
	<b>CDM: FORM FOR SUBMISSION OF A “LETTER TO THE BOARD” (Version 01.2)</b>	
	This form should be used only by project participants and other stakeholders for submitting a “Letter to the Board” in accordance with the latest version of the <i>Modalities and procedures for direct communication with stakeholders</i>	
Name of the stakeholder <sup>1</sup> submitting this form (individual/organization):	Ian Murdoch Macdonald 	
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Title/Subject (give a short title or specify the subject of your submission)	<a href="#">Condonation of Time Deadline for Registration of a CDM Project</a>	
Please mention whether the submitter of the form is:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Project participant <input type="checkbox"/> Other stakeholder, please specify	
Specify whether you want the letter to be treated as confidential <sup>2</sup> :	<input type="checkbox"/> To be treated as confidential <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> To be publicly available (UNFCCC CDM web site)	
Please choose any of the type(s) below <sup>3</sup> to describe the purpose of this submission.		
<div style="display: flex; flex-direction: column;"> <div style="margin-bottom: 10px;"> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Type I:</b> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; margin-top: 5px;"> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">Request for clarification</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">Revision of existing rules</div> </div> <div style="margin-top: 5px;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Standards. Please specify reference  <input type="checkbox"/> Procedures. Please specify reference  <input type="checkbox"/> Guidance. Please specify reference  <input type="checkbox"/> Forms. Please specify reference  <input type="checkbox"/> Others. Please specify reference         </div> </div> <div style="margin-bottom: 10px;"> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Type II: Request for Introduction of new rules</b> </div> <div> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Type III: Provision of information and suggestions on policy issues</b> </div> </div>		
Please describe in detail the issue on which you request a response from the Board, including the exact reference source and version (if applicable).		

<sup>1</sup> DNAs and DOEs shall use the respective DNA/DOE forms for communication with the Board.

<sup>2</sup> As per the applicable modalities and procedures, the Board may make its response publicly available.

<sup>3</sup> Latest CDM regulatory documents and information are available at: <http://cdm.unfccc.int/Reference/index.html>.

I submitted a private and unsolicited proposal and application for a Water Licence (WL), to the Dept of Water Affairs & Forestry (DWAF) in May 2002, to generate 3mw hydro electricity at Pongolapoort Dam, Kzn Province from the normal 5m<sup>3</sup>/sec release regime from the dam.

The project schedule at that time was for generation to commence in early 2005. A World Bank Prototype Carbon Fund due diligence process was initiated and a Project Idea Note was completed, the next step, the Host Country Endorsement, could not be completed without a valid WL and the project has been idle since then waiting for a WL.

The outcome of my WL application has been delayed since **May 2002** and the process has been considered to be **administratively unjust** and possibly even **corrupt** after numerous unsuccessful attempts to resolve the matter directly with DWAF. As a last resort, before legal action, a submission has been submitted to the **Public Protector** and the DWAF's **Water Tribunal** in an attempt to resolve the matter. This submission is still under investigation and still on-going and not resolved at present.

As the current country status definitions under the Kyoto Protocol are to change soon (Dec 2012?) and considering the unfair delays and obvious merits of this project, I wish to request the UNFCCC Board for time condonation of 1 year for the CDM registration of this project.

*Please provide any specific suggestions or further information which would address the issue raised in the previous section, including the exact reference source and version (if applicable).*

For verification of this process with the Public Protector, please contact the investigator at the Public Protector's office: Mr Jeno Singh [JenoS@pprotect.org](mailto:JenoS@pprotect.org)

If more information is required on the project or the processes involved please contact me directly by email [immac@mweb.co.za](mailto:immac@mweb.co.za)

*If necessary, list attached files containing relevant information (if any)*

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