

## Input to the draft Recommendation: Requirements for the development and assessment of Article 6.4 mechanism methodologies

The Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Paris Agreement (CMA), by its decision 3/CMA.3 “Rules, modalities and procedures for the mechanism established by Article 6.4”, requested the Supervisory Body to “develop provisions for the development and approval of methodologies, validation, registration, monitoring, verification and certification, issuance, renewal, first transfer from the mechanism registry, voluntary cancellation and other processes pursuant to chapters V.B–L and VIII of the annex (Delivering overall mitigation in global emissions) (...)”.

This submission presents Conservation International’s recommendations for consideration by the Article 6.4 Supervisory Body as it continues its work to develop guidance to the CMA on Requirements for the development and assessment of Article 6.4 mechanism methodologies under the mechanism. It is presented in response to the Call for input 2023 - Issues included in the annotated agenda and related annexes of the eighth seventh meeting of the Article 6.4 Supervisory Body, and it addresses specifically Annex 14 - Draft recommendation: Requirements for the development and assessment of mechanism methodologies.

### HIGH-LEVEL COMMENT

#### A. Technologies, measures and practices

**Location:** Section 3, Normative Reference, Paragraph 7

Text	Proposed edits in blue	Justification
7. The terms “technologies”, “measures” and “practices” are interchangeably used in this document.	7. The terms “technologies”, “measures” and “practices” are interchangeably used in this document <b>and refer to technologies, measures, and practices across all sectors.</b>	The current formulation of the text could be construed to exclude activities across certain sectors which are not usually associated with the term “technologies”. Therefore, the text should be adjusted to further clarify that these terms, although used interchangeably, include technologies, measures and practices <b>across all sectors.</b>

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