

 <p style="text-align: center;">CDM: Revision Form for Approved Methodologies (version 01) <i>(To be used for responding to requests for clarifications on approved methodologies)</i></p>	
<i>Date of Meth Panel meeting:</i>	06 – 09 June 2006
<i>Title/Subject (give a small title or specify the subject of your submission, maximum 200 characters):</i>	“Clarification on requirements for monitoring landfill gas flows in projects where only flaring occurs
<i>Indicative methodology to which your submission relates</i>	ACM0001 Version 02 “Consolidated methodology for landfill gas project activities”
<i>Name of the authors of the query:</i>	SGS United Kingdom Ltd.
Summary of the query:	
Please use the space below to summarize the request for clarification on the related approved methodologies.	
<p>>> A clarification was submitted about whether “flow meters have to be installed at all four points or whether one of the four parameters can be calculated from the other three parameters”. That is (as expressed in the Meth Panel response), “whether it is possible to avoid the installation of one of the meters and to calculate their value from the other three?”</p> <p>In its recommendation, the Meth Panel does not approve the request described above, as the redundancy on measurement is part of the conservativeness of the methodology.</p> <p>As this clarification does not isolate the case where LFG is just flared i.e. total flow is equal to the flow to the flare, further clarification is requested. In the case of LFG only being flared, the monitoring of ‘total flow’ and ‘flow to the flare’ would require the installation of 2 flow meters in series, which would measure precisely the same flow.</p>	
Recommendation by the Meth Panel:	
Please use the space below to provide amendments /changes (in your expert view, if necessary).	
<p>>> It is recommended to approve the amendment requested in the clarification, provided that the flow meter used for measuring the LFG is calibrated periodically by an accredited official entity. A recommendation to revise accordingly ACM0001 version 02 is included as an annex to the report of the twenty-first meeting of the Meth Panel.</p>	
Answer to authors of the request for clarification by the Meth Panel :	
Please use the space below to provide an answer to the authors of the above query	
<p>>> It would be possible to use only one flow meter to measure LFG captured, in the case where LFG is just flared and not used for energy purposes, provided that the flow meter used is calibrated periodically by an officially accredited entity.</p>	



Signature of the Meth Panel Chair
 Date: 21/06/2006 (Rajesh Kumar Sethi)



Signature of the Meth Panel Vice-Chair
 Date: 21/06/2006 (Jean-Jacques Becker)

Information to be completed by the secretariat

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