

REVISION OF JISC POLICY GUIDANCE DOCUMENTS

JISC Roundtable Consultations

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Background

- CMP 6 (Nov-Dec 2010)
 - Requested the JISC to implement action area IV of “JI experience report” in particular:
 - (a) Further improving the JISC verification procedure (Track 2 procedure) by:
 - i. Enhancing the clarity of documents
 - ii. Setting time limits in the JI project cycle
 - iii. Making use of electronic decision making
 - iv. Encouraging and supporting innovative methodological approaches

CMP 6 mandate	JISC workplan 2011-2013
i. Enhancing the clarity of documents	Action 6: Revising relevant policy guidance documents
ii. Setting time limits in the JI project cycle	Action 7: Exploring possible setting of time limit or expectations for each phase of the JI project cycle
iii. Making use of electronic decision making	Action 8: Making use of electronic decision-making, in particular in relation to reviews
iv. Encouraging and supporting innovative methodological approaches	Action 9: Considering revisions of guidance to encourage and support simple and innovative methodological approaches



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Action 6: Revising relevant policy guidance documents by:

- a) Ensuring consistent definition of “JI project” and “project”
- b) Avoiding duplications, repetitions and inconsistencies between documents on baseline and monitoring
- c) Clarifying the use of English language, confidentiality requirements and possibility of modifying JI-PDD form
- d) Implementing editorial changes in the guidelines for users of PDD form
- e) Revising “Guidance on criteria for baseline setting and monitoring”
 - Applying the concept of materiality in establishing project boundary and estimating leakage
 - Clarifying the option in baseline setting of JI-specific approach already taken in “comparable cases”
 - Clarifying which CDM additionality tool and guidelines are applicable
- f) Merging “Guidance on criteria for baseline setting and monitoring” and “Guidelines for users of JI PDD form” into a “PDD Manual”



JISC 24 agreed to:

- Prioritize the actions Action 6, Action 7, Action 8 and Action 9 in this order
- With regard to Action 6, revise the “Guidance on criteria for baseline setting and monitoring” by incorporating three items in (e) and requested the secretariat to prepare draft revised guidance for consideration at JISC 25

