

Call for public inputs on experience with the verification procedure under the JISC

Thank you for the opportunity to express opinions regarding the JI activities based on the experience “in the field”. Should you need further details / inputs I will be happy to provide such contribution.

1. Status

The activities for developing JI Projects – preparation of the documents, project implementation, determination, and periodic verification – are being performed in accordance with the JI Guidelines but without a clear timeframe.

Consequences:

It is difficult for the PPs to have a time projection of the project activities and to predict in time the project's results of emission reductions.

Suggestions:

JISC should allocate to each step / activities of a JI Project specific timeframes and deadlines.

2. Status

Until now there is a limited number of Accredited IEs.

Consequences:

It is difficult for PPs to negotiate / contract Determination and Periodic Verifications of the proposed JI Projects.

AIEs are overwhelmed and they do not have enough capacity to perform the activities in reasonable timeline.

Suggestions:

JISC should speed up the accreditation process in order to increase the number of the AIEs available on the market and should introduce a system of receiving comments from PPs related to AIEs which are not performing in time followed by a performance appraisal of AIEs.

3. Status

AIEs are working based on “orders for determination / verification” with very limited responsibilities and obligations in terms of deadlines for the delivery.

Consequences:

Delivery of the final reports takes too long time having significant negative consequences on the following steps of the JI Projects.

Suggestions:

Utilization of a “standard contract” with clear rights and responsibilities of the parties (eventual penalties) would improve the determination / verification process and secure a higher level of seriousness. JISC should introduce such a requirement for the AIEs activities.

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