

Agenda item 4.1 (b)

Paragraph 34 of the annotated agenda

AM0122: Recovery of methane-rich vapours from hydrocarbon storage tanks

CDM EB 113

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Background

- The request for a mandate from the EB was identified at MP87 when considering TOOL06.
- After careful consideration, the Meth Panel is of the opinion that the substantive revision to TOOL06 may no longer be necessary, because the relevant issues can be better resolved by revising AM0122.
- The calculation of project emissions including the default flare efficiency can be integrated in AM0122.



Purpose

- To report on the MP87 recommendation seeking an EB mandate to revise AM0122.



Key issues - scope

- A revision to AM0122 is required to allow the calculation of project emissions
- The calculation of project emissions including the need for a default value of flare efficiency from the combustion of hydrocarbons can be integrated in the methodology as no other methodologies would require the use of this value.



MP87 recommendation

- While considering the top-down revision of TOOL06, the MP recommended to include the guidance related to project emissions from flaring of hydrocarbons (non-renewable source) in the relevant methodology “AM0122: Recovery of methane-rich vapours from hydrocarbon storage tanks”.
- In this regard, the MP recommended that the Board provide a mandate to the MP to revise the methodology AM0122.



Recommendations to the Board

- MP recommended that the Board to provide a mandate to revise AM0122.

