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Sent by e-mail to: gareth.phillips@pd-forum.net

Re.: Acceleration of the issuance process

Dear Mr. Phillips,

Thank you for your letter received on 27 February 2013, which has been made available to the CDM Executive Board.

On behalf of the Chair of the Board, I would like to thank you for expressing your appreciation for the "special arrangements" put in place to deal with delays in issuances. Please note that the feasibility of permanent arrangements aimed at improving and speeding up the procedure are currently under consideration.

We also thank you for sharing with the Board your concerns on the processing time of requests for issuance. The issue has been noted and will be considered in future revisions of the project cycle procedure.

Thank you once again for contacting the Board with your concerns and requests.

Yours sincerely,

Andrew Howard
Secretary to the CDM Executive Board