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Rod,

Per our phone conversation on Monday, I wanted to follow up with an email to express my concern with the timeline contained in your letter dated Feb. 4, 2009 for this project. You indicated that you retained the timeline that had previously been proposed when it was thought that the project would be data adequate in December. However, data adequacy was not achieved until Jan. 28 and the deadlines suggested for the PDOC and FDOC did not change accordingly. The latest letter indicates that the PDOC would be due by April 20, 2009, or approximately 2 months from now. Given the information that I currently have, it seems that the deadline may need to be reconsidered. The applicant has not provided any information about the amount, type, extent, or nature of the emission reduction credits (ERCs) that will be provided for the project. They have verbally indicated to me that they may not have a package proposed for another month or longer. The ERC portion of the evaluation for the PDOC can easily amount to 50% of the work that needs to be completed on our part, depending on the complexity of the ERC proposal. Given this information, it seems that the April 20 deadline may be unrealistic. Although we discussed all of this by phone, I wanted to reiterate my thoughts in an email for your consideration when reviewing the issue reports and considering the timeline.

Thanks for your help!

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