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Re.: The requirements of microscale projects limits

Dear Mr. Chen,

I would like to thank you for your communication of 18 May 2016, regarding the requirements of microscale projects limit. Your communication has been made available to the CDM Executive Board (the Board) in accordance with the relevant provision of the procedure for direct communication with stakeholders.¹

Please note that in the case of the project activity described in scenario 1, it would be eligible as a microscale project activity, since it would meet the criteria of “Demonstration of additionality of microscale project activities”² (the Tool). However, the project activity described in scenario 2 would not be eligible as a microscale project activity, since it would not meet the criteria stipulated under the Tool. Paragraphs 1(c), 9 and 13(a) imply that for type-III projects to be eligible as microscale project activities, GHG emissions reductions (ex-ante) shall not be more than 20 kt CO₂e during each year of the crediting period.

Thank you for contacting the Board with your request.

Yours sincerely,

Rajesh Sethi
Secretary to the CDM Executive Board

¹ https://cdm.unfccc.int/sunsetcms/storage/contents/stored-file-20150224183036545/eb_proc03.pdf

² <https://cdm.unfccc.int/methodologies/PAmethodologies/tools/am-tool-19-v7.0.pdf>