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Status of Cyprus as an Annex I Party to the United Nations framework Convention on Climate Change – impact on Clean Development Mechanism

With respect to your letter dated 30 January 2013 and reference AST/AH it is hereby confirmed that the position of Cyprus with regard to all registered CDM project activities hosted in Cyprus is as declared in the letter of approval for CDM project activity 7934 at paragraph 11 of that letter where it is stated that *“Given that according to Decision [10] CP.17, COP17 has approved the amendment of the Annex I of the UNFCCC, to include Cyprus from the 1st of January 2013, this letter of approval is valid for emission reductions that will occur until 31 December 2012.”*

As a result, only emissions reductions achieved on or before 31 December 2012 in respect of CDM project activities located in Cyprus may be issued as CERs.

Yours sincerely,

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