



**POLICY GROUP**

**APPROVAL OF DRAFT PROJECT RECOMMENDATION GUIDELINES**

*Note by the Secretariat*

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### Background

A major role of the Technical Group is to make recommendations to the Policy Group as to which projects the Carbon Sequestration Leadership Forum should endorse. Toward this end, the Secretariat has developed Draft Project Recommendation Guidelines for the Technical Group to use in evaluating proposals. Final Draft Project Recommendation Guidelines will be recommended to the Policy Group by the Technical Group on 22 January 2004.

In order to keep the Policy Group delegates informed on a timely basis, the original Draft Project Recommendation Guidelines developed by the Secretariat are being provided with this Note. These Draft Guidelines may be changed by the Technical Group during its meetings on 20-21 January 2004.

### Action Requested

The Policy Group is requested to approve the final Draft Project Recommendation Guidelines as recommended by the Technical Group.

### Conclusions

The Policy Group is invited to note in the Minutes of its meeting of 22 January 2004 that:

“The Policy Group approved as Final the Draft Project Recommendation Guidelines recommended by the Technical Group.”



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**Project Recommendation Guidelines**

- 1) Is proposed project supported by at least two CSLF member countries?
- 2) Is project consistent with the CSLF Charter? (Does it involve geologic sequestration, capture, transport or storage of carbon dioxide?)
- 3) Are environmental, safety, and health concerns addressed?
- 4) Are project sponsors willing to share non-proprietary project information with other CSLF member countries?
- 5) Will visits to the project site be allowed for representatives of CSLF member countries?
- 6) Will the expected information from the project be sufficient to allow others to make improved estimates of the technology's potential technical performance, costs, and benefits for any future applications?
- 7) Will the project, including reporting, be completed by 2013?
- 8) Will reports be made available, in English, for the CSLF web site?