**[Guidelines 3-1] Evaluation Criteria for Methodology Verification**

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* The methodology should include the requirements of certification principles and detailed operation criteria and be developed by reflecting in advance the feasibility assessment conditions according to ISO 14064-2.
* The methodology consists of the following, and the details should be documented to satisfy the methodology evaluation criteria.

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| **Classification** | **Evaluation Criteria** |
| Confirmation of project participants | Is the project implemented/conducted by a porject proponent? |
| Is the methodology developer/proposer identified? |
| Is it possible to demonstrate the ownership or contribution to reductions? |
| Confirmation of applied conditions | Is the project after the effective project commencement date according to KCS? |
| Is the project within the boundary according to KCS? |
| Are explanations and grounds provided for GHG reduction technologies/principles? |
| Is it possible for the project to cause a reversal of GHG emissions? |
| Are there compensation mechanisms for replacing GHG emissions that will be lost in a reversal? |
| Are business boundaries and greenhouse gas emission sources clearly presented? |
| Are the seven major GHG gases clearly presented? |
| Confirmation of emission calculations and information | Are the baseline scenarios selected considering the additionality principle?  ·Legal/Institutional additionality  ·Additionality beyond the general level |
| Are the calculation formula for baseline/project emissions presented? |
| Is the consideration of leakage presented as a reliable basis? |
| Is the emission calculation formula self-developed? Is there a referenced methodology? |
| If the formula is self-developed, are there grounds for suggesting the reliability of the GHG emission calculation method presented? |
| If there is a referenced methodology, are the sources and grounds presented? |
| Are levels of monitoring/reporting/recording presented? |
| Are monitoring factors applied to baseline scenarios/project activities presented? |
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| Which of the following methods are used for monitoring the monitored factors?  ·Measurement/calculation/default value (standard value) |

* The completeness of the methodology is evaluated based on the checklist below.

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| **Evaluated item** | **Evaluated target** | **Evaluation method** | **Review result** | **Review and supplementation details** |
| 1. Methodology proposal |  |  |  |  |
| 1) General information |  |  |  |  |
| 1. Methodology name |  |  |  |  |
| 1. Project area |  |  |  |  |
| 1. Applied conditions |  |  |  |  |
| 1. Evaluation boundary |  |  |  |  |
| 2) Baseline methodology |  |  |  |  |
| 1. Baseline scenario |  |  |  |  |
| 1. Additionality demonstration |  |  |  |  |
| 1. GHG emission calculation method |  |  |  |  |
| 3) Monitoring methodology |  |  |  |  |
| 1. Monitoring procedure |  |  |  |  |
| 1. Baseline fixed data and factors |  |  |  |  |
| 1. Monitored data and factors |  |  |  |  |
| 4) References |  |  |  |  |