

	<p align="center">CDM: Recommendation Form for Small Scale Methodologies (version 01) <i>(To be used for presenting questions/proposals/amendments to the simplified methodologies for small-scale CDM project activity categories)</i></p>
Date of SSC WG meeting:	12 - 13 September 2005
Title/Subject (give a small title or specify the subject of your submission, maximum 200 characters):	“CCP Wastewater Project in the Phillippines”
Indicative methodology to which your submission relates (refer the items of Appendix B of the Simplified Modalities and Procedures), if applicable.	AMS III.D and III.E
Name of the authors of the query:	Mitsubishi Securities
<p>Summary of the query:</p> <p>Please use the space below to summarize the query related to SSC methodologies/categories SSC Modalities and Procedures provide recommendation/analysis of the SSC WG.</p> <p>The project activity described by Mitsubishi Securities (MS) consists of the “addition of an anaerobic digester (UASB system) to the present wastewater equipment (aerobic digestion system)”. It is argued that this activity cannot be considered as methane recovery (III.D), since “production of methane by the project will be higher than the baseline scenario”. It is also mentioned that “the amount of sludge produced will be 4 times less than the baseline scenario. The sludge, once disposed of in landfill, emits methane directly into the atmosphere. By reducing the amount of sludge through Project implementation, methane avoidance will result”.</p> <p>The proposal of MS is to consider this project as “avoidance of methane production from biomass decay through controlled combustion (III.E)”, and suggests some amendments in III.E to accommodate this.</p>	
<p>Recommendation by the SSC WG :</p> <p>Please use the space below to provide amendments /changes (in your expert view, if necessary).</p> <p>Please refer to paragraphs 11,12 and 13 of the report of the SSC-WG 03: http://cdm.unfccc.int/Panels/ssc_wg/sscwg_meetings/SSCWG03_rep_ext.pdf</p>	
<p>Answer to authors of query by the SSC WG :</p> <p>Please use the space below to provide an answer to the authors of the above query</p> <p>The SSC-WG in its third meeting considered in detail your submission concerning proposals to change the Project Category III-E of the SSC Modalities and Procedures, to be used for the projects that aim to avoid methane production through reduced sludge generation and methane recovery in wastewater treatment. The agreement was to consider your submission, together with others received in the same field, as input for a proposal to be decided in the next meeting, revising the division of type III projects into categories, and defining for each category an approach on how to assess the project emissions (and boundary), baseline and leakages.</p> <p>You are welcome to provide the working group with further clarifications. Clarifications, if any, would need to be submitted by latest 28 November 2005.</p>	



Signature of SSC WG Chair

Date: 16 / 09 /2005

(Gertraud Wollansky)

Signature of SSC WG Vice-Chair

Date: / /

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