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Request for mandate to revise AMS-II.G and AMS-I.E

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Procedural background

- EB 99 requested the MP to propose non-binding best practice examples (NBBP) in 4 methodologies including "AMS-II.G: Energy efficiency measures in thermal applications of non-renewable biomass".
- At MP 78, the MP considered the areas for NBBP including
 - life span of devices, leakage, utilization hours, stove stacking



Key issues

- Stove stacking is the use of pre-project or other non-project cooking devices during the implementation of the activity, particularly cooking appliances that do not use biomass as fuel.
- Non-binding best practice examples (versus revision of methodology)
 - are for helping understanding of the methodology
 - to explain the requirements/ application of a methodology/standard using various means including schematic diagrams
 - do not introduce new requirements nor make any substantial changes to the methodology



Recommendation

- The MP considered that stove stacking requires further elaboration and accounting in the methodology (beyond a non-binding example).
- Therefore, the MP agreed to seek a mandate from the Board to revise AMS-II.G, to take stove stacking into account. The same issue of "stove stacking" also occurs in activities applying "AMS-I.E: Switch from non-renewable biomass for thermal applications by the user" and hence, for the same reason, the MP agreed to seek a mandate from the Board to revise AMS-I.E.

 The Board may wish to give mandate to the MP to revise the methodologies AMS-II.G. and AMS-I.E.



Subsequent work and timelines

 If the Board gives the mandate to revise the methodologies, the MP would start work at MP 79.

