

VALIDATING LETTER

For the participation of the Kingdom of Spain – Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Environment & Ministry of Economy and Competitiveness to be transferred to Kingdom of Spain - Ministry for the Ecological Transition & Ministry of Economy and Business as a project participant in projects implemented under articles 6 and 12 of the Kyoto Protocol.

The Kingdom of Spain – Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Environment & Ministry of Economy and Competitiveness voluntarily participates in the CDM/JI projects enumerated according to the corresponding Letters of Approval issued by the Spanish Designated National Authority in accordance with the Kyoto Protocol (articles 6 and 12).

In June 2018, the names of the two ministries participating in the before-mentioned projects on behalf of the Kingdom of Spain: Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Environment & Ministry of Economy and Competitiveness, were modified by Ministry for the Ecological Transition & Ministry of Economy and Business respectively (Royal Decree 355/2018, of 6th of June).

Consequently, Ms Valvanera Ulargui Aparicio, Director General of the Spanish Climate Change Office, on behalf of the Spanish Designated National Authority (DNA) to the UNFCCC Secretariat,

- declares that the Letters of Approval issued in the name of Kingdom of Spain, authorizing it to act as a project participant in projects implemented under the Articles 6 and 12 of the Kyoto Protocol are still valid;
- authorises the change of name of the authorised participant in the before-mentioned projects from Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Environment & Ministry of Economy and Competitiveness to Ministry for the Ecological Transition & Ministry of Economy and Business respectively.

Madrid on 11th September 2018



Valvanera Ulargui Aparicio
Director General of the Spanish Climate Change Office
Secretary of the Spanish Designated National Authority



**SAMPLE AS A COURTESY VALID LETTER OF APPROVAL ATTACHED IN
SPANISH**

Resolution of the Designated National Authority approving the voluntary participation of Spain in the “*Uganda Nile Basin Reforestation Project No 1*” and the participation of the World Bank in the project.

**THE DESIGNATED NATIONAL AUTHORITY FOR PROJECT BASED
MECHANISMS OF THE KYOTO PROTOCOL**

Having examined the documentation submitted by the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development, as Trustee of the BioCarbon Fund, henceforth “the World Bank” in the application for voluntary participation of Spain in the “*Uganda Nile Basin Reforestation Project No 1*”,

Recalling Article 12 of the Kyoto Protocol,

Recalling paragraph 40 of decision 17/CP 7 of the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change,

In compliance with Third Additional Provision of Law 1/2005, of 9th March, regulating the regime for greenhouse gas emission allowances trading, and Royal Decree 1031/2007, of 20th July, developing the participation framework in the Kyoto Protocol flexible mechanisms,

CONSIDERING,

1. That The Kingdom of Spain ratified the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change on 21st December 1993, and ratified the Kyoto Protocol thereto on 31st May 2002,
2. That the “**Uganda Nile Basin Reforestation Project No 1**” henceforth “the project”, for GHG emission reductions located in **Uganda** submitted by the **World Bank** on **March 9th 2012**, has been presented in conformity with the Third Additional Provision of Law 1/2005, of 9th March, regulating the regime for greenhouse gas emission allowances trading, the Royal Decree 1031/2007, of 20th July, developing the participation framework in the Kyoto Protocol flexible mechanisms and the requirements established for clean development mechanism projects in Article 12 of the Kyoto Protocol, the Marrakech Accords and the subsequent decisions,
3. That the project has been analysed from the project design document sent by **World Bank** to the Spanish Climate Change Bureau with registration number **106/175**, dated on **March 9th 2012**, and in the terms expressed in the aforementioned document,



**APPROVES THE VOLUNTARY PARTICIPATION OF THE KINGDOM OF SPAIN
AS PARTY OF THE KYOTO PROTOCOL IN THE PROJECT**

“UGANDA NILE BASIN REFORESTATION PROJECT NO 1”

**AS WELL AS THE PARTICIPATION OF THE WORLD BANK IN THE
AFOREMENTIONED PROJECT**

And recognises that the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development, as Trustee of the Bio Carbon Fund, is the focal point for the Project activity with respect to all communications with the Executive Board of the clean development mechanism and the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change.

Madrid, 3rd April 2012

Fdo: Federico Ramos de Armas
President of the Spanish Designated National Authority



Resolución de la Autoridad Nacional Designada por la que aprueba la participación voluntaria de España en el “Proyecto nº 1 de reforestación de la cuenca del río Nilo en Uganda” (*Uganda Nile Basin Reforestation Project No 1*) y la participación del Banco Mundial en el mismo.

LA AUTORIDAD NACIONAL DESIGNADA POR ESPAÑA PARA LOS MECANISMOS BASADOS EN PROYECTOS DEL PROTOCOLO DE KIOTO

Examinada la documentación presentada por el **Banco Mundial** para la solicitud del informe de participación voluntaria de España en el “**Proyecto nº 1 de reforestación de la cuenca del río Nilo en Uganda**” (*Uganda Nile Basin Reforestation Project No 1*),

Visto el Artículo 12 del Protocolo de Kioto,

Visto el párrafo 40 de la decisión 17/CP.7 de la Convención Marco de Naciones Unidas sobre Cambio Climático,

De conformidad con la Disposición Adicional Tercera de la Ley 1/2005, de 9 de marzo, por la que se regula el régimen del comercio de derechos de emisión de gases de efecto invernadero y con el Real Decreto 1031/2007, de 20 de julio, por el que se desarrolla el marco de participación en los mecanismos de flexibilidad del Protocolo de Kioto,

CONSIDERANDO:

1. Que el **Reino de España** ha ratificado la Convención Marco de Naciones Unidas sobre Cambio Climático el 21 de diciembre de 1993, y es Parte del Protocolo de Kioto, que ha ratificado el 31 de mayo de 2002.
2. Que el “**Proyecto nº 1 de reforestación de la cuenca del río Nilo en Uganda**” (*Uganda Nile Basin Reforestation Project No 1*), en adelante, “el proyecto”, ubicado en **Uganda**, remitido por el **Banco Mundial** con fecha **9 de marzo de 2012**, ha sido presentado conforme a la Disposición Adicional Tercera de la Ley 1/2005, de 9 de marzo, por la que se regula el régimen del comercio de derechos de emisión de gases de efecto invernadero, el Real Decreto 1031/2007, de 20 de julio, por el que se desarrolla el marco de participación en los mecanismos de flexibilidad del Protocolo de Kioto y los requisitos establecidos para los proyectos del mecanismo del desarrollo limpio en el Artículo 12 del Protocolo de Kioto, los Acuerdos de Marrakech y las decisiones posteriores que los desarrollan.
3. Que el proyecto ha sido analizado a partir del documento de proyecto (PDD) y la documentación adicional pertinente remitida por el **Banco Mundial** a la Oficina Española de Cambio Climático con número de registro de entrada **106/175** de fecha **9 de marzo de 2012**, y en los términos expresados en dichos documentos,



APRUEBA LA PARTICIPACIÓN VOLUNTARIA DEL REINO DE ESPAÑA COMO PARTE DEL PROTOCOLO DE KIOTO, EN EL PROYECTO

“PROYECTO N° 1 DE REFORESTACIÓN DE LA CUENCA DEL RÍO NILO EN UGANDA” (*UGANDA NILE BASIN REFORESTATION PROJECT NO 1*),

Y LA PARTICIPACIÓN DEL BANCO MUNDIAL EN EL MISMO

Y reconoce que el Banco Internacional para la Reconstrucción y Desarrollo, como fideicomisario del Fondo de Bio Carbono del Banco Mundial, es el punto focal para el proyecto con respecto a todas las comunicaciones con la Junta Ejecutiva y la Convención Marco de Naciones Unidas para Cambio Climático.

Madrid, 3 de abril de 2012

Fdo: Federico Ramos de Armas
Presidente de la Autoridad Nacional Designada