



Annex 3

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1. Designated operational entities (DOEs) under the clean development mechanism acting provisionally as accredited independent entities (AIEs) in accordance with paragraph 3 of decision 10/CMP.1 may not identify a joint implementation project as a witnessing opportunity under the Procedure for accrediting independent entities by the Joint Implementation Supervisory Committee:

- (a) For the function “determination regarding a project design document (PDD)”, if the corresponding PDD has been made publicly available through the secretariat in accordance with paragraph 32 of the annex to decision 9/CMP.1 (hereinafter referred to as JI guidelines) before 1 January 2008, or the corresponding determination report has already been submitted to the secretariat in accordance with paragraph 34 of the JI guidelines and relevant provisions of the Procedures on public availability of documents under the verification procedure under the Joint Implementation Supervisory Committee;
- (b) For the function “determination of reductions in anthropogenic emissions by sources or enhancements of anthropogenic removals by sinks”, if the corresponding monitoring report has been made publicly available through the secretariat in accordance with paragraph 36 of the JI guidelines before 1 January 2008, or the corresponding verification report has already been submitted to the secretariat in accordance with paragraph 38 of the JI guidelines and relevant provisions of the Procedures on public availability of documents under the verification procedure under the Joint Implementation Supervisory Committee.
