference to the publicly available information in section 9.4 of [NIR] at the links mentioned in P.1.4.1.
	provided:			The homepage of the Environment Agency of Iceland states that disclosure of account holdings and transactions is prohibited under Art. 38 of the Icelandic Climate Change Act No 70/2012, with later amendments.
				The assessor could find at the Union Registry link a statement informing that holding and transaction information pursuant to paragraph 47 is provided on holding type level as the detailed information on transactions is considered confidential according to Article 110 of Commission Regulation (EU) no 389/2013. The relevant information is provided by means of the SEF tables for 2014 and 2015.
				The assessor recommends the Party align the contents of both urls on this regard.
P1.4.3.1	13/CMP.1 Annex paragraph 47 (a)	[X]Yes []No	[X]Yes []No []Partial	See P.1.4.3
	The total quantity of ERUs, CERs, AAUs and RMUs in each account at the beginning of the year			
P1.4.3.2	13/CMP.1 Annex paragraph 47 (b)	[X]Yes []No	[X]Yes []No []Partial	See P.1.4.3
	The total quantity of AAUs issued on the basis of the assigned amount pursuant to Article 3, paragraphs 7 and 8			
P1.4.3.3	13/CMP.1 Annex paragraph 47 (c)	[X]Yes []No	[X]Yes []No []Partial	See P.1.4.3
	The total quantity of ERUs issued on the basis of Article 6 projects			

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	[X]Yes []No []Partial	See P.1.4.3
	The total quantity of ERUs, CERs, AAUs and RMUs acquired from other registries and the identity of the transferring accounts and registries			
P1.4.3.5	13/CMP.1 Annex paragraph 47 (e)	[X]Yes []No	[X]Yes []No []Partial	See P.1.4.3
	The total quantity of RMUs issued on the basis of each activity under Article 3, paragraphs 3 and 4			
P1.4.3.6	13/CMP.1 Annex paragraph 47 (f)	[X]Yes []No	[X]Yes []No []Partial	See P.1.4.3
	The total quantity of ERUs, CERs, AAUs and RMUs transferred to other registries and the identity of the acquiring accounts and registries			
P1.4.3.7	13/CMP.1 Annex paragraph 47 (g)	[X]Yes []No	[X]Yes []No []Partial	See P.1.4.3
	The total quantity of ERUs, CERs, AAUs and RMUs cancelled on the basis of activities under Article 3, paragraphs 3 and 4			
P1.4.3.8	13/CMP.1 Annex paragraph 47 (h)	[X]Yes []No	[X]Yes []No []Partial	See P.1.4.3
	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			

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, CERs, AAUs and RMUs cancelled	[X]Yes []No	[X] Yes [] No [] Partial	See P.1.4.3
P1.4.3.10	13/CMP.1 Annex paragraph 47 (j) The total quantity of ERUs, CERs, AAUs and RMUs retired	[X]Yes []No	[X] Yes [] No [] Partial	See P.1.4.3
P1.4.3.11	13/CMP.1 Annex paragraph 47 (k) The total quantity of ERUs, CERs and AAUs carried over from the previous commitment period	[X]Yes []No	[X]Yes []No []Partial	See P.1.4.3
P1.4.3.12	13/CMP.1 Annex paragraph 47 (I) Current holdings of ERUs, CERs, AAUs and RMUs in each account	[X]Yes []No	[X]Yes []No []Partial	See P.1.4.3
P1.4.4	13/CMP.1 Annex paragraph 48 List of legal entities authorized by Party provided?1	[X]Yes []No	[X]Yes []No []Partial	The homepage of the Environment Agency of Iceland states that disclosures of legal entity information's are prohibited under Art. 38 of the Icelandic Climate Change Act No 70/2012, with later amendments. Assessor notes that legal entity list containing a single entity is available at https://ets-registry.webgate.ec.europa.eu/euregistry/IS/public/reports/publicReports.xhtml

¹ 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 most recently published annual review, this section should list them and the party's annual submission is checked to see that each has been addressed and satisfies each recommendation.

Ref Nr	Recommendation from previous Annual Review report (with ref)	Has Party covered the recommendation in its submission?	Comment
P1.5.1	There were none in FCCC/ARR/2014/ISL (29/06/2015)	[]Yes []No	N/A
P1.5.2		[] Yes [] No	
P1.5.3		[]Yes []No	
P1.5.x		[] Yes [] No	