

Joint Implementation Roundtable

Transitional measures brainstorm session: Wrap-up

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Main issues discussed:

- Basis for distinguishing between CP1 projects and CP2 projects (determination vs registration vs receipt of ITL #)
- Need for continuity of existing guidelines to the extent possible (e.g. accreditation), in order to provide consistency, predictability, certainty
- For existing projects: OK to revisit baselines, mixed opinions on revisiting additionality, host country approvals seen as national matter
- Grace period for host countries to adopt national procedures
- Basis for issuance of ERUs based on 2013+ reductions:
 - a) De-linking from AAUs/RMUs
 - b) Banking / borrowing
 - c) ?



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Action points / Proposals:

- Enable projects to be [registered] [assigned an ITL #] before end of 2012, even if they will only reduce emissions after 2012
- Reflect on how to present transitional measures (e.g. in a separate document or as part of the modalities)
- Reflect on what [needs to] [should be] transmitted to the CMP for decision, and what can be addressed at the JISC level
- Solicit inputs for creative solutions to enable issuance of ERUs for reductions achieved after 2012, bearing in mind previous proposals and discussions in the negotiations
- Monitor/follow/participate in linked UNFCCC discussions (e.g. SBSTA 578 accounting issues)

