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Authorization under Article 6 in Japan

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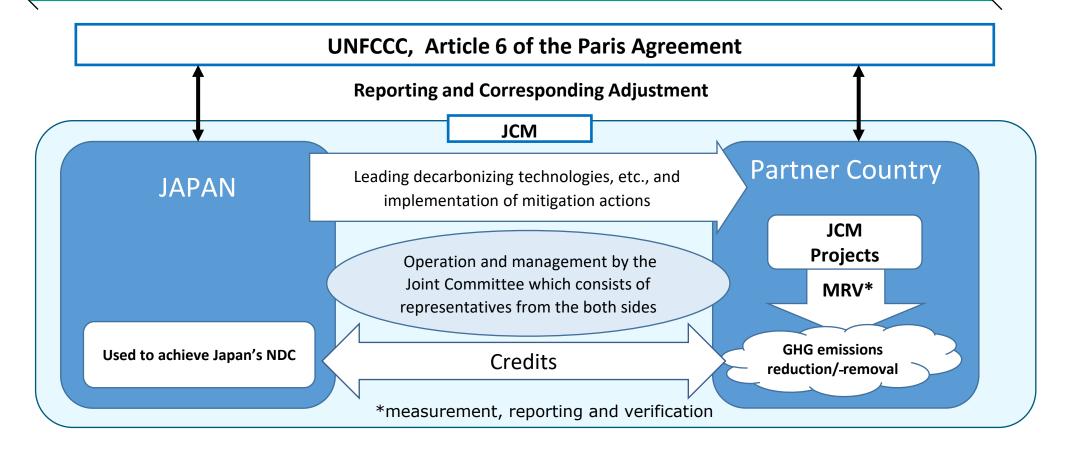








Basic concept of the JCM and contribution to carbon neutrality



- Contribute to the achievement of both countries' NDCs while ensuring the avoidance of double counting through corresponding adjustments.
- Implement the JCM consistent with the guidance on cooperative approaches, referred to in Article 6, paragraph 2 of the Paris Agreement.

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Project Cycle of the JCM

Each Government issues the credit



JCM CDM <Main actors at each process> **Submission of Project** Project Participant / Each Government **Proposed Participant Joint Committee** Methodology **Approval of Proposed Joint Committee CDM Executive Board** Methodology **Development Project Participant Project Participant** of PDD* **Designated Operational** Third Party Entities **Validation** Entities(DOEs) **CDM Executive Board** Registration Joint Committee **Project Participant Monitoring Project Participant** Verification **DOEs** Third Party Entities Joint Committee decides the amount Issuance **CDM Executive Board**

of credits



Implementation of the Article 6 rules into domestic rules

 JCM Promotion and Utilization Council was established in January 2022, which consists of relevant 5 Ministries (MoEJ, Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries, and Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, Transport and Tourism)

<Reference>

Plan for Global Warming Countermeasures (Cabinet Decision, October 2021)

Chapter 3 Countermeasures and policy measures to achieve targets

In addition, for the implementation of the JCM in Japan in line with the Paris Agreement and the related decisions, as well as the bilateral documents for the JCM and the rules and guidelines adopted by the Joint Council established based on the said documents, the JCM Promotion and Utilization Council is established in the JCM implementing authorities.

- The Council's duties include:
- 1. the <u>authorization of JCM credits</u> as a Party to the Paris Agreement,
- 2. the determination of a <u>method to apply a corresponding</u> <u>adjustment</u> to prevent double counting,
- 3. the <u>revision of the Guidelines</u> for the Implementation of the JCM in Japan.



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Procedures on the authorization and its corresponding adjustment

- public consultation :Feb.4th to March 5th ,2022
- Adopted on April 7th 2022 by the JCM Promotion and Utilization Council

Who authorize:

The JCM Promotion and Utilization Council (in Japan)

What to authorize:

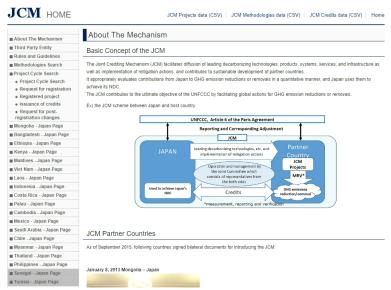
- JCM credits issued in the JCM registry of Japan,
- **JCM projects** issuing those JCM credits
- <u>Legal entities acquiring those JCM credits</u>, etc., based on the notification from the Joint Committees decided in line with the JCM bilateral documents, rules and guidelines.



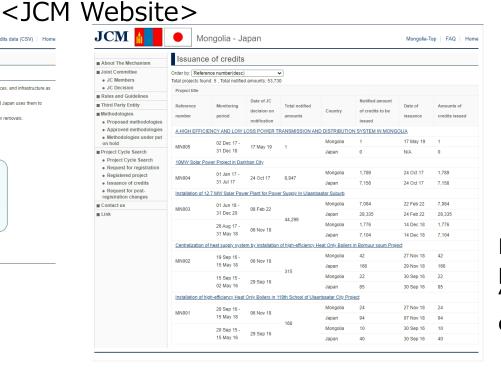
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Information publicly available:

- The JCM implementing authorities <u>promptly publish the information on</u> authorization on the JCM website
- The name of a relevant <u>partner country</u>, the name of a <u>JCM project</u>, the name of <u>a legal entity</u> acquiring JCM credits, <u>JCM credit identification</u> <u>number</u>, and <u>the status of authorization</u> by the relevant partner country, etc.



(https://www.jcm.go.jp)



Mongolia-Japan page "Issuance of credits"

Thank you for your kind attention

