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Response to request for review

“Project for GHG emission reduction by thermal oxidation of HFC23 in Gujarat, India (0001)”

Dear Members of the CDM Executive Board,

We refer to the requests for review raised by three Board members concerning DNV’s request for issuance of the “Project for GHG emission reduction by thermal oxidation of HFC23 in Gujarat, India (0001)” and would like to provide the following clarifications to the issues raised by the requests for review.

Comment 1:

The quantity of HFC23 destroyed in the monitoring period n of year y $QHFC23_{d,n,y}$ was reported as 343.860 MT in the spreadsheet but 343.726 MT (as total from February – July 2008) in the Appendix 7 of the monitoring report. Further, this total value is not the sum of the monthly values presented in the table. Clarification is required.

DNV Response:

DNV would like to state that all the calculations provided in the monitoring report were verified during the site visit and the figure of 343.726 MT as reported in the initial and revised monitoring report is correct. The uploaded workbook was an earlier version and the error in uploading the wrong version as received is regretted. The correct workbook is attached herewith. DNV also confirms that this total value of 343.726 MT is the sum of the monthly figures as provided in the appendix 7 of the initial and revised monitoring reports.

Comment 2:

The verification report mentions that the weekly zero check and six-monthly recalibration of the HFC23 meters were done, however, it does not mention when the last time the full calibration was conducted.

DNV Response:

As stated in the verification report, DNV would like to reiterate that the zero checks and the full calibrations were carried out by the project proponent as per the requirement of the methodology. The present meters were last calibrated on the 14th March 2008 (certificate dated 17th March 2008) and 27th March 2008 (certificate dated 1st April 2008). The details are also stated in the project proponents response. DNV has verified the calibration and zero check documents during the site visit and confirms the dates mentioned in PPs response are correct.

We request the Board to consider our aforementioned explanations and we look forward to the issuance of CERs for the project activity.

Yours faithfully
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