



HOST PARTY PARTICIPATION REQUIREMENTS FOR ARTICLE 6.4 MECHANISM (Version 01.0)

SECTION 1: GENERAL INFORMATION

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SECTION 2: PARTICIPATION RESPONSIBILITIES

Is your country a Party to the Paris Agreement?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Has your country prepared, communicated, and is it maintaining a Nationally Determined Contribution (NDC) in accordance with Article 4, paragraph 2 of the Paris Agreement?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Has your country designated a Designated National Authority (DNA) for the Article 6.4 mechanism and communicated that designation to the UNFCCC secretariat?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Please describe how your country's participation in the Article 6.4 mechanism contributes to sustainable development, while acknowledging that the consideration of sustainable development is a national prerogative.

As a Party of the Paris Agreement since 2016, Madagascar intends to participate in the Article 6.4 mechanism by promoting all activities which contribute to the country's sustainable development. By using this mechanism, Madagascar could benefit from the social, economic and environmental advantages generated by the projects by :

- Creating a favourable environment to attract investors and promote the 6.4 mechanism**
- Ensuring that projects are in line with the National Determined Contribution, the sustainable development, climate change policies, strategies and regulations in force in participating countries**
- Promoting job creation, technology transfer, capacity building and empowerment of vulnerable people through the implementation of projects/programmes**
- Prioritising projects in the energy, agriculture, livestock, transport, industry and waste sectors.**

Please provide detailed information on the types of activities under Article 6, paragraph 4 (A6.4 activities) that your country would consider approving pursuant to chapter V.C (Approval and Authorization) of the Rules, Modalities and Procedures (RMPs). Additionally, explain how these activities, and any associated emission reductions or removals, would contribute to the achievement of your country's NDC, if applicable, its long-term low GHG emission development strategy, if it has submitted one, and the long-term goals of the Paris Agreement?

Activity types that Madagascar may approve under Article 6.4

- Energy efficiency, renewable energy, energy mix, energy production
- Carbon capture and storage
- Green Hydrogen
- Clean cooking
- Development and use of alternative fuel, Biofuel
- Sustainable transport (such as electric mobility, mass transport)
- Alternative industrial processes and use of products reducing greenhouse gas emissions, carbon dioxide capture and storage technology
- Hydrogen project
- Waste management (such as biological treatment of waste, composting, waste to energy)
- Afforestation, reforestation, restoration, avoided deforestation, agroforestry, sustainable forest management
- Sustainable Agriculture (such as Agricultural land management, improved fertiliser management, production and use of organic fertilisers)
- Sustainable livestock farming (such as improved animal feeding, manure management)
- Water purification

These prioritized 6.4 activities are in line with Madagascar 's NDC and national policy on climate change. The implementation of these activities will significantly reduce greenhouse gas emission and can support the achievement of the Paris Agreement's long term objectives. Furthermore, these activities enable technology transfer and the acquisition of new technologies, can also generate adaptation co- benefits , thereby contributing to the country's sustainable development.

Please provide any additional information that the host Party may deem necessary.

Madagascar has established DNA governance structure for carbon market mechanisms, including those covered by Article 6 of the Paris Agreement. The country is now preparing a participation Strategy including positive list and negative list for article 6 projects as well as a procedure manual.

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