

TEMPLATE

 Deviation request form

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Version **5.0**

A. To be completed by Gold Standard

1 | Decision

1.1 | Date – 30/08/2022

1.2 | Decision

The deviation has been APPROVED considering that continuous activities have been performed since start of the project.

The PD shall note that this is not a permanent approval. The PD must make sure to submit the Annual Reports latest by end of the following year as stipulated in PRINCIPLES & REQUIREMENTS - Version 1.2 § 5.1.39 to 5.1.44. in future

1.3 | Is this decision applicable to other project activities under similar circumstances?

NO

B. To be completed by the Project Developer/Coordinating and Managing Entity and/or VVB requesting deviation

2| Background information

The last verification of the project was conducted for the time period of 01/03/2017 to 31/05/2019. The ongoing verification includes the dates between 01/06/2019 to 31/07/2021. There is a missing year which is 2020 that the annual report was not prepared. According to the GS comments received during performance review, there should be an annual report for the year 2020.

Deviation Reference Number	DEV_292	
Date of decision	30/08/2022	
Precedent (YES/NO)	NO	
Precedent details	N/A	
Date of submission	24/08/2022	
Project/PoA/VPA	Project	ID – GS1208
	<input type="checkbox"/> PoA	ID – GSXXXX
	<input type="checkbox"/> VPA	ID – GSXXXX
Project/PoA/VPA title	CEMEL HYDRO BUNDLE	
Date of listing	-	
GS Standard version applicable	GS4GG	
Date of transition to GS4GG (if applicable)	24/04/2020	
Date of transition to Gold Standard from another standard (e.g. CDM) (if applicable)//	N/A	
Date of design certification/inclusion (if applicable)	-	
Location of project/PoA/VPA	Host country(ies) Turkey	
Scale of the project/PoA/VPA	<input type="checkbox"/> Microscale <input type="checkbox"/> Small scale <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Large scale	
Gold Standard Impact Registry link of the project/PoA/VPA	https://registry.goldstandard.org/projects/details/130	
Status of the project/PoA/VPA	<input type="checkbox"/> New <input type="checkbox"/> Listed <input type="checkbox"/> Certified design <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Certified project	
Title/subject of deviation	Annual Report Deviation	
Specify applicable rule/requirements/methodology, with exact paragraph reference and version number	ACM0002 "Consolidated baseline methodology for grid connected electricity generation from renewable sources", ver 12.3.0	
Specify the monitoring period for which the request is valid (if applicable)	Start date 01/06/2019 End date 31/07/2021	
Submitted by	Contact person name: M. Kemal Demirkol Email ID: Kemal.demirkol@gte.com.tr	

	Organisation: GTE KARBON SÜRDÜRÜLEBİLİR ENERJİ EĞİTİM DANIŞMANLIK VE TİC. A.Ş Project participant: Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Validation and Verification body (VVB opinion shall be included, where required by the applicable rules/requirements or request is submitted by the VVB).	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> If yes; VVB name: VVB Staff name(s):
Any previous deviations approved for the same project activity/PoA/VPA(s)?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

3 | Deviation detail

3.1 | Description of the deviation:

3.1.1 | Deviation detail (to be completed by Project developer):

The project owners do not conduct verification in each year (due to DOE costs, etc.) but rather need verification consultancy in each 2-3 years. In this case, the project developer and project owners sign the agreement for the verification of the past several years. When the project developer starts verification process, the annual reports are most often not submitted to GS yet. This is the same situation in Cemel project. We kindly request a deviation for the year 2020.

3.1.2 | VVB opinion (to be completed by VVB, if applicable):

N/A

3.2 | Assessment of the deviation:

3.2.1 | Deviation assessment (to be completed by Project developer):

There is no gap or problem with the project's stakeholder communication. The logbook is kept to get any grievance/comment related to the project implementation. If there is any comment, PP and DOE take it into account during verification. Other ways of communication are also valid such as face-to-face communication. Lack of annual report in 2020 does not create a problem in terms of project implementation.

3.2.2 | VVB opinion (to be completed by VVB, if applicable):

N/A

3.3 | Impact of the deviation:

3.3.1 | Impact assessment (to be completed by Project developer):

The deviation does not have an effect on any SDG contribution, project implementation, monitoring plan, etc. The verifications are done periodically during the crediting period and will continue to keep monitoring in coming years. The points assessed in annual reports are monitored in the monitoring reports in more detail.

3.3.2 | VVB opinion (to be completed by VVB, if applicable):

N/A

3.4 | Documents:

Version number	Release date	Description
5	11.04.2022	Additional information added: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - date of listing, design certification, transition - standard version - specific reference to a requirement deviated from - any previous deviations/design changes approved Guidance on VVB opinion
4	14.01.2021	
3	16.07.2020	
2	03.05.2018	
1	01.07.2017	Initial adoption