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CDM Executive Board workplan 2023

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1. The table below provides an overview of the workplan of the Executive Board of the clean development mechanism for 2023.

Table 1. CDM Executive Board workplan 2023

Project / Operational activity	Product	EB117	EB118	EB119	EB120	2024	Mandates and comments
Governance and management matters							
Servicing of regulatory body							
Support to the Executive Board	Selection of Chair/Vice Chair for EB	Final					
	Selection of Chairs/Vice Chairs for panels and working groups (WGs)	Final					
	Selection of panel/WG members for 2023		Final				EB 114 report para. 13, 14 EB 110 report para. 12
	Appointment of experts for RIT for 2023		Final				EB 114 report para. 13 EB 110 report para. 13
	Selection of members for RIT roster of experts' performance evaluation group	Final					Procedure: Selection and performance evaluation of experts on the CDM Registration and Issuance Team and Methodologies rosters of experts
	Calendar of meetings	Final				Draft	

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Support to the Executive Board (cont.)	Implications of CMP and CMA outcomes	Info ¹					
	EB workplan 2023	Final	Info	Info	Info		
	EB report to CMP 2023		Concept ¹	Final			
	CDM two-year business and management plan 2024–2025			Final			Procedure: CDM business and management plan preparation, approval and monitoring
Servicing of panels/working groups							
Panels and working groups	Accreditation Panel (CDM-AP) workplan 2023	Final					
	Methodologies Panel (MP) workplan 2023	Final					
	Panel meeting reports	Final		Final	Final		
Interactions with stakeholders							
Global DNA Forum	Interaction with Co-Chairs		Info		Info		
DOE/AIE Coordination Forum	Interaction with the Chair	Info	Info	Info	Info		

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Accreditation system							
Accreditation system	Analysis and alternative options on inactive designated operational entities (DOEs)	Concept (CDM-AP input)					EB116 report para. 10
Market and policy analysis							
Policy analysis and reports	Carbon market and policy update	Info ¹		Info ¹			
Partnerships							
Planning, monitoring and reporting	Biennial survey on CDM project status					Info	EB116 report para. 6 EB110 report para. 8 EB109 report para. 13 EB105 report para. 47
	Side-event			Info ¹			
Regulatory policy improvement							
Regulatory framework management	Editorial quality, clarity and consistency of draft methodologies, methodological tools and other methodological standards		Info				EB116 report para. 24 EB111 report para. 25 EB110 report para. 34

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Regulatory framework management (cont.)	Analysis on exemptions from mandatory on-site visits by DOEs				Info		EB 115 report para. 34
	Revised procedure: Development, revision, clarification and update of standardized baselines		Final				EB116 report para. 35 EB115 report para. 33
	Region-specific values for fraction of non-renewable biomass			Concept (through MP report)			EB116 report para. 25 EB115 report para. 31
	Revisions to the relevant regulatory documents of the CDM			Draft	Final		EB114 report para. 7(a)
	Linkage of the work of the Board and the Supervisory Body on transition of CDM and CERs to the Article 6.4 mechanism			Concept			EB117 report para. 10
	Amendments to CDM accreditation procedure to update the daily fee rate to be paid to CDM-AT members	Final					EB117 report para. 43

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Regulatory framework management (cont.)	Technical feasibility on registration, issuance and renewal of afforestation and reforestation project activities and programmes of activities to revise the procedure for the temporary measures		Draft	Final			2/CMP.17, para. 7
	Procedure for project participants and Parties holding eligible certified emission reductions in the clean development mechanism registry					Final	2/CMP.17, para. 11(a)(b)
Rulings							
Project assessments							
Assessment of compliance with CDM requirements relating to project and PoA submissions	Consideration of cases for registration, issuance and other project and PoA related submissions	Final	Final	Final	Final		

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Regulatory matters							
Methodologies							
Response to methodological requests from the Board	Various top-down revised/new methodologies and tools mandated by the Board	Final (through MP report, prec. by call)		Final (through MP report, prec. by call)	Final (through MP report, prec. by call)		EB116 report para. 25 EB116 report para. 28 EB116 report para. 29 EB116 report para. 33 EB113 report paras. 43 EB113 report para. 48 EB85 report para. 50
256 Digitalization of methodologies	Update on: (i) Further road-testing of the digitalized version of the methodology ACM0002 with new projects and recently registered projects; (ii) Digitalized version of the methodology ACM0001			Info			Decision 3/CMP.12, para. 9 EB 110 report para. 32 EB 106 report para. 31 EB 102 report para. 34

¹ This product may be a presentation made to the Board

Table 2. CDM EB workplan 2023 number of items^(a)

Numbers of items	EB117	EB118	EB119	EB120
Concept	1	2	1	0
Draft	0	1	1	1
Final	11	4	6	4
Info	3	4	5	4
Total	15	11	13	9

(a) Total of items 2023: **48**

2. Regular reports to the CDM Executive Board

2. Reports on activities and performance will be prepared by the secretariat on a regular basis for consideration of the Board and the general public and are to be published on the UNFCCC CDM website.² Confidential information pertaining to these reports will be provided to the Board via other means, as required
3. Any member or alternate member of the Board may request to consider a specific report at the coming meeting after its publication, taking into account the deadline stipulated by the rules of procedure of the Board.

Table 3. Regular reports to the CDM Executive Board

	Frequency
CDM MAP review reports	Biannually
Key performance indicators	Yearly
Synthesis report of the annual activity reports submitted by the DOEs	Yearly
Annual analysis of DOE performance monitoring system	Yearly
UN platform for voluntary cancellation of certified emission reductions	Yearly
Regional collaboration centres (RCCs)	Yearly
Nairobi framework partnership	Yearly
Stakeholder communications	Yearly

² <https://cdm.unfccc.int/EB/report/>

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