



12 March 2025

Eduardo Covas Barrinouevo
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Dear Eduardo Covas Barrinouevo,

Project 1147: Response to exemption submitted on 06 March 2025

Verra grants an exemption to Section 4.2.4 of the *CCB Program Rules v3.1* to project 1147 to allow for an additional 30 days to complete verification as the situation was unforeseeable.

Next steps:

The project must receive the first verification report and first verification statement within one year and thirty days of the initiation of the relevant verification public comment period.

Exemptions are granted by Verra on a case-by-case basis and do not form the basis of, or set a precedent for, future exemption request approvals or denials. This letter will be uploaded to the Verra Registry as a public document.

Background to the extension request:

This letter is in reference to your exemption request submitted to Verra on 06 March 2025. It is our understanding that EBCF is requesting an exemption from Section 4.2.4 of the Climate, Community & Biodiversity Program Rules v3.1 for Project 1147 - AMAZON RIO IFM. The exemption requested by the project proponent is to extend the deadline of the submission of validation and verification report and verification statement by thirty days.

Based on the information provided to Verra, it is understood that the project is unable to meet the requirement due to updates to Verra Programs causing delays in the validation and verification process.

Sincerely,

Manish Neupane
Director, Natural Climate Solutions, Program Management
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