



**United Nations**  
Climate Change Secretariat

**Nations Unies**  
Secrétariat sur les changements climatiques

Mr. Gareth Phillips  
Project Developer Forum  
100 New Bridge Street,  
London, EC4V 6JA  
United Kingdom

Date: 8 August 2012  
Reference: 2012-131-S  
Direct line: +49 228 815 1687

*Sent by e-mail to: Gareth.phillips@pd-forum.net*

**Re.: F\_CDM-AM-Clar Resp\_ver01.1 – AM\_CLA\_0047**

Dear Mr. Phillips,

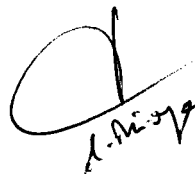
Thank you for your letter received on 5 July 2012, which has been made available to the Chair of the Board.

On behalf of the Chair of the Board, I would like to inform you that a revision of the “Tool to determine project emissions from flaring gases containing methane” was approved at the sixty-eighth meeting of the Executive Board. The tool was renamed “Project emissions from Flaring” and can be found in the Annex 15 of the report of the sixty-eighth meeting of the CDM Executive Board. The revised tool includes specific requirements in case the project installs a low-height flare and excludes the statement “an excessively high temperature at the sampling point (above 700°C) may be an indication that the flare is not being adequately operated or that its capacity is not adequate to the actual flow” that was included in the first version of the tool.

Moreover, your letter was shared with the Standard Setting Unit and the Project and Entity Assessment Unit of the Secretariat to ensure a common understanding of the tool and a fair assessment of the projects.

I hope this letter suitably addresses all your concerns.

Yours sincerely,

O<sub>2</sub>C 

Andrew Howard  
Secretary to the CDM Executive Board