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Re.: Request for permission to resubmit our rejected project, India FaL-G Bricks & Block Project No. 04 with ref. No. 5348 for Registration

Dear Dr. Bhanumathidas,

On behalf of the Chair of the CDM Executive Board (the Board), I would like to thank you for your letter of 2 September 2013, requesting permission to resubmit your rejected project activity 5348, India FaL-G Bricks & Block Project No. 04. Your letter has been made available to the Board.

I would like to inform you that at its seventy-fifth meeting, the Board agreed on the recommendation of the SSC WG to reject the proposed revision of the "Guidelines on assessment of debundling for SSC project activities", as requested in submission SSC_680, as it involved a revision to the definition of the project participant. The Board confirmed that the definition of project participant is to remain as set out in the "Glossary of CDM terms".

Please note that as per decision 4/CMP.1, Annex II paragraph 25, a proposed project activity that is not accepted may be reconsidered for validation and subsequent registration after appropriate revisions, provided that it follows the procedures and meets the requirements for validation and registration, including those relating to public comments. The possibility to resubmit your small scale project is indicated in paragraph two of the final ruling note for project 5348.

In the light of the reasons and rationales for the rejection contained in the ruling note¹, the aforementioned project may therefore be reconsidered for validation and subsequent registration once, after appropriate revisions, it can be demonstrated that it is not a de-bundled component from a large scale project activity in accordance with the latest versions of the "Guidelines on the assessment of de-bundling for SSC project activities" and the "CDM glossary of terms".

¹ Ruling note Request for registration for "India-FaL-G Brick and Blocks Project No.4." retrieved at:
http://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20130422111308766/reg_rule03.pdf



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I would therefore like to remind you that as per paragraph 2 of the aforementioned guidelines, the small scale project would be deemed to be a debundled component of a large scale project activity if there is a registered small-scale CDM project activity or an application to register another small-scale CDM project activity:

- (a) With the same project participants;
- (b) In the same project category and technology/measure;
- (c) Registered within the previous 2 years; and
- (d) Whose project boundary is within 1 km of the project boundary of the proposed small-scale activity at the closest point.

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

Yours sincerely,

Andrew Howard

Secretary to the CDM Executive Board