

Agenda item 2.5

Paragraph 35 of the annotated agenda

Afforestation and Reforestation Working Group 33rd meeting: Progress report

CDM EB 63

Quito, Ecuador, 25 – 29 September, 2011



Submissions A/R methodologies

1 methodology in the Afforestation and Reforestation Working Group process

Stage of the process	Cases	No.
PNMs - in completeness check		0
PNMs - to be considered for the first time by A/R WG at next meeting		0
PNMs - in progress		0
PNMs - for consideration at EB 63	A/R-NM0039	1

Overview A/R WG 33 (I)

The Afforestation and Reforestation Working Group recommended the approval of:

Revision/amendment to one approved methodology	1. AR-ACM0002 “Afforestation or reforestation of degraded land without displacement of pre-project activities”
Draft guidelines	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Draft guidelines on application of specified versions of A/R CDM methodologies in verification of registered A/R CDM project activities2. Draft guidelines on accounting of changes in A/R CDM project activities from the description in registered project design documents (PDD)

Overview A/R WG 33 (II)

The Afforestation and Reforestation Working Group recommended the withdrawal of:

Revision/amendment to one approved methodology	AR-AM0006: “Afforestation/Reforestation with Trees Supported by Shrubs on Degraded Land”.
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Overview A/R WG 33 (III)

The Afforestation/reforestation Working Group also requested the Board to take note of:

<p>Further progress on tasks mandated in the A/R WG 2011 work plan</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Improvement of approved methodologies/tools:<ul style="list-style-type: none">(i) Accounting for emissions resulting from forest fires in A/R CDM project activities;(ii) Consideration of simplified approaches to eligibility of land and determination of project boundary for A/R CDM activities.• Top-down methodologies and tools:<ul style="list-style-type: none">(i) Tool for demonstration of applicability of allometric equations and volume equations in A/R CDM project activities”• Development of guidelines on standardized baseline to be applied in A/R CDM project activities
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Next meeting

Next Afforestation and Reforestation Working Group meeting

10 - 12 October in Bonn