

9th EU ETS Compliance Conference

Task Force AV

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Main objective and activities

- *Facilitate greater harmonisation in the implementation of the AVR*
 - Share experiences on verification and accreditation issues
 - Provide input into Commission projects (e.g. review AVR, guidances)
- *TF meetings (15-18 CAs, EA, Commission); email exchange*
 - Reduces barriers to contact colleagues in other MS
- *EA involved in TF meetings (link for feedback to/from NABs and EA)*
- *Better understanding of AVR requirements and of the roles of CA, verifier and NAB*

Summary of recent activities

- *Qualitative materiality: discussion in TF, suggestions for clarification in Guidance*
- *Involvement of CA staff in tasks NAB: survey among TF-members and discussion in Task Force*
- *Information exchange CA-NAB: involvement of verifiers and use of template for CA-report*
- *Impartiality of verifiers: conflict of interest if there are ties between a verifier and an accredited lab?*

Summary of recent activities (2)

- *Verification and Accreditation of allocation data, requirements for phase IV, site visits*
- *Review of AERs/VRs: experiences shared in TF meeting*

Looking towards 2019

- *Scope of AVR widened as from 1-1-2019 to include the verification of NIMs data: discuss implementation issues*
- *Input into Commission projects (revisions AVR, Guidances)*
- *Sustainability criteria for biomass (role of verifiers): survey among TF-members*
- *Reviewing internal verification documentation and attending verifications by CA: share experiences*