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AOSIS Revised Proposal on Surplus

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13 bis. The total quantity of carried-over assigned amount units (AAUs), certified emission reductions (CERs) and emission reduction units (ERUs) approved for carry-over from the previous commitment period shall be deemed the **Previous Period Surplus Reserve**.

13 ter. After the end of a commitment period, a Party may use, for the purpose of its compliance assessment, any carried-over units up to a quantity which is equal to [5] % of the difference between the Party's inventory emissions in 2008 x [5][8] and its assigned amount for the current commitment period, if that assigned amount is lower than the Party's inventory emissions in 2008 x [5][8], and only up to the extent of the **Previous Period Surplus Reserve**.