United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change

4th CDM Roundtable

Wrap-up session

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Main issues discussed:

- Principles
 - a) Voluntary / Mandatory general agreement that it initially the tool should be voluntary. With some participants requesting that the MRV is mandatory once a PP applies SD requirements.
 - b) Focus on what is doable first i.e define the criteria but keep in mind that selected criteria may be validated in the future.
- Usability
 - a) Keep criteria relevant country specific, sector specific (i.e. EE, renewable, transport), project types (explore positive list for micro projects), technology types, methodology specific.
 - b) Consider how detailed the tool should be (comprehensive v usable)



Operational:

- a) Implementation: Explore linkage between sustainable development reporting and the local stakeholder consultation.
- b) Allow additional documentation (films, blogs, EIA, etc) to be uploaded. In addition to or instead of SD tool?
- c) Provide worked examples.
- d) Languages not just in English
- e) Responsibility needs to be defined. Who to upload should consistent with Modalities of Communication (CME or PP).

Content

- a) Include "not applicable" where relevant
- b) Clarity safeguards = negative impacts versus criteria.
- c) Sources of information: World Commission on Dams (EU website), Climate, community and biodiversity alliance, Agenda 21 (internationally agreed).



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Next steps:

- Further consultation required e.g. further evaluate criteria by survey monkey for DOE, DNA, PP responses. Public call for input after next draft.
- Aim to complete and implement tool in a year and then move to evaluation of MRV issues

