18. Definition of relevant principles, modalities, rules and guidelines for verification, reporting and accountability

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- 19. Risk of transferees on transfers the transferor was not entitled to make under the Protocol.
- 20. Refusals of Annex I Parties to participate in emissions trading under Article 17.

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## Methodological/Technical Work

- 1. Determination of principles, rules, modalities and guidelines:
  - In particular for verification, reporting and accountability
  - To ensure that emissions trading provides real, cost-effective and verifiable environmental benefits, and that trading of 'hot air' does not lead to emissions reductions being lower than would otherwise be the case
  - To define supplementarity, by means of a concrete ceiling for the three mechanisms
  - To ensure that the emissions trading system is transparent, accessible and verifiable, functions in a non-discriminatory manner, and does not lead to distortions of competition
  - To establish responsibility in the event of non-compliance
- 2. Principles, modalities, rules, and guidelines, for verification, reporting, and accountability
- 3. Environmental effectiveness and economic efficiency
- 4. Tradeable assigned amount unit
- 5. Participation, including Parties and legal entities
- 6. Eligibility
- 7. Institutional requirements
- 8. Recording and reporting
- 9. Verification and accountability
- 10. Liability
- 11. Competitive markets
- 12. Transparency
- 13. Compliance

## Participation in trading

- 1. Eligibility of Parties
- 2. Eligibility of other entities under the responsibility and within the jurisdiction of a Party