

Agenda item 2.2

Paragraph 5 of the annotated agenda

CDM Policy dialogue Draft outline plan

CDM-EB 64 meeting

Bonn, Germany, 24-26 October 2011



Background

- Idea raised and agreed at the strategy retreat
- Motivators
 - Address challenges to future CDM operation and development
 - Engage wide range of representatives of civil society, policy makers and market participants
 - Incorporate outcomes into Board/secretariat's work
 - Incorporate outcomes into Board's contributions to negotiations on future CDM and the wider international climate regime
- EB63 agreed to launch a policy dialogue to review past CDM experience and help ensure the readiness and positioning of the CDM to meet the challenges of the post-2012 period
- EB63 requested secretariat to prepare an outline plan for EB64



Proposed objectives

- Conduct a wide-ranging review of experience with the CDM
- Engage with civil society, policy makers and market participants and provide for a balanced and objective assessment of the benefits of the CDM among decision-makers
- Make recommendations to Board/Parties on how to position the CDM to respond to future challenges and opportunities and ensure its effectiveness in contributing to future global climate action

Proposed panel

- Panel report and recommendations to address the objectives
 - Board consideration
 - Feed into Board's report to CMP 8
 - Feed into Board's recommendations on revision of CDM modalities and procedures (CMP review by end-2013)
- Panel of high-level members
 - Independent, own responsibility
 - Civil society, policy makers and market participants
 - Board input and feedback to panel
 - 8-10 members, invited by Chair and Executive Secretary, in consultation with the Board



Proposed activities and milestones

Oct (EB64)	Approve outline plan Public call for inputs on issues to be addressed
Oct-Nov	Invite panel members Define framework of issues to guide initial work and launch Detailed planning and budgeting
End-Nov	Official dialogue launch in Durban <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Wide and high-level participation• Receive inputs for discussion paper/s
Feb-Mar	Release discussion paper/s
Mar-Jul	Consultation and engagement <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Governmental, business, environmental, research, etc• Submissions, workshops, hearings, visits, working groups
Sep 2012	Release final dialogue report



Proposed action by EB64

- Approve this outline plan
- Issues to be addressed in the dialogue
 - Provide own feedback
 - Launch a public call for inputs
- Invite Chair and Executive Secretary to invite panel members
- Note that planning and budget issues would be included in draft business and management plans