

CDM - Executive Board



REVIEW OF THE PROJECT ACTIVITY

Copiulemu landfill gas project (Center for the Storage and Transfer, Recovery and Control of Waste, Treatment and Disposal of Industrial and Household Waste) (0096)

At its forty third meeting the Board could not approve the requests for issuance of CERs for "Copiulemu landfill gas project (Center for the Storage and Transfer, Recovery and Control of Waste, Treatment and Disposal of Industrial and Household Waste)" (0096), for the monitoring period 01 December 2006 - 31 July 2007 because the project participant and the DOE (SGS) could not demonstrate how the requirement of the methodology regarding periodical measurement to be done at a 95% confidence level and taking a statistically valid number of samples has been met, in particular:

- (a) There is no reference on what time the daily sample was taken, therefore, it cannot be confirmed how the data appropriately represents the variation of methane content in the landfill gas in the entire day; and
- (b) How the statistical analysis is used to determine that taking one sample per day can be deemed appropriate to represent a 95% confidence level, as it would be if the continuous measurement were done.

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