

Sri Lankan Perspective on CDM Reforms

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Status of CDM in Sri Lanka

• Registered and issued CER	03
• Registered and not issued CER	04
• Validation stage	20
• PIN Stage	93
• Rejected by EB	03

CDM initiatives taken by Sri Lanka

- Accredited the Kyoto Protocol in September 2002.
- Establishment of two national CDM study centers at two leading Universities..
- Establishment of Sri Lanka Carbon Fund (SLCF) for financing and providing technical support for project developers (2009).
- Undertaking a project on “Capacity Development and CDM promotion in Sri Lanka” in collaboration with JICA

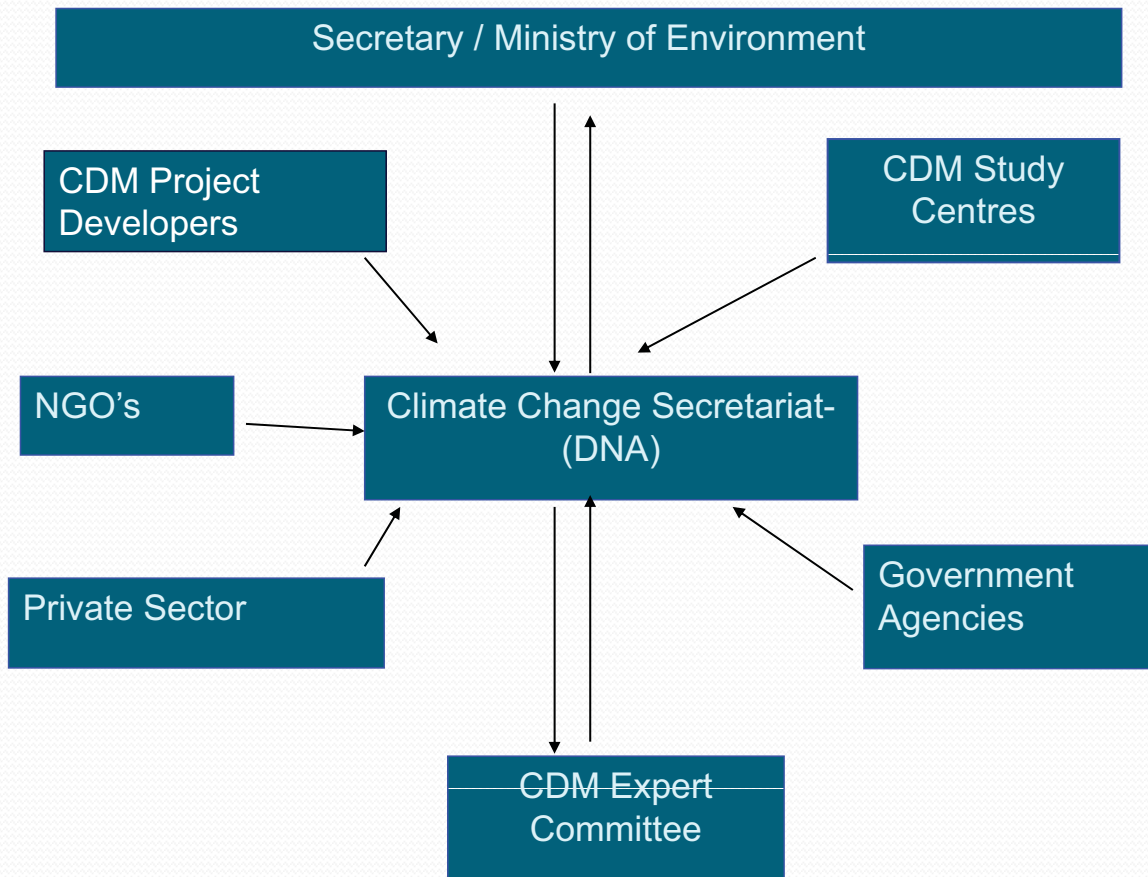
Outputs expected under the project on “Capacity Development and CDM Promotion in Srilanka”

- Capacity Development of the DNA staff
- Development of the CDM portfolio in Srilanka
- Development of national SD criteria
- Development of National policy, Strategy and action plan of CDM in Srilanka
- Preparation of CDM project appraisal manual
- Preparation of CDM guide book
- Further development of the CDM website
- Preparation of CDM promotional materials

Potential of CDM projects in Sri Lanka

Sector	Potential Reduction of CO ₂ e (tones)
Agriculture and plantation	2119039
Wind	1620441
Forestry	997195
Bio mass	872545
Organic Waste treatment	311623
Hydro	400673

CDM – Stakeholders in Sri Lanka



Ideal CDM Projects in Sri Lanka

- Renewable Energy projects
 - Hydro power projects
 - Bio Mass projects
 - Wind power projects
 - Waste to energy projects
 - Solar power projects
- Energy Efficiency projects
- Programmatic CDM in composting projects
- AR projects

What is to be accomplished by utilizing CDM

- Ensuring the Sustainable Development
- Capturing non-conventional renewable energy resources even if its economic viability is marginal (National Energy Policy)
- Contributing to the global mitigation activities while ensuring the adaptive measures in the country

Constraints to Develop CDM projects in Sri Lanka

- Lack of awareness.
- Poor financial Mechanism.
- Uncertainty beyond 2012.
- Risk factor for investment.
- Lack of domestic service providers
- High transaction cost and time delays
- Technological constraints
- The small size of potential projects
- Non-availability of data
- Non-availability of DOEs in the country



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