What needs to be done in CMA & CMP

How does the CDM EB and the Art 6.4 Supervisory Body interact?

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Transition from the Kyoto Protocol

- Three draft decision texts (13, 14 and 15 December) to be considered.

- No decision, but some understanding regarding the possibility of having a transition of activities and units from the Kyoto Protocol.

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- Silence on the relationship between the EB and SB.

- CDM EB and Supervisory Body (SB) must be properly informed and mandated with specific tasks by the CMP and the CMA.
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CDM EB - Mode of work

- Supervise the mechanism
- Develop requirements, processes and procedures
- Develop and/or approve methodologies
- Accredit DOEs
- Register projects
- Issue CDM CERs
- Make publicly available information on proposed CDM projects in need of funding and investors seeking opportunities
- Maintain a public database
- Develop and maintain the CDM registry

Article 6.4 SB - How it is expected to work

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1. Early start

- Allowing project participants to start action immediately using already approved references while the rules, modalities and procedures of Art. 6.4 are not fully operational

2. Other matters directly related

- The CDM Trust Fund?
- Capacity building activities?
- Reserve (for multiple purposes)?
- Work programme?
- Open CDM agenda items?