



REVIEW OF THE PROJECT ACTIVITY

“Use of blast furnace slag in the production of blended cement at Votorantim Cimentos” (0754)

The Board agreed to reject the project activity “Use of blast furnace slag in the production of blended cement at Votorantim Cimentos” (0754), submitted for registration by the DOE (SGS), because the project activity does not meet the additionality requirements of paragraphs 43 to 52 of the CDM modalities and procedures because the DOE and project participant failed to substantiate:

- (i) That the benefits of the CDM were seriously considered in the decision to proceed with the project activity;
- (ii) Significant and additional technological and market acceptability barriers to increasing the level of additives in the production of blended cement above the baseline level; and
- (iii) That the project activity is not common practice in the industry in the region.
