



**SAMPLE AS A COURTESY VALID LETTER OF APPROVAL ATTACHED IN  
SPANISH**

**Resolution of the Designated National Authority approving the voluntary participation of Spain in the project “Revamping of sintering and blast furnace production at OJSC - Alchevsk Iron and Steel Works” and the participation of Stichting Carbon Finance in the project.**

THE DESIGNATED NATIONAL AUTHORITY,

Having examined the documentation submitted by **Stichting Carbon Finance** in the application for voluntary participation of Spain in the “**Revamping of sintering and blast furnace production at OJSC - Alchevsk Iron and Steel Works**”,

Recalling Article 6 of the Kyoto Protocol,

Recalling paragraph 33 of decision 16/CP 7 of the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change,

In compliance with Third Additional Provision of Law 1/2005, of 9th March, regulating the regime for greenhouse gas emission allowances trading, and Royal Decree 1031/2007, of 20<sup>th</sup> July, developing the participation framework in the Kyoto Protocol flexible mechanisms **the Spain’s Designated National Authority** for project based mechanisms of the Kyoto Protocol,

CONSIDERING,

1. That The Kingdom of Spain ratified the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change on 21<sup>st</sup> December 1993, and ratified the Kyoto Protocol thereto on 31<sup>st</sup> May 2002,
2. That the “**Revamping of sintering and blast furnace production at OJSC - Alchevsk Iron and Steel Works**”, henceforth “the project”, for GHG emission reductions located in **Ucrania** submitted by **Stichting Carbon Finance** on June 16<sup>th</sup> 2011, has been presented in conformity with the Third Additional Provision of Law 1/2005, of 9th March, regulating the regime for greenhouse gas emission allowances trading, the Royal Decree 1031/2007, of 20<sup>th</sup> July, developing the participation framework in the Kyoto Protocol flexible mechanisms and the requirements established for joint implementation projects in Article 6 of the Kyoto Protocol, the Marrakech Accords and the subsequent decisions,
3. That the project has been analysed from the project design document sent by **Stichting Carbon Finance** to the Spanish Climate Change Bureau with registration number



106/1571, dated June 16<sup>th</sup> 2011, and in the terms expressed in the aforementioned document, **the Spain's Designated National Authority:**

**APPROVES THE VOLUNTARY PARTICIPATION OF THE KINGDOM OF SPAIN  
AS PARTY OF THE KYOTO PROTOCOL IN THE PROJECT:**

**“REVAMPING OF SINTERING AND BLAST FURNACE PRODUCTION AT OJSC -  
ALCHEVSK IRON AND STEEL WORKS”**

**AS WELL AS THE PARTICIPATION OF STICHTING CARBON FINANCE IN THE  
AFOREMENTIONED PROJECT**

Madrid, 20th July 2011

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President of the Spanish Designated National Authority