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Re.: Program of Activities- Clarification is sought regarding start date of program

Dear Dr. Bhanumathidas,

Thank you for your letter received on 25 October 2011, which has been available to the Chair of the Board.

On behalf of the Chair of the Board, I would like to inform you that the start date of the real CPA, which specific CDM-CPA-DD shall be uploaded together with the CDM-PoA-DD and the generic CDM-CPA-DD, shall indicate at least the planned date of commencement of the CPA. In case the CPA consists of several units, there should be a planned schedule or an estimated date of implementation of those units. This information described and justified in the CDM-CPA-DD is considered enough for submitting a request for registration of a PoA. For normal greenfield CDM project activities, the planned date of commencement is considered a valid start date and appropriate for submitting the request for registration of a PoA.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be 'A. Howard', written over a blue circular stamp.

Andrew Howard
Secretary to the CDM Executive Board