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Information note

Revision of the “Article 6.4 activity cycle procedure for projects”, the “Article 6.4 activity standard for projects” and the “Article 6.4 validation and verification standard for projects” to incorporate elements related to non-permanence and reversals

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1. Procedural background

1. The Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Paris Agreement (CMA), through decision 3/CMA.3¹, adopted the rules, modalities and procedures (RMPs) for the mechanism established by Article 6, paragraph 4, of the Paris Agreement (the Article 6.4 mechanism), as contained in the annex to the decision. The decision requested the Supervisory Body of the Article 6.4 mechanism (the Supervisory Body) to develop provisions for various processes necessary to operate the mechanism.
2. In response to the decision 3/CMA.3 mandates, the Supervisory Body adopted, at its fourteenth meeting, the “Standard: Application of the requirements of Chapter V.B (Methodologies) for the development and assessment of Article 6.4 mechanism methodologies”² (hereinafter referred to as the methodologies standard) and the “Standard: Requirements for activities involving removals under the Article 6.4 mechanism”³ (hereinafter referred to as the removals standard). At its sixth session, the CMA took note, of the adoption of these standards by the Supervisory Body.
3. The Supervisory Body, at its eighth meeting, adopted the “Procedure: Article 6.4 activity cycle procedure for projects” (hereinafter referred to as the ACP-P), “Standard: Article 6.4 activity standard for projects” (hereinafter referred to as the AS-P) and the “Standard: Article 6.4 validation and verification standard for projects” (hereinafter referred to as the VVS-P), which sets out the procedure and processes in the activity cycle for Article 6.4 projects, requirements relating to the design, implementation and other attributes of Article 6.4 projects, and the requirements relating to validation and verification for Article 6.4 projects.
4. The Supervisory Body, at its eighteenth meeting, adopted the “Standard: Addressing non-permanence and reversals in mechanism methodologies”⁴ (hereinafter referred to as the reversal standard), agreed on the “Information note: Elements related to non-permanence and reversals for inclusion in relevant regulatory documents” and requested the secretariat, in consultation with the Methodological Expert Panel (MEP), to incorporate these elements into a revision of the ACP-P, AS-P, VVS-P and the “Procedure: Article 6.4 mechanism registry”.
5. The inclusion of relevant elements from the reversal standard and the “Information note: Elements related to non-permanence and reversals for inclusion in relevant regulatory

¹ Decision 3/CMA.3. “Rules, modalities and procedures for the mechanism established by Article 6, paragraph 4, of the Paris Agreement”. Available at https://unfccc.int/sites/default/files/resource/cma2021_10a01E.pdf#page=25.

² See <https://unfccc.int/sites/default/files/resource/A6.4-STAN-METH-001.pdf>.

³ See <https://unfccc.int/sites/default/files/resource/A6.4-STAN-METH-002.pdf>.

⁴ See <https://unfccc.int/sites/default/files/resource/A6.4-STAN-METH-007.pdf>.

documents” that pertain to the “Procedure: Article 6.4 mechanism registry” (A6.4-PROC-REGS-001) will be reflected in a future revision of the registry procedure.

6. The Supervisory Body, at its eighteenth meeting,⁵ also requested the MEP to develop a proposal on conditions and criteria for justification of the demonstration of sufficiency of coverage, as indicated in the “Information Note: Elements related to non-permanence and reversals for inclusion in relevant regulatory documents”.

2. Purpose

7. The purpose of the proposed revisions to the ACP-P, AS-P and VVS-P is to incorporate and operationalize relevant elements and provisions from the “Information note: Elements related to non-permanence and reversals for inclusion in relevant regulatory documents”. It also aims to establish the different activity cycle procedural steps and processes for Article 6.4 activities involving removals or Article 6.4 emission reduction activities with reversal risks that are to be followed by activity participants, designated operational entities (DOEs), designated national authorities (DNAs) and other stakeholders to implement the applicable requirements from the “Information note: Elements related to non-permanence and reversals for inclusion of relevant regulatory documents”. These revisions are contained in appendices 1, 2 and 3.

3. Key issues and proposed solutions

8. The adopted “Information note: Elements related to non-permanence and reversals for inclusion of relevant regulatory documents” elaborates on specific requirements for action, procedural steps and requirements for reversal-related notifications and reports; late, incomplete or missing report submissions; post-crediting monitoring and reporting; and post-reversal actions that are introduced in the revised ACP-P, AS-P and VVS-P.

3.1. Reversal-related notifications and reports

9. The revised ACP-P, AS-P and VVS-P incorporate new provisions that elaborate on specific requirements for action, procedural steps and requirements for reversal-related notifications and reports on the basis of the “Information note: Elements related to non-permanence and reversals for inclusion of relevant regulatory documents” as presented in the table below.
10. The provisions establish a graduated reporting framework to ensure timely identification and assessment of events that may lead to greenhouse gas (GHG) reversals. The proposed revisions in the ACP-P require submissions of various notifications and reports. The activity participants notification to the secretariat within 30 days of becoming aware of a potential reversal event and the submission of a preliminary assessment report to determine whether a reversal has occurred are included as processes in the revised ACP-P. Furthermore, where no reversal is identified, the assessment must be independently verified by a DOE before approval by the Supervisory Body. Additionally, where a reversal is confirmed, a verified monitoring report quantifying the reversal must be submitted within 365 days.

⁵ See paragraph 30 of the Meeting report: Eighteenth meeting of the Article 6.4 mechanism Supervisory Body (A6.4-SBM018), available at:
<https://unfccc.int/sites/default/files/resource/A6.4-SBM018.pdf>.

11. The revisions of the AS-P and VVS-P determine the requirements for various notifications and reports. Monitoring reports must quantify reversals, classify them as avoidable or unavoidable, reassess project risk, evaluate sustainable development impacts and update mitigation measures where necessary. Annual reversal reports are required regardless of whether reversal events occurred and provide continuous oversight throughout the project lifecycle. During investigations, registry transactions are suspended until the required reporting and regulatory actions have been satisfactorily completed.

3.2. Late, incomplete or missing report submissions

12. The revised ACP-P, AS-P and VVS-P incorporate new provisions that establish further procedural safeguards to ensure timely reporting, on the basis of the “Information note: Elements related to non-permanence and reversals for inclusion of relevant regulatory documents”, as presented in the table below. The revision also allows activity participants to request deadline extensions were justified by force majeure or lack of available DOEs, while other extensions require approval by the Supervisory Body.
13. As per the revised provisions, the secretariat conducts both completeness and substantive reviews of submitted reports and where deficiencies are identified, participants are given defined periods to provide revisions. Furthermore, persistent failure to submit reports results in escalating regulatory consequences, including suspension of registry functions and, ultimately, automatic designation of avoidable reversals. Missing monitoring or annual reversal reports may lead to the assumption that all issued Article 6.4 emission reductions are subject to avoidable reversal, thereby triggering remediation obligations.
14. In addition to the provisions of paragraph 30 of the “Information note: Elements related to non-permanence and reversals for inclusion of relevant regulatory documents”, which require the secretariat to carry out the completeness and substantive checks of preliminary assessment reports, annual reversal reports or reversal monitoring reports submitted by the activity participant or DOE as applicable, additional processes were created to operationalize the consideration of all these reports by the Supervisory Body. A new section “6.4.3.3. Consideration by the Supervisory Body” comprising paragraphs 158^(sexies et vicies) to 158^(tricies) was added in the ACP-P to operationalize the consideration by the Supervisory Body of the relevant reports, and for the secretariat to follow up on the outcome of the consideration of these reports by the Supervisory Body. Paragraph 158^(tricies) of the ACP-P covers the requirements for the secretariat to publish the Supervisory Body's approval of the relevant reports and for the activity participants or the DOE, as applicable, to re-submit the annual reversal report if it is rejected by the Supervisory Body.

3.3. Post-reversal actions

15. The revised ACP-P, AS-P and VVS-P incorporate new provisions that establish the mechanisms for compensating reversals once they have been verified on the basis of the “Information note: Elements related to non-permanence and reversals for inclusion of relevant regulatory documents”, as presented in the table below.
16. The revisions of the ACP-P envisage that unavoidable reversals are remediated through cancellations from the reversal risk buffer pool, with cancellations reflecting both the magnitude and type of issued credits, whereas avoidable reversals require both cancellation of credits from the buffer pool and replacement contributions by activity

participants, ensuring that responsibility rests with the project where preventable reversals have occurred.

17. The newly formulated provisions of the activity cycle regulatory documents further clarify that reversals below the project baseline do not require remediation through the buffer pool but instead may affect the project's future eligibility to receive additional emission reduction units.
18. Finally, as safeguard, where a project is voluntarily de-registered, both the activity participant and the secretariat must cancel previously issued Article 6.4 emission reductions to eliminate any remaining reversal liabilities and ensure the environmental integrity of the mechanism.
19. In addition to the provisions of paragraph 64 of the “Information note: Elements related to non-permanence and reversals for inclusion of relevant regulatory documents”, which require activity participants and the secretariat to cancel Article 6.4 emission reductions (A6.4ERs) as a pre-requisite for the deregistration of an Article 6.4 project which is subject to reversal risk, a new paragraph 251_(bis) was added under section “13.1. Submission of request for deregistration” of the ACP-P, to introduce this cancellation requirement. Paragraph 258 under section “13.3. Effects of deregistration” of the ACP-P was also amended to prevent the issuance of A6.4ERs from Article 6.4 projects with reversal risk that would have already been cancelled.

3.4. Post-crediting monitoring and reporting

20. The revised ACP-P, AS-P and VVS-P incorporate new provisions that include obligations for the activity participants of removal activities and emission reduction activities with risks of reversals, following the end of the crediting period, to remain responsible for monitoring GHG reservoirs for methodology-specific periods to detect and quantify any subsequent reversals (see table below).
21. The revision of the ACP-P envisages that the post-crediting monitoring obligations continue until either the approved post-crediting monitoring period expires or the Supervisory Body authorizes termination. Thus, the revisions of the activity cycle regulatory documents establish three pathways for ending post-crediting monitoring obligations. Such requests are subject to completeness review, public consultation, Supervisory Body assessment and formal approval before monitoring obligations may cease, as follows:
 - (a) The first pathway allows termination after all future reversal liabilities have been fully remediated through cancellation of an equivalent quantity of Article 6.4 emission reductions or through approved insurance or guarantee mechanisms;
 - (b) The second permits termination whereby participants demonstrate, through conservative scientific evidence and independent verification, that reversal risks are negligible over a period of at least 100 years;
 - (c) The third allows for the transferring of monitoring liabilities to a third Party.
22. In addition to the provisions of paragraph 43 of the “Information note: Elements related to non-permanence and reversals for inclusion of relevant regulatory documents”, which require the activity participants to submit a monitoring report for the post-crediting monitoring period by the applicable deadline, a new paragraph 250_(novies) was added under

section “11.1 Monitoring and reporting” of the ACP-P to introduce a process for the Supervisory Body to consider the report.

23. In addition to the provisions of paragraph 45 of the “Information note: Elements related to non-permanence and reversals for inclusion of relevant regulatory documents”, which allow the activity participants to request termination of their post-crediting monitoring and reporting obligations through the remediation of potential future reversals, a new paragraph 250^(semel et vices) was added under section “11.2.2. Termination via remediation of potential future reversals” of the ACP-P to require the secretariat to assess the request and communicate the outcome of the request to the DOE and the activity participants.
24. In addition to the provisions of paragraph 46 of the “Information note: Elements related to non-permanence and reversals for inclusion of relevant regulatory documents”, which allow the activity participants to request termination of their post-crediting monitoring and reporting obligations through demonstration of sufficient insurance policy to remediate potential future reversals, paragraphs 250^(undecies) to 250^(quindicies) were added under section “11.2.1. Termination of the activity participants’ responsibility via transfer of monitoring and reporting responsibility to a third party” of the ACP-P, to introduce a process for the host Party to consider the activity participant's request, and for the Supervisory Body to consider the secretariat's recommended course of action.

3.5. Exemptions

25. As per paragraphs 13 and 15 of the reversal standard, alternative approaches to the identification and quantification of reversals, the frequency of monitoring report submissions, post-crediting monitoring and reporting requirements, reversal-related notifications and reporting procedures, and post-reversal remediation actions, may be envisaged in the applied methodologies if they ensure, with a high level of confidence, that reversals from Article 6.4 activities are fully remediated in the crediting period and post-crediting monitoring period and ensure that the alternative approaches do not cause instances of moral hazard. These approaches may only be proposed if all of the following conditions are satisfied for the applicable GHG reservoir:
 - (a) That activity participants using the mechanism methodology have no control over the GHG reservoir;
 - (b) That the greenhouse gas reservoir is not in the same location as where the mitigation activity is implemented; and
 - (c) That changes observed in the GHG reservoir cannot be attributed to the mitigation activity.
26. The revised ACP-P, AS-P and VVS-P incorporate the new provisions that allow activity participants, where the applied methodology envisages it, to follow alternative approaches to the frequency of monitoring report submissions, post-crediting monitoring and reporting requirements, reversal-related notifications and reporting procedures, and post-reversal remediation actions for eligible activities that satisfy the three conditions mentioned in the paragraph 25 above on the basis of the reversal standard, as presented in the table below.

3.6. Delayed submission of the post-crediting monitoring plan

27. The current activity cycle regulations provide for the activity participants to submit the monitoring plan of their activity after registration as a post-registration change. It is

proposed that the same provisions are also applied for the post-crediting monitoring plan. This provision will enable activities involving removals and emission reduction activities with risks of reversals to have flexibility and more time in order to design and better plan for monitoring activities in the post-crediting period.

3.7. Post-registration changes for post-crediting monitoring plan

28. Considering that temporary and permanent deviations from monitoring are admissible, provided that they comply with the relevant requirements and are subject to assessment and approval, it is proposed to follow the same provisions as any deviation from monitoring, including for the post-crediting monitoring of activities involving removals and emission reduction activities with risks of reversals.

3.8. Additional requirements under the REDD + framework

29. As per paragraph 16 of the “Standard: Addressing leakage in mechanism methodologies” if the proposed Article 6.4 activity is not yet included in all the elements required of the host Party as per decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 71, mechanism methodologies may require, on an interim basis, a letter from the host country’s national entity or focal point referred to in decision 2/CP.10 (i.e., the REDD+ focal point) indicating when the proposed Article 6.4 activity will be included in all the elements as per decision 1/CP.16, paragraph 71. The inclusion shall occur no later than verification and be verified by a DOE. These provisions were implemented in the proposed paragraph 67(d)_{bis.} of the ACP-P, paragraph 64_{bis.} of the AS-P and paragraph 78_{bis.} of the VVS-P, which require a letter to be submitted indicating when the proposed Article 6.4 project is expected to be incorporated into the relevant national REDD+ framework, thereby enabling project registration while maintaining alignment with the evolving national arrangements.
30. The amendments of the AS-P and the VVS-P further establish corresponding responsibilities for activity participants and DOEs. As per paragraph 152_{bis.} of the AS-P and paragraph 196(c)_{bis.} of the VVS-P, activity participants are required to submit the letter as part of the registration request where applicable and provide evidence, no later than the first verification, that the project has been incorporated into the national REDD+ framework as envisaged. In turn, DOEs are required to validate the existence of the interim letter during validation and to confirm, at first verification, that the required inclusion has taken place.
31. Collectively, these amendments establish time-bound transitional provisions that facilitate early implementation of eligible REDD+ activities under the Article 6.4 mechanism while ensuring full compliance with the host Party’s REDD+ framework before first verification.

3.9. Time limit on the submission of requests for issuance with respect to the end of the crediting period for activities involving removals

32. As per paragraph 177 of the ACP-P, the requests for issuance for GHG emission reductions or net GHG removals occurring in a crediting period shall be submitted within two years after the end of that crediting period. However, a footnote to that paragraph envisages that the Supervisory Body may set a different deadline for removals projects.

33. Two options are proposed for the consideration of the Supervisory Body:
 - (a) Option 1: To maintain the same deadline for requests for issuance for net GHG removals as for GHG emission reductions within two years after the end of that crediting period;
 - (b) Option 2: To provide a longer deadline for request for issuance for net GHG removals within five years after the end of that crediting period, based on the minimum required frequency for the submission of monitoring reports.
 34. Notwithstanding the provisions of paragraph 177 of the ACP-P for GHG emission reductions or net GHG removals from Article 6.4 activities that transitioned from the clean development mechanism (CDM), the requests for issuance shall be submitted within two years of the renewal of the transitioning project’s crediting period.
- 3.10. Non reversals related issue - Ensuring avoidance of double use of emission reductions/net removals**
35. As per paragraph 175 of the “Procedure: Activity cycle procedure for projects” the requests for issuance shall be submitted in chronological order, without time gaps between monitoring periods, is intended to preserve the integrity, traceability, and completeness of the crediting process.
 36. However, further guidance is needed for situations where GHG emission reductions or net GHG removals from part of a monitoring period have already been issued under another international, regional, national, subnational or sector-wide GHG mitigation crediting scheme. In such cases, requiring a strictly continuous sequence of issuance requests needs to be further elaborated and clarified.
 37. Given the fact that there are safeguards against double issuance throughout the activity cycle, the new provisions that are added in paragraph 175 build on existing provisions and provide further clarity.
 38. As per the formulated new provisions in paragraph 175, any emission reductions and/or net removals that have been issued under another international, regional, national, subnational or sector-wide GHG mitigation crediting scheme shall be identified in the monitoring report, and the activity participants shall claim zero emission reductions for issuance under the Article 6.4 mechanism for the underlying emission reductions and/or net removals for the corresponding period.
 39. This additional elaboration in paragraph 175 ensures that overlapping emission reductions and/or net removals are excluded from issuance while allowing the remaining eligible emission reductions and/or net removals to proceed through the issuance process. As a result, the provisions maintain environmental integrity, avoid unnecessary administrative burdens and provide flexibility for projects transitioning from or operating alongside other crediting schemes without creating artificial interruptions in the issuance sequence.

Table. Requirements for Article 6.4 activities involving removals and Article 6.4 emission reduction activities with risks of reversals

Requirement	Amendments to the ACP-P	Amendments to the AS-P	Amendments to the VVS-P
Provisions from the Information note: Elements related to non-permanence and reversals for inclusion in relevant regulatory documents			
Para. 3: Activity participants shall notify the secretariat of any observed event involving the release of stored greenhouse gases that could potentially lead to a reversal within 30 days of becoming aware of the observed event. This notification shall include: (a) A description of the observed event; (b) The date(s) of the occurrence of the observed event, including a statement indicating whether the event is ongoing at the time of notification; (c) The location of the event; and (d) Any additional information as required by the mechanism methodology.	New sections “6.4. Reversals related actions for projects involving removals and emission reduction projects with reversal risks” and “6.4.1. Reporting of observed events that could lead to a reversal” were added. 158^{bis}. Activity participants shall notify the secretariat of any observed event involving the release of stored GHGs that could potentially lead to a reversal (hereinafter referred to as “the observed event”) within 30 days of becoming aware of the observed event. The notification shall be submitted through a dedicated interface on the UNFCCC website using the “Notification of potential reversal form” and shall include the following information: a) A description of the observed event; b) The date(s) of the occurrence of the observed event, including a statement indicating whether the	A new section “7.4.1. Reporting of observed events that could lead to a reversal” was added under the existing section “7.4. Reversals related actions for projects involving removals and emission reduction projects with reversal risks”. 119^{bis}. Activity participants shall notify the secretariat of any observed event involving the release of stored GHGs that could potentially lead to a reversal (hereinafter referred to as “the observed event”) within 30 days of becoming aware of the observed event. Activity participants shall submit the notification in accordance with the relevant provisions of the activity cycle procedure.	Not applicable.

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	event is ongoing at the time of notification; c) The location of the event; and d) Any additional information as required by the applicable methodology(ies).		
Para. 4: If the secretariat becomes aware of a potential reversal event affecting an Article 6.4 activity, but has not received a notification from the activity participants pursuant to paragraph 3 above, the secretariat shall notify the activity participants of its understanding and request that, within 30 days, the activity participants either provide a notification pursuant to paragraph 3 above or an explanation of why no such notification is required. All notifications and explanations provided under this paragraph shall be made publicly available.	158^{ter}. If the secretariat becomes aware of a potential observed event, but has not received a notification from the activity participants, the secretariat shall: (a) Notify the activity participants of its understanding; and (b) Request that, within 30 days, the activity participants either provide a notification pursuant to paragraph 158^{bis} above or an explanation of why no such notification is required. 158^{quater}. The secretariat shall make publicly available on the UNFCCC website all notifications and explanations provided in accordance with paragraphs 158^{bis} or 158^{ter} above.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Para. 5: When the secretariat receives a notification pursuant to paragraph 3 or 4 above, the secretariat shall suspend the activity-specific registry	158^{quinquies}. If the secretariat receives a notification pursuant to paragraphs 158^{bis} or 158^{ter} above, the secretariat, in its role as the mechanism registry administrator, shall suspend the	Not applicable.	Not applicable.

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operations of issuance, transfer, cancellation, and retirement of A6.4ERs, except for transfers of A6.4ERs to the reversal risk buffer pool account. The same registry operations shall be reinstated when an activity participant satisfies the requirements of paragraphs 8 or 11 below, as applicable.	project-specific registry operations of issuance, transfer, cancellation, and retirement of A6.4ERs, except for transfers of A6.4ERs to the reversal risk buffer pool account in accordance with the relevant provision of the “Procedure: Article 6.4 mechanism registry” (hereinafter referred to as the “registry procedure”).		
Para. 6: In the event of notification to the secretariat pursuant to paragraph 3 or 4 above, activity participants shall prepare a preliminary assessment report to determine whether the observed event has resulted in a reversal and submit the preliminary assessment report to the secretariat. The preliminary assessment report shall include: (a) A description of the activities and methods used to monitor for potential reversals; (b) A determination of whether a reversal has occurred; and	158^{sexies}. In the event of notification to the secretariat pursuant to paragraphs 158^{bis} or 158^{ter} above, the activity participants shall prepare a preliminary assessment report in accordance with the requirements of the activity standard using the “Preliminary assessment report form”, to determine whether the observed event has resulted in a reversal. The preliminary assessment report shall be submitted to the secretariat through a dedicated interface on the UNFCCC website within 90 days of the end of the observed event. 158^{septies}. Activity participants shall prepare the preliminary assessment report referred to in paragraph	120. In case of occurrence of any observed event involving the release of stored GHGs that could potentially lead to a reversal, The activity participants shall then prepare a preliminary assessment report in order to determine whether the observed event has resulted in an actual reversal. The report shall contain the following information: (a) A description of the monitoring activities and methods used to monitor for potential reversals; (b) The estimated GHG emission reductions and/or net removals occurring during the monitoring	Not applicable.

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(c) The data collected to inform the preliminary assessment report's conclusions, including remote sensing data where applicable. Activity participants may elect to summarize the applicable data in the preliminary assessment report, provided that the complete data are made available to the Supervisory Body as part of the preliminary assessment report's submission.	158 ^{sexies} in accordance with the relevant requirements of the activity standard, using the “Preliminary assessment report form”.	period, together with the associated uncertainty; (b) ^{bis} . A determination of whether a reversal has occurred; (c) Data collected, including the remote-sensing data, or if the data set is too large, a summary of the data and an indication of how the full data set can be accessed.	
Para. 7: Preliminary assessment reports shall be submitted to the secretariat within 90 days of the end of the observed event.	Refer to paragraph 158 ^{sexies} above.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Para. 8: When a preliminary assessment report concludes, on the basis of transparent and verifiable evidence, that a reversal has not occurred, it shall be verified and submitted through a DOE. After conducting a completeness check, the secretariat shall forward the preliminary assessment report to the Supervisory Body along with a recommendation on	158 ^{octies} . If a preliminary assessment report concludes, on the basis of transparent and verifiable evidence, that a reversal has not occurred, it shall be verified and submitted through a DOE to the secretariat through a dedicated interface on the UNFCCC website. After processing the report in accordance with section 6.4.3. below, the secretariat shall forward the preliminary assessment report to the Supervisory Body along	122 ^{bis} . When a preliminary assessment report concludes, on the basis of transparent and verifiable evidence, that a reversal has not occurred, it shall be verified and submitted through a DOE in accordance with respective provisions of the validation and verification standard and activity cycle procedure, and considered and approved by the Supervisory Body in line with the relevant	192. In cases of any preliminary assessment report that concludes that a reversal has not occurred observed event involving the release of stored GHGs that could potentially lead to reversal, the DOE shall determine, on the basis of transparent and verifiable evidence, whether the event, as per the preliminary assessment report, prepared in accordance with the requirements of the

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whether the Supervisory Body should approve it: (a) If the Supervisory Body approves a preliminary assessment report that concludes a reversal has not occurred, it shall notify the activity participants of such approval and shall instruct the mechanism registry administrator to resume the registry operations suspended by operation of paragraph 5; (b) If the Supervisory Body does not approve a preliminary assessment report, the activity participant shall follow the requirements of paragraph 10 below.	with a recommendation to approve or to reject the report. 158^{novies}. If the Supervisory Body approves a preliminary assessment report that concludes a reversal has not occurred, the secretariat shall notify the activity participants of such approval. The Supervisory Body shall instruct the mechanism registry administrator to resume the suspended registry operations referred to in paragraph 158^{quinquies} above in accordance with the relevant provisions of the registry procedure.	provisions of the activity cycle procedure.	activity standard, respective provisions of the removals standard on reversal-related actions, and any other relevant applied methodological regulatory documents, results in an actual reversal or not.
Para. 9: When a preliminary assessment report concludes that a reversal has occurred, it shall not be verified and shall be submitted directly by an activity participant. In this case, the preliminary assessment report shall serve only as notice that a monitoring report is required, and no further actions are required from the	158^{decies}. If a preliminary assessment report concludes that a reversal has occurred, it shall not be verified and shall be submitted directly by an activity participant. In this case, the preliminary assessment report shall serve only as notice, and no further actions are required from the secretariat or Supervisory Body.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.

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secretariat or Supervisory Body.			
Para. 10: If the Supervisory Body does not approve the preliminary assessment report, or if the preliminary assessment report concludes that a reversal has occurred, the activity participant shall submit, through the DOE, a verified monitoring report to the Supervisory Body within 365 calendar days of the end of the observed event. The verified monitoring report shall: (a) Include a description of the monitoring activities and methods used; (b) Identify the location of the event in the form of Keyhole Markup Language files or similar formats as one or more polygon(s) or by specifying the coordinates of the geographic boundary using a known coordinate system; (c) Quantify the amount of the reversal by using the upper bound of the uncertainty interval at a 90 per cent confidence level, with a	158^{undecies}. If a preliminary assessment report is not approved by the Supervisory Body, or if the preliminary assessment report concludes that a reversal has occurred, the activity participant shall submit, through the DOE, a verified monitoring report (hereinafter referred to as the “reversal monitoring report”) to the secretariat within 365 calendar days of the end of the observed event. 158^{duodecies}. Activity participants shall prepare the reversal monitoring report referred to in paragraph 158^{undecies} above in accordance with the relevant requirements of the activity standard, using the “Reversal monitoring report form”.	123. Following submission of the preliminary report and consideration by the Supervisory Body as per the provisions of the activity cycle procedure, if the Supervisory Body does not approve the preliminary assessment report or if the preliminary assessment concludes that the observed event has resulted in an actual reversal, the activity participants shall prepare a reversal monitoring report based on the monitoring plan contained in the PDD and submit it to a DOE for verification within 365 calendar days of the end of the observed event. The reversal monitoring report shall include: (a) A description of the monitoring activities and methods used; (b) The estimated GHG emission reductions and/or net removals occurring during the monitoring period, together with the associated uncertainty;	193. If the Supervisory Body does not approve the preliminary assessment report, or if the preliminary assessment report concludes that the observed event has resulted in an actual reversal and a reversal monitoring report is prepared, the DOE shall determine whether the reversal monitoring report is in compliance with the requirements of the activity standard, respective provisions of the removals reversal standard, applicable methodology(ies) and any other relevant applied methodological regulatory documents. 193^{bis}. The DOE shall assess whether the reversal monitoring report includes: a) A description of the monitoring activities and methods used; b) The estimated GHG emission reductions and/or net removals occurring during the

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description of how the amount was quantified; (d) Include data, records, and logs related to the observed event of greenhouse gas release. If the data set is too large, a summary of the data and an indication of how the full data set can be accessed may be provided in the monitoring report; (e) Classify the reversals as being avoidable, unavoidable, or partially avoidable and partially unavoidable. In cases where the reversals are partially avoidable and partially unavoidable, the monitoring report shall quantify the amount of avoidable reversals and the amount of unavoidable reversals, with the sum equal to the amount of the total reversals; (f) Review the activity's reversal risk assessment and, if necessary, revise the percentage contribution the activity makes to the reversal risk buffer pool account; and (g) Review the Article 6.4 activity's compliance with the		(b)^{bis}. The location of the observed event in the form of Keyhole Markup Language files or similar formats as one or more polygon(s) or by specifying the coordinates of the geographic boundary using a known coordinate system; (b)^{ter}. The amount of the reversal, quantified by using the upper bound of the uncertainty interval at a 90 per cent confidence level, with a description of how the amount was quantified. (b)^{quater}. Classification of the reversals as avoidable, unavoidable, or partially avoidable and partially unavoidable. In cases where the reversals are partially avoidable and partially unavoidable, the reversal monitoring report shall quantify the amount of avoidable reversals and the amount of unavoidable reversals, with the sum equal to the amount of the total reversals; (c) Data collected, including the remote-sensing data, or if the data set is too large, a summary of the data and an indication of how the full data set can be accessed; (d) Data, Records and logs of related to the observed events of	monitoring period, together with the associated uncertainty; c) The location of the observed event in the form of Keyhole Markup Language files or similar formats as one or more polygon(s) or by specifying the coordinates of the geographic boundary using a known coordinate system; d) The amount of the reversal, quantified by using the upper bound of the uncertainty interval at a 90 per cent confidence level, with a description of how the amount was quantified. e) Classification of the reversals as avoidable, unavoidable, or partially avoidable and partially unavoidable. In cases where the reversals are partially avoidable and partially unavoidable, the reversal monitoring report shall quantify the amount of avoidable reversals and the amount of unavoidable reversals, with the sum equal to the amount of the total reversals; f) Data collected, including the remote-sensing data, or if the

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requirements of the sustainable development tool, including by taking into account any negative environmental or social impacts caused by the reversal and developing or updating plans to prevent the recurrence of reversal-related negative environmental and social impacts.		GHG release that potentially could have led to the reversal of removals and/or emission reductions, along with a summary of the GHG release notifications that were submitted during the period covered by the reversal monitoring report; (e) Information on how the risks of reversal were assessed and addressed, consistent with the risk mitigation measures described in the registered PDD; (f) Information on how any negative environmental and social impacts have been assessed, mitigated, and managed, consistent with the measures described in the registered PDD. 124. Following the submission of the reversal monitoring report referred in paragraph 123 above, activity participants shall, through a post-registration change: (a) Review and update the risk assessment of the project activity and revise the risk rating of the project activity, expressed as a percentage contribution the project makes to the reversal risk buffer pool account, as	data set is too large, a summary of the data and an indication of how the full data set can be accessed; g) Data, records and logs related to the observed events of GHG release that potentially could have led to the reversal of removals and/or emission reductions, along with a summary of the GHG release notifications that were submitted during the period covered by the reversal monitoring report; h) Information on how the risks of reversal were assessed and addressed, consistent with the risk mitigation measures described in the registered PDD; i) Information on how any negative environmental and social impacts have been assessed, mitigated, and managed, consistent with the measures described in the registered PDD. 194. The DOE shall also assess whether the monitoring report accurately estimates the magnitude of reversals and

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		necessary, which shall include the development of plans to prevent further releases of GHGs through a post-registration change; (b) Review the A6.4 project's compliance with the requirements and safeguards contained in the A6.4 SD Tool, taking into account any negative environmental and social impacts caused by the reversal and develop or update plans to prevent the recurrence of such negative environmental and social impacts; (c) Review and update the monitoring plan in case additional risk factors are identified following a reversal that are not included or are not adequately addressed in the monitoring plan and the risk assessment plan.	correctly characterizes it as avoidable or unavoidable. 195. The DOE shall also assess whether, through a post-registration change following the submission of the reversal monitoring report: (a) The risk assessment of the activityproject has been revised and updated and the risk rating of the project, expressed as a percentage contribution the project makes to the reversal risk buffer pool account, of the activity has been revised; (b) The compliance with requirements and safeguards contained in the Article 6.4 SD Tool, taking into account any negative environmental and social impacts caused by the reversal and plans developed or updated to prevent the recurrence of such reversal-related negative environmental and social impacts, has been reviewed.

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			(b) ^{bis} . The monitoring plan, taking into account any additional risk factors identified following a reversal that are not included or are not adequately addressed, has been reviewed and updated.
Para. 11: Upon the Supervisory Body's determination that a verified monitoring report submitted pursuant to paragraph 10 above has correctly quantified the magnitude of the reversal and characterized the type of reversal the following actions shall be taken: (a) The secretariat shall take the actions described in section 5.1 and 5.2 of this Appendix to address the avoidable and/or unavoidable reversals identified in the verified monitoring report; (b) The activity participant shall take the actions described in section 5.2 of this Appendix to address the avoidable reversals identified, if any, in the verified monitoring report; and	158^{terdecies}. If the Supervisory Body determines that a reversal monitoring report submitted pursuant to paragraph 158^{undecies} above has correctly quantified the magnitude of the reversal and characterized the type of reversal as avoidable or unavoidable: a) The secretariat shall take actions in accordance with the relevant provisions in the registry procedure to address the avoidable and/or unavoidable reversals identified in the reversal monitoring report; and b) The activity participant shall take actions in accordance with the relevant provisions in the registry procedure to address the avoidable reversals identified, if any, in the reversal monitoring report. 158^{quaterdecies}. Following the satisfactory completion of the actions	Not applicable.	Not applicable.

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(c) Following the satisfactory completion of the actions described in subparagraphs (a) and (b) as applicable, the secretariat shall reinstate all registry operations that were previously suspended by operation of paragraph 5 above.	described in paragraph 158 ^{terdecies} above as applicable, the secretariat shall reinstate all registry operations that were previously suspended owing to paragraph 158 ^{quinquies} above in accordance with the relevant provisions of the registry procedure.		
Para. 12: Activity participants shall submit to the secretariat, by 31 March each year, an annual reversal report that indicates whether, at any point in the previous calendar year, any observed events involving the release of stored greenhouse gases that could potentially have led to a reversal.	A new section “6.4.2. Annual reversal reports” was added. 158^{sexdecies}. Activity participants shall submit to the secretariat, by 31 March each year, an annual reversal report that indicates whether, at any point in the previous calendar year, any observed events involving the release of stored GHGs that could potentially have led to a reversal had occurred. The report shall be submitted through a dedicated interface on the UNFCCC website.	A new section “7.4.2. Annual reversal reports” was added. 124^{bis}. Activity participants shall prepare an annual reversal report that indicates whether, at any point in the previous calendar year, any observed events have occurred. The annual reversal reports shall be prepared following any guidance provided in the applicable methodology regarding the appropriate data and methods for determining whether any such observed event has occurred. 124^{ter}. Activity participants shall submit the annual reversal report to the secretariat by 31 March each year in accordance with the activity cycle procedure.	Not applicable.

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Para. 13: Annual reversal reports shall be prepared following any guidance provided in the applicable mechanism methodology regarding the appropriate data and methods for determining whether any such observed event has occurred.	158 ^{quindecies} . Activity participants shall prepare an annual reversal report in accordance with the relevant provisions of the activity standard, using the “Annual reversal report form”.	Per 124 ^{bis} . and 124 ^{ter} above.	195 ^{bis} . The DOE shall assess whether the annual reversal report complies with the relevant provisions in the activity standard and the applicable methodology(ies) and that appropriate data and methods are used for determining the occurrence of any observed event involving the release of stored GHGs that could potentially lead to reversal (hereinafter referred to as “observed event”).
Para. 14: If an annual reversal report indicates the presence of any such observed events, it shall identify and list them along with the corresponding notification(s) provided to the secretariat pursuant to paragraphs 3 or 4 above.	Not applicable.	124 ^{quater} . If an annual reversal report indicates the presence of any observed events, it shall identify and list them along with the corresponding notification(s) provided to the secretariat pursuant to paragraph 119 ^{bis} above.	195 ^{ter} . If an annual reversal report indicates the presence of any such observed events, the DOE shall check whether the annual reversal report identifies and lists them along with the corresponding notification(s) provided to the secretariat in accordance with the relevant provisions of the activity cycle procedure.
Para. 15: If the annual reversal report indicates the absence of any such observed event, it	Not applicable.	124 ^{quinquies} . If the annual reversal report indicates the absence of any such observed event, it shall state the basis for this conclusion.	195 ^{quater} . If the annual reversal report indicates the absence of any such observed event, the

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shall state the basis for this conclusion.			DOE shall assess the basis for this conclusion.
Para. 16: Annual reversal reports shall be verified either: (a) Prior to their submission to the secretariat; or (b) Retroactively as part of the verification of monitoring reports, such that the verification of a monitoring report also covers all previously unverified annual reversal reports that pertain to the time period covered by the verified monitoring report.	158 ^{septendecies} . Annual reversal reports shall be verified by a DOE either: (a) Prior to their submission to the secretariat; or (b) Retroactively as part of the verification of monitoring reports, such that the verification of a monitoring report also covers all previously unverified annual reversal reports that pertain to the time period covered by the monitoring report under verification.	124 ^{sexies} . Annual reversal reports shall be verified by a DOE either: (a) Prior to their submission to the secretariat; or (b) Retroactively as part of the verification of monitoring reports, such that the verification of a monitoring report also covers all previously unverified annual reversal reports that pertain to the time period covered by the monitoring report under verification.	195 ^{quinquies} . The DOE shall verify annual reversal reports either: (a) Prior to their submission to the secretariat; or (b) Retroactively as part of the verification of a monitoring report, such that the verification of a monitoring report also covers all previously unverified annual reversal reports that pertain to the time period covered by the monitoring report under verification.
Para. 17: Monitoring reports, preliminary assessment reports, and annual reversal reports shall be submitted to the Supervisory Body on or before their respective deadlines.	A new section “6.4.4. Late or missing report submissions” was added. 158 ^{semel et tricies} . Reversal monitoring reports, preliminary assessment reports, and annual reversal reports shall be submitted to the Supervisory Body through the secretariat on or before their respective deadlines.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Para. 18: Activity participants may make a request to extend a deadline by submitting a request to the Supervisory Body through the secretariat. The secretariat shall review any	158 ^{ter et tricies} . Activity participants may request to extend a deadline for report submission by submitting a request to the Supervisory Body through the secretariat. The request shall be submitted through a	Not applicable.	Not applicable.

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request and take the following actions: (a) When a request is made because the activity participant's process for DOE contracting evidence the unavailability of DOEs or because of force majeure, the secretariat shall automatically approve a single, 90 day extension of the applicable deadline; and (b) For all other requests, including requests for extensions beyond those granted under subparagraph (a), the secretariat shall recommend that the Supervisory Body grant the extension for any request that is justified with appropriate evidence or deny the request; (c) All requests and grants of extension or denials of requests shall be made publicly available.	dedicated interface on the UNFCCC website, using the “Request for deadline extension for reporting form”. The secretariat shall make all requests and outcomes publicly available. 158^{quater et tricies}. Where a request pursuant to paragraph 158^{ter et tricies} above is made due to force majeure circumstances or due to the demonstrated unavailability of DOEs, the secretariat shall automatically approve a single extension of the applicable deadline. In this case, the deadline shall be extended for a period of 90 days. 158^{quinquies et tricies}. For all other requests for extension, including requests for extensions beyond those granted under paragraph 158^{quater et tricies} above, the activity participants shall provide justification(s) and evidence supporting its request. Those requests shall be considered by the Supervisory Body based on a recommendation from the secretariat. The Supervisory Body shall decide either to:		

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	a) Approve the extension for a request that is justified with appropriate evidence; or b) Reject the request for extension.		
Para. 19: The Supervisory Body may develop additional guidance and consequences to address matters not elaborated here, including to address any patterns of late, incomplete or missing submissions that may arise in practice.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Para. 20: A monitoring report, preliminary assessment report, or annual reversal report that is not submitted on or before its deadline shall be designated as late.	158 ^{bis} et tricies. A reversal monitoring report, preliminary assessment report, or annual reversal report that is not submitted on or before its deadline shall be designated as late.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Para. 21: Whenever a monitoring report, preliminary assessment report, or annual reversal report has been designated as late, the secretariat shall provide an automated electronic notice to activity participants that the monitoring report, preliminary assessment report, or annual	A new section “6.4.4.1. Late report submissions” was added. 158 ^{sexies} et tricies. If a reversal monitoring report, preliminary assessment report, or annual reversal report has been designated as late, the secretariat shall provide an automated electronic notice to activity participants that the report has not	Not applicable.	Not applicable.

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reversal report has not been received on time and has therefore been designated as late.	been received on time and has therefore been designated as late.		
Para. 22: Whenever a monitoring report has been designated as late, the secretariat shall suspend the activity-specific registry operations of issuance, transfer, cancellation and retirement of A6.4ERs, except for transfers of A6.4ERs to the reversal risk buffer pool account. If an activity participant submits a late monitoring report before it is designated as missing pursuant to paragraph 32 below, the secretariat shall reinstate all registry operations that were previously suspended by operation of this paragraph.	158 ^{septies et tricies} . If a reversal monitoring report has been designated as late, the secretariat shall suspend the project-specific registry operations of issuance, transfer, cancellation and retirement of A6.4ERs, except for transfers of A6.4ERs to the reversal risk buffer pool account in accordance with the relevant provisions of the registry procedure. If an activity participant submits a late reversal monitoring report before it is designated as missing pursuant to paragraph 158 ^{novies et tricies} (b) below, the secretariat shall reinstate all registry operations that were previously suspended by operation of this paragraph.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Para. 23: Whenever an annual reversal report has been designated as late and it has not been submitted within 30 calendar days since the notification referenced in paragraph 21 above, the secretariat shall suspend the	158 ^{octies et tricies} . If an annual reversal report has been designated as late and it has not been submitted within 30 calendar days since the notification referenced in paragraph 158 ^{sexies et tricies} above, the secretariat shall suspend the project-specific registry operations of issuance,	Not applicable.	Not applicable.

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activity-specific registry operations of issuance, transfer, cancellation and retirement, except for transfers of A6.4ERs to the reversal risk buffer pool account. If an activity participant submits a late annual reversal report before it is designated as missing pursuant to paragraph 34 below, the secretariat shall reinstate all registry operations that were previously suspended by operation of this paragraph.	transfer, cancellation and retirement of A6.4ERs, except for transfers of A6.4ERs to the reversal risk buffer pool account in accordance with the relevant provisions of the registry procedure. If an activity participant submits a late annual reversal report before it is designated as missing pursuant to paragraph 158 ^{novies et tricies} (c) below, the secretariat shall reinstate all registry operations that were previously suspended by operation of this paragraph.		
Para. 24: The secretariat shall, subject to the guidance of the Supervisory Body, conduct within seven days a completeness check in accordance with the completeness check checklist for following submission types, as applicable: (a) Monitoring report submissions; (b) Preliminary assessment report submissions that conclude an observed event has not led to a reversal; and (c) Annual reversal report submissions.	New sections “6.4.3. Processing of submitted reports” and “6.4.3.1. Completeness check” were added. 158 ^{duodevicies} . The secretariat shall conduct within seven days a completeness check in accordance with the completeness check checklist for following submission types, as applicable: (a) Reversal monitoring report submissions; (b) Preliminary assessment report submissions that conclude an observed event has not led to a reversal; and	Not applicable.	Not applicable.

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	(c) Annual reversal report submissions.		
Para. 25: A preliminary assessment report that concludes that a reversal has occurred shall automatically be deemed to be complete. The secretariat shall not perform a completeness check for this submission type.	158 ^{undevices} . A preliminary assessment report that concludes that a reversal has occurred shall automatically be deemed to be complete. The secretariat shall not perform a completeness check for this submission type.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Para. 26: If the secretariat, during the completeness check, identifies issues of an editorial nature or consistency in the submission, it shall request by email the activity participants or the DOE, copying the activity participants, as applicable, to submit revised documents and/or information. In this case, the activity participants or the DOE, as applicable, shall submit the requested documents and/or information within seven days of receipt of the request. If the activity participants or the DOE, as applicable, does not submit the requested documents and/or information by this deadline, the secretariat shall conclude	158 ^{vicies} . If the secretariat, during the completeness check, identifies issues of an editorial nature or consistency in the submission, it shall request by email the activity participants or the DOE, copying the activity participants, as applicable, to submit revised documents and/or information. In this case, the activity participants or the DOE, as applicable, shall submit the requested documents and/or information within seven days of receipt of the request. If the activity participants or the DOE, as applicable, do not submit the requested documents and/or information by this deadline, the secretariat shall conclude that the request submission is incomplete unless the activity participants or the DOE, as applicable, provides a	Not applicable.	Not applicable.

Information note: Revision of the “Article 6.4 activity cycle procedure for projects”, the “Article 6.4 activity standard for projects” and the “Article 6.4 validation and verification standard for projects” to incorporate elements related to non-permanence and reversals
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that the request submission is incomplete unless the activity participants or the DOE, as applicable, provides a justification by this deadline, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 18, for not submitting the requested documents and/or information on time. In this case, the deadline shall be extended accordingly.	justification by this deadline, consistent with the requirements of paragraphs 158 ^{ter et tricies} to 158 ^{quinquies et tricies} below, for not submitting the requested documents and/or information on time. In this case, the deadline shall be extended accordingly.		
Para. 27: Upon conclusion of the completeness check stage, the secretariat shall notify the activity participants or the DOE, as applicable, of the conclusion of the completeness check stage. If the submission does not meet the requirements of the completeness check, the secretariat shall also communicate the underlying reasons to the activity participants or the DOE, as applicable, and make them publicly available on the UNFCCC website. In this case, the activity participants or the DOE, as applicable, may resubmit the monitoring report,	158 ^{semel et vicies} . The secretariat shall notify the activity participants or the DOE, as applicable, of the conclusion of the completeness check stage. If the submission does not meet the requirements of the completeness check, the secretariat shall communicate the underlying reasons to the activity participants and/or the DOE, as applicable, and make them publicly available on the UNFCCC website. In this case, the activity participants or the DOE, as applicable, may resubmit the reversal monitoring report, preliminary assessment report, or annual reversal report with revised documentation. The deadline for any	Not applicable.	Not applicable.

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preliminary assessment report, or annual reversal report with revised documentation. The deadline for any such resubmission shall be 60 days from the date of notification.	such resubmission shall be 60 days from the date of notification.		
Para. 28: Upon positive conclusion of the completeness check stage, the secretariat shall, subject to the guidance of the Supervisory Body, conduct within 21 days a substantive check in accordance with the substantive check checklist for submissions of monitoring reports, preliminary assessment reports, and annual reversal reports.	New sections “6.4.3. Processing of submitted reports” and “6.4.3.2. Substantive check” were added. 158^{bis} et viciis. Upon positive conclusion of the completeness check stage, the secretariat shall, subject to the guidance of the Supervisory Body, conduct within 21 days a substantive check in accordance with the substantive check checklist for submissions of reversal monitoring reports, preliminary assessment reports, and annual reversal reports.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Para. 29: If the secretariat, during the substantive check, identifies issues of a substantive nature or missing basic information, it shall request by email the activity participants or the DOE, copying the activity participants, as applicable, to submit revised documents	158 ^{ter} et viciis. If the secretariat, during the substantive check, identifies issues of a substantive nature or missing information, it shall request by email the activity participants or the DOE, copying the activity participants, as applicable, to submit revised documents and/or information. In this case, the activity participants or the DOE, as	Not applicable.	Not applicable.

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and/or information. In this case, the activity participants or the DOE, as applicable, shall submit the requested documents and/or information within 60 calendar days of receipt of the request. If the activity participants or DOE, as applicable, does not submit the requested documents and/or information by this deadline, the secretariat shall conclude that the request submission is incomplete unless the activity participants or DOE, as applicable, provides a justification by this deadline for not submitting the requested documents and/or information on time. In this case, the deadline shall be extended accordingly.	applicable, shall submit the requested documents and/or information within 60 calendar days of receipt of the request. If the activity participants or DOE, as applicable, do not submit the requested documents and/or information by this deadline, the secretariat shall conclude that the request submission is incomplete unless the activity participants or DOE, as applicable, provides a justification by this deadline for not submitting the requested documents and/or information on time. In this case, the deadline shall be extended accordingly.		
Para. 30: Upon conclusion of the substantive check stage, the secretariat shall notify the activity participants and, where applicable, the DOE of the conclusion of the substantive check stage. If the submission does not meet the requirements of the substantive check, the	158 ^{quater et vices} . The secretariat shall notify the activity participants and, where applicable, the DOE, of the conclusion of the substantive check stage. If the submission does not meet the requirements of the substantive check, the secretariat shall conclude that the submission is incomplete and communicate the	Not applicable.	Not applicable.

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secretariat shall conclude that the submission is incomplete and communicate the underlying reasons to the activity participants and, where applicable, the DOE, and make them publicly available on the UNFCCC website. In this case, the activity participants or the DOE, as applicable, may resubmit the monitoring report, preliminary assessment report, or annual reversal report with revised documentation. The deadline for any such resubmission shall be 60 days from the date of notification.	underlying reasons to the activity participants and, where applicable, the DOE, and make them publicly available on the UNFCCC website. In this case, the activity participants or the DOE, as applicable, may resubmit the reversal monitoring report, preliminary assessment report, or annual reversal report with revised documentation. The deadline for any such resubmission shall be 60 days from the date of notification. A new section “6.4.3.3. Consideration by the Supervisory Body” was added. 158^{sexies et vicies}. Upon a positive conclusion of the substantive check stage, the secretariat shall publish the relevant report on the UNFCCC website, and the report shall be deemed received by the Supervisory Body for consideration. 158^{septies et vicies}. The secretariat shall, subject to the guidance of the Supervisory Body, prepare and send to the Supervisory Body a summary note on the report within 14 days of the date of publication of the report.		

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	158^{octies et vicies}. The Supervisory Body shall, at its meeting, consider the report and the summary note prepared by the secretariat pursuant to the respective provisions for the consideration of preliminary reports as per paragraphs 158^{novies} or 158^{undecies} above and reversal monitoring reports as per paragraph 158^{terdecies} above. 158^{novies et vicies}. The Supervisory Body shall, at its meeting, consider the annual reversal report and the summary note prepared by the secretariat and decide whether to: - Approve the annual reversal report; - Reject the annual reversal report. 158^{trices}. The secretariat shall notify the activity participants and/or the DOE, as applicable, of the decision of the Supervisory Body referred to in paragraph 158^{novies et vicies} above. Where the Supervisory Body decides to approve the annual reversal report, the secretariat shall reflect such approval on the public UNFCCC webpage where the annual reversal report is published. Where the		

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	Supervisory Body decides to reject the annual reversal report, the secretariat shall request the activity participants or the DOE, as applicable, to submit a revised annual reversal report.		
Para. 31: Any submission deadline established pursuant to paragraph 30 shall be subject to the provisions for late, incomplete and missing report submissions.	158 ^{quinquies et vicies} . Any submission deadline established pursuant to paragraph 158 ^{semel et vicies} or 158 ^{quater et vicies} above and not met by the activity participants shall be subject to the provisions governing late, incomplete or missing report submissions, as applicable. For the purposes of determining the applicable timelines for late or missing submissions, the reference date shall be the date on which the secretariat notifies the activity participants and/or the DOE, as applicable, that the submission does not meet the requirements of the completeness check or substantive check.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Para. 32: A monitoring report shall be considered missing if it has not been received within 180 calendar days of the date of the notice referenced in paragraph 21.	A new section “6.4.4.2. Missing report submissions” was added. 158 ^{novies et tricies} . A report designated as late shall be considered missing if it is not received within the following timeframes, calculated from the date	Not applicable.	Not applicable.

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	of the notice referenced in paragraph 158 ^{sexies et tricies} above: a) 60 calendar days for a preliminary assessment report; b) 180 calendar days for a reversal monitoring report; c) 90 calendar days for an annual reversal report.		
Para. 33: A preliminary assessment report shall be considered missing if it has not been received within 60 calendar days of the date of the notice referenced in paragraph 21.	Per paragraph 158 ^{novies et tricies} above.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Para. 34: An annual reversal report shall be considered missing if it has not been received within 90 calendar days of the date of the notice referenced in paragraph 21.	Per paragraph 158 ^{novies et tricies} above.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Para. 35: Whenever a monitoring report or annual reversal report is designated as missing, the Article 6.4 activity shall be deemed to have experienced avoidable reversals. The secretariat shall provide electronic notice to the activity participant and inform the activity participant that it	158 ^{quadrages} . Whenever a reversal monitoring report or annual reversal report is designated as missing, the A6.4 project shall be deemed to have experienced avoidable reversals. The secretariat shall provide electronic notice to the activity participant and inform the activity participant that it shall mitigate the avoidable reversals	Not applicable.	Not applicable.

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shall mitigate the avoidable reversals following the provisions of section 5 of this document.	following the provisions of section 6.4.5 below.		
Para. 36: The quantity of the avoidable reversals designated in paragraph 35 shall be deemed to be equal to the total number of A6.4ERs issued with respect to the Article 6.4 activity, cumulatively from the Article 6.4 activity's start date through the date that the monitoring report or annual reversal report is designated as missing, inclusive of the number of A6.4ERs forwarded or first transferred, as applicable, to: (a) The activity participants; (b) The reversal risk buffer pool account; (c) The mechanism registry account held by the Adaptation Fund; and (d) The mechanism registry account for cancellation towards delivering overall mitigation in global emissions.	158^{semel et quadragies}. The quantity of the avoidable reversals designated in paragraph 158^{quadragies} above shall be deemed to be equal to the total number of A6.4ERs issued with respect to the A6.4 project, cumulatively from the A6.4 project's start date through the date when the reversal monitoring report or annual reversal report was designated as missing, inclusive of the number of A6.4ERs forwarded or first transferred, as applicable, to: a) The activity participants; b) The reversal risk buffer pool account; c) The mechanism registry account held by the Adaptation Fund; and d) The mechanism registry account for cancellation towards delivering overall mitigation in global emissions.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.

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Para. 37: Whenever a preliminary assessment report is designated as missing, the observed event in question will be deemed to have resulted in a reversal and a monitoring report submission shall be required pursuant to the terms of paragraph 10.	158^{bis} et quadragies. Whenever a preliminary assessment report is designated as missing, the observed event in question will be deemed to have resulted in a reversal and a reversal monitoring report submission shall be required pursuant to the terms of paragraph 158^{undecies} above. 158^{ter} et quadragies. If the preliminary assessment report is missing the secretariat shall notify the activity participants of the missing preliminary assessment report and request the activity participants through a DOE to submit a verified reversal monitoring report.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Para. 39: For Article 6.4 activities that are subject to reversal risks, activity participants shall continue to monitor applicable greenhouse gas reservoirs in the post-crediting monitoring period, applying the provisions of sections 2 and 3, as applicable, to: (c) Assess and determine whether any reversals have occurred;	A new section “11. Post-crediting monitoring and reporting” was added. 250^{bis}. For Article 6.4 activities that are subject to reversal risks, activity participants shall continue to monitor applicable GHG reservoirs in the post-crediting monitoring period, in accordance with the relevant requirements of the activity standard and the applicable methodologies, applying the provisions of section 6.4. above, as applicable, to:	A new section ‘10.1. General requirements’ was added under section ‘10. Post-crediting monitoring and reporting’. 171. For projects involving removals and for emission reduction projects with reversal risks, activity participants shall continue monitoring the project after the end of the last active crediting period to:	Not applicable.

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(d) Quantify the amount of any such reversals; and (e) Ensure remediation of reversals subject to the provisions of section 5.	a) Assess and determine whether any reversals have occurred; b) Quantify the amount of any such reversals; c) Ensure remediation of reversals subject to the provisions of section 6.4.5. above; and d) Confirm the continued storage of the GHGs.	(a) Assess and determine whether any reversals have occurred; (b) Quantify the amount of any such reversals; (b)^{bis}. Ensure remediation of reversals, subject to the relevant provisions of the activity cycle procedure; (c) Confirm the continued storage of the GHGs.	
Para. 40: The post-crediting monitoring period shall continue for a duration to be proposed in methodologies and approved by the Supervisory Body or until one of the conditions in section 4.2 below is satisfied. The post-crediting monitoring period shall start on the first day after the end of the last active crediting period.	250^{ter}. The post-crediting monitoring period shall start on the first day after the end of the last active crediting period. 250^{quater}. The post-crediting monitoring period shall continue for the duration specified by the applicable methodology(ies) or until one of the conditions in section 11.2 below is satisfied.	171^{ter}. The post-crediting monitoring period shall start on the first day after the end of the last active crediting period. 171^{quater}. The post-crediting monitoring period shall continue for a duration specified by the applicable methodology(ies) or until one of the conditions in section 10.2 below is satisfied.	Not applicable.
Para. 41: Activity participants shall remain responsible for post crediting monitoring unless a third party nominated by the activity participant and approved by the Supervisory Body and host country, takes over formal responsibility to	250^{quinquies}. Activity participants shall remain responsible for post-crediting monitoring unless a third party nominated by activity participants and approved by the Supervisory Body and host Party, takes over formal responsibility to perform post-	171^{quinquies}. Activity participants shall remain responsible for post crediting monitoring unless a third party nominated by the activity participant and approved by the Supervisory Body and host Party, takes over formal responsibility to perform the post-crediting	Not applicable.

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perform the post-crediting monitoring for the Article 6.4 activity.	crediting monitoring for the A6.4 project.	monitoring for the A6.4 project in accordance with the provisions in the activity cycle procedure.	
Para. 42: Activity participants may at any time update their monitoring plan for the post-crediting monitoring period as part of a request for a post-registration change, subject to any conditions and provisions included in the mechanism methodology.	250 ^{sexies} . Activity participants (or the nominated third party) may at any time update their monitoring plan for the post-crediting monitoring period as part of a request for a post-registration change as per paragraph 119(a) or paragraph 119(b)(iv) above, subject to any conditions and the relevant provisions included in the applicable methodology(ies) and other relevant documents.	171 ^{sexies} . Activity participants (or the nominated third party) may at any time update their monitoring plan for the post-crediting monitoring period as part of a request for a post-registration change, subject to any conditions and the provisions included in the applicable methodology(ies).	Not applicable.
Para. 43: Activity participants shall submit, through a DOE, a monitoring report for the post-crediting monitoring period no later than the date it is due, with the due date determined according to the minimum frequency for the submission of monitoring reports as specified in the mechanism methodology. If a monitoring report is submitted before the due date (an "early submission"), the due date for the next monitoring report shall be the date of the early submission plus the	250 ^{septies} . Activity participants shall prepare a monitoring report for the post-crediting monitoring period (hereinafter referred to as the “post-crediting monitoring report”) in accordance with the applicable methodology(ies), using the “Post-crediting monitoring report form”. 250 ^{octies} . Activity participants shall submit, through a DOE, the post-crediting monitoring report no later than the date it is due. The due date is determined according to the minimum frequency for the submission of post-crediting monitoring reports as specified in the	Not applicable.	A new section “9. Post-crediting monitoring and reporting” was added. 210 ^{bis} . The DOE shall assess whether the post-crediting monitoring reports comply with the relevant provisions of the activity standard, the reversal standard, the applicable methodology(ies) and any other relevant methodological documents and tools.

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timeframe corresponding to the minimum frequency, as applicable on the date of the early submission.	applicable methodology(ies). If a monitoring report is submitted before the due date (hereinafter referred to as an "early submission"), the due date for the next monitoring report shall be the date of the early submission plus the timeframe corresponding to the minimum frequency, as applicable on the date of the early submission. 250^{novies}. The post-crediting monitoring report shall be processed by the secretariat and considered by the Supervisory Body, mutatis mutandis, in accordance with section 6.4.3 above.		
Para. 44: Activity participants may request to terminate their monitoring and reporting obligations in the post-crediting monitoring period if they have mitigated all potential reversals for all A6.4ERs issued to the Article 6.4 activity for emission reductions and/or net removals that are subject to a risk of reversal (i.e., considering all issuances to the Article 6.4 activity from the start of the first crediting period), as referred to	A new section “11.2.2. Termination via remediation of potential future reversals” was added. 250^{septendecies}. The activity participants may, at any time during their post-crediting period, request termination of their monitoring and reporting obligations. 250^{duodevices}. If the activity participants wish to terminate their monitoring and reporting obligations in the post-crediting monitoring period, they may	A new section “10.2.2. Termination via remediation of potential future reversals” was added. 172. To terminate post-crediting monitoring, Aactivity participants shall follow the relevant provisions of the activity cycle procedure, and shall may terminate the post-crediting monitoring, subject to approval by the Supervisory Body, if they candemonstrate, by	Not applicable.

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in section 6.3 of "Standard: Addressing non-permanence and reversals in mechanism methodologies" (A6.4-SBM18-A13), directly through the cancellation of a corresponding number of A6.4ER units from any Article 6.4 activity to a dedicated cancellation account in the mechanism registry for the purpose of remediation of future reversals. For any authorised A6.4ERs issued to the Article 6.4 activity, the cancellation shall be made using authorised A6.4ERs.	request this termination if they have mitigated all potential reversals for all A6.4ERs issued to the A6.4 project for emission reductions and/or net removals that are subject to a risk of reversal (i.e., considering all issuances to the A6.4 project from the start of the first crediting period), as referred to in section 6.3 of the “Standard: Addressing non-permanence and reversals in mechanism methodologies” (A6.4-STAN-METH-007) directly through the cancellation of a corresponding number of A6.4ER units from any A6.4 project to a dedicated cancellation account in the mechanism registry for the purpose of remediation of future reversals. For any authorized A6.4ERs issued to the A6.4 project, the cancellation shall be made using authorized A6.4ERs.	providing transparent and verifiable information, that: (a) The stored GHGs are at a negligible risk of reversal; or (b) The potential future reversals are remediated in accordance with the provisions of the relevant section of the removals standard (i.e., Remediation of reversals).activity cycle procedure and the registry procedure. 172 ^{quater} . If the activity participants, at any time during their post crediting period, wish to request termination of their monitoring and reporting obligations, they shall request the termination, through a DOE, if they have mitigated all potential reversals for all A6.4ERs issued to the Article 6.4 activity for emission reductions and/or net removals that are subject to a risk of reversal following the relevant provisions of the activity cycle procedure.	
Para. 45: Once an activity participant, or approved third party guarantor or insurance provider, has cancelled	250 ^{undevices} . Once an activity participant, or approved third party guarantor or insurance provider, has cancelled A6.4ERs pursuant to	Not applicable.	A new section “9.1.2. Termination of monitoring and reporting obligations via

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A6.4ERs pursuant to paragraph 44 above, it may, through a DOE, request the Supervisory Body to terminate its monitoring and reporting obligations in the post-crediting monitoring period at any time during the post-crediting monitoring period. Within 28 days of receiving such a request, the secretariat shall determine whether it complies with paragraph 44. If the secretariat determines that the requirements of paragraph 44 have been satisfied, it shall notify the DOE and activity participants that the Article 6.4 activity is relieved of all obligations under section 4.1 and make this information available on the UNFCCC website.	paragraph 250^{duodevicies} above, it may, through a DOE, request the Supervisory Body to terminate its monitoring and reporting obligations in the post-crediting monitoring period at any time during the post-crediting monitoring period. The request shall be submitted through a dedicated interface on the UNFCCC website through the "Request to terminate post-crediting period monitoring form based on cancellation of A6.4 ERs for mitigation of all reversals". 250^{vicies}. Within 28 days of receiving a request referred to in paragraph 250^{undevicies} above, the secretariat shall determine whether it complies with paragraph 250^{duodevicies}. above. If the secretariat determines that the requirements of paragraph 250^{duodevicies} above have been satisfied, it shall notify the DOE and activity participants that the A6.4 project is relieved of all obligations under section 11.1 above and make this information available on the UNFCCC website. 250^{semel et vicies}. If the secretariat determines that the request referred		remediation of potential future reversals” was added. 210^{quater}. If the activity participants wish to request approval to terminate their monitoring and reporting obligations at any time during their post-crediting monitoring period, the DOE shall verify that the activity participants, approved third party guarantor or insurance provider, have mitigated all potential reversals for all A6.4ERs issued to the Article 6.4 activity for emission reductions and/or net removals that are subject to a risk of reversal and have cancelled the required A6.4ERs pursuant to relevant provisions of the activity cycle procedure and activity standard.

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	to in paragraph 250 ^{undevicies} above does not comply with the requirements of paragraph 250 ^{duodevicies} above, the secretariat shall notify the DOE and the activity participants for the reasons of its conclusion.		
Para. 46: Activities participants may submit through a DOE justified demonstration of sufficient insurance policy, or comparable guarantee products, or third-party guarantee to cover the risk that reversals occur including a plan for detecting future reversals for a minimum period which shall be assessed and considered for approval by the Supervisory Body.	A new section “11.2.1. Termination of the activity participants’ responsibility via transfer of monitoring and reporting responsibility to a third party” was added. 250^{decies}. Activity participants may request transfer of their monitoring, reporting and remediation obligation to a third Party. To this end, the activity participant shall submit, through a DOE, a validated and justified demonstration of sufficient insurance policy, or comparable guarantee products, or third-party guarantee, to remediate potential future reversals, including a plan for detecting future reversals. The request shall be submitted for consideration by the Supervisory Body through a dedicated interface on the UNFCCC website, using the “Request for approval of nomination of a third party form”.	A new section “10.2.1. Termination of the activity participants’ responsibility via transfer of monitoring and reporting responsibility to a third party’ was added. 172^{ter}. If activity participants wish to transfer monitoring, reporting and remediation obligations to a third party, insurer and/or guarantor, they shall provide demonstration of sufficient insurance policy, comparable guarantee products, or third-party guarantee, to cover the risk that reversals occur, including a plan for detecting future reversals for a minimum period in accordance with the applicable methodology and relevant provisions of the activity cycle procedure. The demonstration shall be assessed	A new section “9.1.1. Termination of the activity participants’ responsibility via transfer of monitoring and reporting responsibility to a third party” was added. 210^{ter}. Where the activity participants wish to transfer monitoring, reporting and remediating obligations to relevant third parties, insurers or guarantors, the DOE shall assess whether the activity participants demonstrated sufficient insurance policy, or comparable guarantee products, or third-party guarantee, to cover the risk to remediate potential future reversals, including a plan for detecting future reversals.

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	250^{undecies}. Once the secretariat receives the request pursuant to paragraph 250^{decies} above, it shall confirm that the required information has been duly provided and shall inform the host Party of the A6.4 project of the receipt of such a request. The host Party may then indicate through the dedicated interface on the UNFCCC website, whether it: a) Approves the request to nominate a third party to take over formal responsibility to perform the post-crediting monitoring for the A6.4 project; or b) Rejects the request. 250^{duodecies}. If the host Party rejects the request pursuant to paragraph 250^{undecies}(b) above, the secretariat shall notify the activity participants and the request will not be processed further. 250^{terdecies}. If the host Party approves the request pursuant to paragraph 250^{undecies}(a) above, the secretariat shall assess the request and provide a recommendation to the Supervisory Body on the course of action.	and considered for approval by the Supervisory Body.	

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	250^{quaterdecies}. The Supervisory Body shall, taking into account the recommendation by the secretariat, decide either to: a) Approve the request to nominate a third party to take over formal responsibility to perform the post-crediting monitoring for the A6.4 project; or b) Reject the request. 250^{quindécies}. The secretariat shall notify the activity participants and the host Party of the Supervisory Body's decision pursuant to paragraph 250^{quaterdecies} above.		
Para. 47: Where the Supervisory Body has approved demonstration of sufficient insurance or guarantee in accordance with paragraph 46 above, monitoring and reporting and remediation obligations shall be transferred to the relevant third parties, insurers or guarantors without prejudice to paragraph 41.	250 ^{sexdecies} . Where the Supervisory Body has approved demonstration of sufficient insurance or guarantee in accordance with paragraph 250 ^{quaterdecies(a)} above, monitoring and reporting and remediation obligations shall be transferred to the relevant third parties, insurers and/or guarantors without prejudice to paragraph 250 ^{quinquies} above.	Per paragraph 172 ^{ter} above.	Not applicable.

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Para. 48: Conditions and criteria for justification of the demonstration of sufficiency of coverage will be further developed by the Supervisory Body.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Para. 49: At any time after the minimum post-crediting monitoring period defined in an activity's mechanism methodology has elapsed, activity participants may submit, through a DOE, a request to the Supervisory Body to terminate post-crediting period monitoring and reporting, accompanied by a verification of the conditions and information required. The request shall demonstrate that: (a) The stored greenhouse gases, or precursors of greenhouse gases, are at a negligible risk of reversal, as defined in paragraph 3(g) of "Standard: Addressing non-permanence and reversals in mechanism methodologies" (A6.4-SBM18-A13), calculated over at least a 100	A new section “11.2.3. Termination via demonstration of negligible risk of reversal” was added. 250 ^{bis} et vices. At any time after the minimum post-crediting monitoring period defined in an activity's applicable methodology(ies) has elapsed, activity participants may request, through a DOE, the Supervisory Body to terminate post-crediting period monitoring and reporting. The request shall be submitted through a dedicated interface on the UNFCCC website, using the "Request to terminate post-crediting period monitoring form based on demonstration of negligible risk of reversal".	A new section “10.2.3. Termination via demonstration of negligible risk of reversal” was added. 172 ^{quinquies} . At any time after the minimum post-crediting monitoring period defined in an activity's methodology has elapsed, if the activity participants wish to terminate the post-crediting period monitoring and reporting, they shall demonstrate that: (a) The stored GHGs, or precursors of GHGs, are at a negligible risk of reversal, as defined in the relevant provisions of the "Standard: Addressing non-permanence and reversals in mechanism methodologies" (A6.4-STAN-METH-007), calculated over at least a 100-year timeframe starting from the year of submission of the request; and	A new section “9.1.3. Termination via demonstration of negligible risk of reversal” was added. 210 ^{quinquies} . If the activity participants wish to request approval to terminate the project's post-crediting period monitoring and reporting after the minimum post-crediting monitoring period defined in a project's applicable methodology has elapsed, the DOE shall verify the conditions and information required in accordance with the relevant requirements in the activity standard and applicable methodology(ies) used to demonstrate that: (a) The stored GHGs, or precursors of greenhouse gases, are at a negligible risk of reversal as defined in relevant provisions

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year timeframe starting from the year of submission of the request; and (b) All conditions or criteria set in the mechanism methodology for termination of post-crediting period monitoring have been fulfilled.		(b) All conditions or criteria set in the methodology for termination of post-crediting period monitoring have been fulfilled. 172^{septs}. The termination request shall be submitted in accordance with the relevant provisions of the activity cycle procedure.	of the "Standard: Addressing non-permanence and reversals in mechanism methodologies" (A6.4-STAN-METH-007), calculated over at least a 100-year timeframe starting from the year of submission of the request; and (b) All conditions or criteria set in the methodology for termination of post-crediting period monitoring have been fulfilled.
Para. 50: To demonstrate negligible risk of reversal, activity participants shall: (a) Provide evidence in the form of modelling or other methods, where relevant, about the long-term stability of stored greenhouse gases, or precursors of greenhouse gases, within the applicable greenhouse gas reservoirs in the presence of all reversal risks that exist or are reasonably foreseeable based on current scientific evidence after termination of the monitoring and reporting in the	Not applicable.	172^{sexies}. To demonstrate negligible risk of reversal, activity participants shall: (a) Provide evidence in the form of modelling or other methods, where relevant, about the long-term stability of stored GHGs, or precursors of GHGs, within the applicable GHG reservoirs in the presence of all reversal risks that exist or are reasonably foreseeable based on current scientific evidence after termination of the monitoring and reporting in the post-crediting monitoring period for the A6.4 project;	210^{sexies}. To assess whether the activity participants have demonstrated negligible risk of reversal, the DOE shall determine whether the activity participants have complied with the relevant requirements of the activity standard for projects.

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post-crediting monitoring period for the Article 6.4 activity; (b) Apply a conservative approach to ensure that the reversal risks are very unlikely to be underestimated, taking into account the overall uncertainty in their quantification; (c) Implement conservativeness in determining the reversal risks (e.g., through conservative assumptions, parameters, discounts) based on the level of uncertainty (e.g., assuming higher risk values in case of higher uncertainties); (d) Consider all causes of uncertainty, including uncertainty in data (e.g., measurements), parameters (e.g., representativeness of default values), assumptions (e.g., projection of the future sequence of events within the project boundary or space affected by the mitigation activity), and methods (e.g., models used in quantifying the		(b) Apply a conservative approach to ensure that the reversal risks are very unlikely to be underestimated, taking into account the overall uncertainty in their quantification; (c) Implement conservativeness in determining the reversal risks (e.g., through conservative assumptions, parameters, discounts) based on the level of uncertainty (e.g., assuming higher risk values in case of higher uncertainties); (d) Consider all causes of uncertainty, including uncertainty in data (e.g., measurements), parameters (e.g., representativeness of default values), assumptions (e.g., projection of the future sequence of events within the project boundary or space affected by the mitigation activity project), and methods (e.g., models used in quantifying the reversal risk factors and the reversal risk rating); (e) Use the higher or lower bound, as appropriate, of the uncertainty interval at a 95 per	

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reversal risk factors and the reversal risk rating); (e) Use the higher or lower bound, as appropriate, of the uncertainty interval at a 95 per cent confidence level to ensure conservativeness; and (f) Confirm the outcome of the negligible risk demonstration by sensitivity analysis. A negative outcome of the sensitivity analysis indicates that the risk of reversal cannot be classified as negligible.		cent confidence level to ensure conservativeness; and (f) Confirm the outcome of the negligible risk demonstration by sensitivity analysis. A negative outcome of the sensitivity analysis indicates that the risk of reversal cannot be classified as negligible.	
Para. 51: Upon submission of a request for termination of post-crediting period monitoring through demonstration of negligible risk of reversal as per paragraphs 49 and 50, the secretariat shall, subject to the guidance of the Supervisory Body, perform a completeness check.	250^{ter} et vices. Upon submission of a request for termination of post-crediting period monitoring through demonstration of negligible risk of reversal, the secretariat shall conduct a completeness check in accordance with section 6.4.3.1. above.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Para. 52: Complete requests for termination of monitoring and reporting in the post-crediting monitoring period submitted to the secretariat shall be posted on the UNFCCC website for	250^{quater} et vices. The secretariat shall make complete requests publicly available on the UNFCCC website. Parties, stakeholders and UNFCCC-admitted observer organizations may submit comments in English on the	Not applicable.	Not applicable.

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public comments for a period of 30 days.	request to the secretariat through a dedicated interface on the UNFCCC website within 30 days of the publication of the request. The submitters of the comments shall provide the name and contact details of the individual or organization on whose behalf the comments are submitted. Comments from stakeholders shall: a) Be specific to the request; b) Relate to compliance with applicable Article 6.4 mechanism rules and regulations. 250^{quinquies et vicies}. The secretariat shall make the comments that meet the requirements in paragraph 250^{quater et vicies} above, publicly available on the UNFCCC website and inform the activity participants and the DNA of the host Party of the publication.		
Para. 53: Within 60 days of the completion of the public review process, the secretariat shall make a draft recommendation to the Supervisory Body to approve or reject the Article 6.4 activity's request for termination of monitoring and	250^{sexies et vicies}. Within 60 days of the completion of the consultation with stakeholders in paragraph 250^{quater et vicies} above, the secretariat shall recommend that the Supervisory Body either approve or reject the request for termination of monitoring and reporting in the post-crediting monitoring period.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.

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reporting in the post-crediting monitoring period.			
Para. 54: The Supervisory Body may request additional information from the activity participant, including based on inputs received during the public comments period, which the participant shall communicate within 30 days of receiving the request. If the activity participant fails to respond within this timeframe, the request for termination of monitoring and reporting in the post-crediting monitoring period shall be considered to be withdrawn.	250 ^{septies et vicies.} The Supervisory Body may request additional information from the activity participant, including information based on inputs received during the consultation with stakeholders. If the activity participant fails to respond within 30 days of receiving the request for information, the request for termination of monitoring and reporting in the post-crediting monitoring period shall be deemed withdrawn.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Para. 55: If the request for termination of monitoring and reporting in the post-crediting monitoring period is approved by the Supervisory Body, activity participants shall be relieved of all obligations under section 4.1. The secretariat shall inform the DOE and the activity participants of the approval and publish the decision by the Supervisory	250 ^{octies et vicies.} If the request for termination of monitoring and reporting in the post-crediting monitoring period is approved by the Supervisory Body, activity participants shall be relieved of all obligations under section 11.1 above. The secretariat shall: a) Notify the activity participants and the DOE that the request has been approved;	Not applicable.	Not applicable.

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Body together with documentation for demonstration of negligible risk of reversal assessment for the Article 6.4 activity on the UNFCCC website.	b) Publish the decision by the Supervisory Body along with the documentation for demonstration of negligible risk of reversal for the A6.4 project on the UNFCCC website.		
Para. 56: When a request for termination of monitoring and reporting in the post-crediting monitoring period through demonstration of negligible risk of reversal is rejected by the Supervisory Body, the activity participants shall not submit a further request for termination of monitoring and reporting in the post-crediting monitoring period through demonstration of negligible risk of reversal for at least three years.	250 ^{novies et vicies.} If the request for termination of monitoring and reporting in the post-crediting monitoring period through demonstration of negligible risk of reversal is rejected by the Supervisory Body, the activity participants shall not submit a further request for termination of monitoring and reporting in the post-crediting monitoring period through demonstration of negligible risk of reversal for at least three years.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Para. 57: When the secretariat has received a complete and verified monitoring report indicating that unavoidable reversals have occurred, the secretariat, as the registry administrator, shall cancel A6.4ERs held in the reversal risk buffer pool account as follows:	A new section “6.4.5. Post-reversal actions – remediation of avoidable and unavoidable reversals” was added. 158^{quinquies et quadragies.} The secretariat, in its role as mechanism registry administrator, following decisions of the Supervisory Body, shall cancel A6.4ERs in accordance with the	Not applicable.	Not applicable.

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(a) The number of A6.4ERs cancelled shall be equal to the amount of the unavoidable reversals, as expressed in tonnes of carbon dioxide equivalent; (b) The number of each type of A6.4ERs cancelled (whether Mitigation Contribution Units or authorized A6.4ERs) shall be based on the proportion of Mitigation Contribution Units or authorized A6.4ERs issued for the Article 6.4 activity's emission reductions and/or net removals at the time of the reversal; (c) The cancellation of A6.4ERs from the Article 6.4 activity experiencing the reversal shall be prioritised over A6.4ERs from other Article 6.4 activities, until no such A6.4ERs are available in the Reversal Risk Buffer Pool Account; and (d) According to further criteria that may be specified at a future point in time.	relevant provisions of the registry procedure if: a) The secretariat has received a complete and verified reversal monitoring report indicating that unavoidable reversals have occurred; b) The secretariat has received a complete and verified reversal monitoring report indicating that avoidable reversals have occurred; c) A project is deemed to have experienced avoidable reversals pursuant to section 6.4.4.2. above. 158^{sexies et quadragies}. When the secretariat has cancelled A6.4ERs in accordance with paragraph 158^{quinquies et quadragies} above, the secretariat shall notify the activity participants and/or the DOE, as applicable.		
Para. 58: The mechanism registry shall indicate that the A6.4ERs	Not applicable.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.

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were cancelled for the purpose of remediating unavoidable reversals and publish the serial numbers of A6.4ERs cancelled.			
Para. 59: When the secretariat has received a complete and verified monitoring report indicating that avoidable reversals have occurred, or when an activity is deemed to have experienced avoidable reversals subject to section 3.3, the secretariat, as the registry administrator, shall cancel A6.4ERs held in the reversal risk buffer pool account as follows: (a) The number of A6.4ERs cancelled shall be equal to the amount of the avoidable reversals, as expressed in tonnes of carbon dioxide equivalent; (b) The number of each type of A6.4ERs cancelled (whether mitigation contribution A6.4ERs or authorized A6.4ERs) shall be based on the proportion of mitigation contribution A6.4ERs or authorized A6.4ERs	Not applicable.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.

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issued for the Article 6.4 activity's emission reductions and/or net removals at the time of the reversal; (c) The cancellation of A6.4ERs from the Article 6.4 activity experiencing the reversal shall be prioritised over A6.4ERs from other Article 6.4 activities, until no such A6.4ERs are available in the reversal risk buffer pool account; and (d) According to further criteria that may be specified at a future point in time.			
Para. 60: The mechanism registry shall indicate that the A6.4ERs were cancelled for the purpose of remediating avoidable reversals and publish the serial numbers of the A6.4ERs cancelled.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Para. 61: When avoidable reversals occur, activity participants shall forward A6.4ERs to the reversal risk buffer pool account as follows: (a) The number of A6.4ERs forwarded shall be equal to the amount of the	158septies et quadragies. If avoidable reversals occur, the secretariat shall instruct the activity participants to forward the appropriate amount and type of A6.4ERs to the reversal risk buffer pool account, in accordance with the relevant provisions of the registry procedure.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.

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avoidable reversals, as expressed in tonnes of carbon dioxide equivalent; and (b) The number of each type of A6.4ERs cancelled (this is ok) (whether mitigation contribution A6.4ERs or authorized A6.4ERs) shall be based on the proportion of mitigation contribution A6.4ERs or authorized A6.4ERs issued for the activity's emission reductions and/or net removals, cumulatively from the Article 6.4 activity start date through the time of the reversal; and (c) According to further criteria that may be specified at a future point in time.			
Para. 62: Only the fraction of a reversal that corresponds to a net change in storage of greenhouse gases or their precursors for which A6.4ERs have been issued shall be remediated through the provisions of sections 5.1 and 5.2. Reversals below an Article 6.4 activity's baseline, as determined by mechanism	158^{quater et quadragies}. An observed event that results in an actual reversal shall be remediated through the provisions of this section, except where the A6.4 project experiences a reversal below its baseline, as determined by the applicable methodology(ies). In this case, remediation in accordance with this section shall apply only to the fraction of the reversal corresponding to a net change in storage of GHGs	A new section “7.4.3. Post-reversal actions – remediation of avoidable and unavoidable reversals” was added. 124^{septies}. An observed event that results in an actual reversal shall be remediated through the relevant provisions of the activity cycle procedure, except where the A6.4 project experiences a	Not applicable.

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methodologies, shall not be remediated through the provisions of sections 5.1 and 5.2.	or their precursors for which A6.4ERs have been issued.	reversal below its baseline, as determined by methodologies. In this case, remediation through the relevant provisions of the activity cycle procedure shall apply only to the fraction of the reversal corresponding to a net change in storage of GHGs or their precursors for which A6.4ERs have been issued.	
Para. 63: When an Article 6.4 activity experiences a reversal below its baseline, as determined by mechanism methodologies, A6.4ERs shall not be subsequently issued for a net change in storage of greenhouse gases or their precursors, unless the sum of the quantity of greenhouse gases or their precursors stored in all applicable greenhouse gas reservoirs in the Article 6.4 activity scenario is greater than or equal to the sum of the quantity of greenhouse gases or their precursors stored in all applicable greenhouse gas reservoirs in the Article 6.4 activity's baseline, as	176 ^{bis} . If an A6.4 project experiences a reversal below its baseline, as determined by methodologies, The DOE shall not submit a request for issuance and A6.4ERs shall not be issued for a net change in storage of GHGs or their precursors, unless the sum of the quantity of GHGs or their precursors stored in all applicable GHG reservoirs in the A6.4 project scenario is greater than or equal to the sum of the quantity of GHGs or their precursors stored in all applicable GHG reservoirs in the A6.4 project's baseline, as determined by methodologies, with both sums expressed in tonnes of carbon dioxide equivalent.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.

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determined by mechanism methodologies, with both sums expressed in tonnes of carbon dioxide equivalent.			
Para. 64: When an activity participant makes a request to de-register a registered Article 6.4 activity that is subject to reversal risks, the following steps shall be taken: (a) The activity participant shall cancel A6.4ERs, with the number of A6.4ERs cancelled equal to the number of A6.4ERs that have been issued with respect to emission reductions and/or net removals from that activity to date, except for those A6.4ERs that were contributed to the reversal risk buffer pool account; and (b) The secretariat, acting as the registry administrator, shall cancel A6.4ERs held in the reversal risk buffer pool account, with the number cancelled equal to the number of A6.4ERs that have been issued with respect to emission reductions and/or net removals from that activity to date and	This provision was added under section “13.1. Submission of request for deregistration” 251^{bis}. For requests for deregistration of A6.4 projects involving removals and emission reduction projects with reversal risks, the following steps shall be taken: (a) The activity participant shall request the mechanism registry administrator to cancel A6.4ERs, with the number of A6.4ERs cancelled equal to the number of A6.4ERs that have been issued with respect to emission reductions and/or net removals from that activity project to date, except for those A6.4ERs that were contributed to the reversal risk buffer pool account; and (b) The secretariat, in its role as the registry administrator, shall cancel the relevant number of A6.4ERs held in the reversal risk buffer pool account in accordance with the registry procedure.	This provision was added under section “12. Voluntary deregistration of project” 173^{bis}. For requests for deregistration of A6.4 projects involving removals and emission reduction projects with reversal risks, the activity participant shall cancel A6.4ERs in accordance with the provisions of the activity cycle procedure and the registry procedure.	Not applicable.

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that were contributed to the reversal risk buffer pool account.	258. A DOE may submit a request for issuance of A6.4ERs in accordance with section 9.1.1 for the deregistered A6.4 project for the period prior to the effective date of deregistration, except for deregistered A6.4 projects involving removals and emission reduction projects with reversal risks, for which A6.4ERs are to be cancelled in accordance with paragraph 251 ^{bis} . above.		
Provisions from Standard: Addressing non-permanence and reversals in mechanism methodologies			
Para. 13: The proponents of a mechanism methodology may propose alternative approaches to the provisions listed in paragraph 15 below, if these alternative approaches ensure, with a high level of confidence, that reversals from Article 6.4 activities are fully remediated in the crediting period and post-crediting monitoring period and ensure that the alternative approaches do not cause instances of moral hazard. These approaches may only be proposed if all of the following conditions are satisfied for the applicable greenhouse gas reservoir:	A new section “12. Exemptions from reversal related actions” was added. 250^{trices}. An A6.4 project may be exempted from some or all of the requirements in section 6.4 and section 11.1 above if the applicable methodology(ies) specify(ies) an alternative approach for each such exemption and demonstrates that: (a) Activity participants have no control over the GHG reservoir; (b) The GHG reservoir is not in the same location as where the A6.4 project is implemented; and (c) Changes observed in the GHG reservoir cannot be attributed to the A6.4 project.	171^{bis}. Notwithstanding the provisions in paragraph 171 above, for projects involving removals and for emission reduction projects with reversal risks, exemptions for post-crediting monitoring may apply for projects described in section 11. below, in accordance with the provisions of the applicable methodologies. A new section “11. Exemptions from reversal related actions” was added. 172^{octies}. An Article 6.4 project may be exempted from some or all of the requirements in section 7.4	A new section “10. Exemptions from reversal-related actions” was added. 210^{septies}. An Article 6.4 project may be exempted from some or all of the requirements in section 8.2.9 and section 9 above if the applicable methodology(ies) specify(ies) an alternative approach for each such exemption and demonstrates that: (a) Activity participants have no control over the GHG reservoir;

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a) That activity participants using the mechanism methodology have no control over the greenhouse gas reservoir; b) That the greenhouse gas reservoir is not in the same location as where the mitigation activity is implemented; and c) That changes observed in the greenhouse gas reservoir cannot be attributed to the mitigation activity.¹⁴		and section 10 above if the applicable methodology(ies) specify(ies) an alternative approach for each such exemption and demonstrates that: (a) Activity participants have no control over the GHG reservoir; (b) The GHG reservoir is not in the same location as where the A6.4 project is implemented; and (c) Changes observed in the GHG reservoir cannot be attributed to the A6.4 project.	(b) The GHG reservoir is not in the same location as where the A6.4 project is implemented; and (c) Changes observed in the GHG reservoir cannot be attributed to the A6.4 project.
Para. 15: Proponents of mechanism methodologies may propose alternative approaches to any of the following provisions, so long as those alternative approaches meet the conditions of paragraphs 13 and 14 above: (a) General requirements for the identification and quantification of reversals (section 7.1 of this document); (b) Frequency of submitting monitoring reports (section 7.2 of this document);	Per paragraph 250 ^{trices.} above.	Per section 11 and paragraphs 171 ^{bis.} and 172 ^{octies.} above.	Per paragraph 210 ^{septies.} above.

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(c) Monitoring and reporting in the post-crediting period (section 7.4 of this document); (d) Reversal-related notifications and reports (section 2 of "Information note: Elements related to non-permanence and reversals for inclusion in relevant regulatory documents" (A6.4-SBM018-A14)); (e) Post-crediting period monitoring and reporting (section 4 of "Information note: Elements related to non-permanence and reversals for inclusion in relevant regulatory documents" (A6.4-SBM018-A14)); and (f) Post-reversal actions (section 5 of "Information note: Elements related to non-permanence and reversals for inclusion in relevant regulatory documents" (A6.4-SBM018-A14)).			
Provisions from Standard: Requirements for activities involving removals under the Article 6.4 mechanism			
Para. 38: Activity participants shall conduct a risk assessment, which shall include a risk mitigation plan,	176. Each request for issuance shall indicate verified and certified GHG emission reductions or net GHG removals for each vintage year in	Not applicable.	Not applicable.

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for an activity involving removals, using the reversal risk assessment tool to identify, assess and mitigate reversal risks, and calculate an overall percentage-based risk rating (hereinafter referred to as risk rating) that accounts for both avoidable and unavoidable reversals, taking into account, inter alia, the nature, magnitude, likelihood, and duration of the risks.	which they occurred. For projects involving removals and emission reduction projects with reversal risks, each request for issuance shall also include the overall percentage-based risk rating as per the latest risk assessment for the project in accordance with the reversal risk assessment tool and the applicable methodology(ies).		
Para. 55: Upon issuance of all A6.4ERs, an amount of A6.4ERs proportionate to the issuing activity's risk rating for both avoidable and unavoidable reversals shall be forwarded to the Reversal Risk Buffer Pool Account. A6.4ERs forwarded to the Reversal Risk Buffer Pool Account shall become Buffer A6.4ERs. Buffer A6.4ERs shall only be cancelled and shall not be further transferred.	200 ^{bis} . In accordance with the registry procedure, for projects involving removals and emission reduction projects with reversal risks, the mechanism registry administrator shall deduct a percentage of A6.4ERs in accordance with the latest risk rating of the project.	124. Following the submission of the reversal monitoring report referred to in paragraph 123 above, activity participants shall, through a post-registration change: (a) Review and update the risk assessment of the project activity and revise the risk rating of the project activity, expressed as a percentage contribution the project makes to the reversal risk buffer pool account, as necessary, which shall include the development of plans to prevent further releases of GHGs through a post-registration change;	Not applicable.

4. Impacts

40. The revised ACP-P, AS-P and VVS-P will reflect the applicable requirements from the “Information note: Elements related to non-permanence and reversals for inclusion of relevant regulatory documents”, as agreed by the Supervisory Body. The revised ACP-P, AS-P and VVS-P, establish the activity cycle processes for Article 6.4 activities involving removals or emission reduction activities with reversal risks that are to be followed by activity participants, DOEs, DNAs and other stakeholders. The revisions further provide the requirements that are to be followed by activity participants when designing, monitoring and reporting activities involving removals or emission reduction activities with reversal risks and requirements to be followed when reversals occur and the applicable requirements that are to be validated or verified by DOEs.

5. Subsequent work and timelines

41. The secretariat will work on the development and revision of the relevant forms for Article 6.4 activities involving removals and Article 6.4 emission reduction activities with risks of reversals to enable the implementation of the new provisions, while noting that, pursuant to the mandate described in paragraph 4 above:
- (a) The Supervisory Body has requested the MEP to recommend conditions and criteria for the approval of third-party insurance or guarantee products for the Supervisory Body’s consideration; and
 - (b) The secretariat will incorporate the Supervisory Body’s determination of relevant conditions and criteria into the “Request for approval of nomination of a third party form” proposed in section 11.2.1 of the ACP-P and referenced in section 10.2.1 of the AS-P and section 9.1.1 of the VVS-P.
42. The secretariat will work to incorporate the relevant provisions of the “Information note: Elements related to non-permanence and reversals for inclusion in relevant regulatory documents” (A6.4-INFO-METH-002) and of the reversal standard into the “Procedure: Article 6.4 mechanism registry”.

6. Recommendations to the Supervisory Body

43. The secretariat recommends that the Supervisory Body consider and adopt the revised ACP-P, AS-P, and VVS-P as presented, with modifications as appropriate.

7. Appendices

List of Appendices:

- (a) Appendix 1. A6.4-SBM023-AA-A07. Draft Procedure. Article 6.4 activity cycle procedure for projects (version 4.0)
- (b) Appendix 2. A6.4-SBM023-AA-A08. Draft Standard. Article 6.4 activity standard for projects (version 4.0)
- (c) Appendix 3. A6.4-SBM023-AA-A09. Draft Standard. Article 6.4 validation and verification standard for projects (version 4.0)

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Information note: Revision of the “Article 6.4 activity cycle procedure for projects”, the “Article 6.4 activity standard for projects” and the “Article 6.4 validation and verification standard for projects” to incorporate elements related to non-permanence and reversals
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