

**2.0 Reference: None**

It is my understanding that we have signed on to the Kyoto Protocols and will under them be required to pay for our pollution by limiting other industrial activities or purchasing credits from other countries.

**1.2.0**

- a) Could you explain where in the energy purchase agreement or elsewhere these costs have been forecast quantified and assessed for this project?
- b) Could you explain the details of how this cost was assessed for all the bidders to properly determine the least cost alternative?

**RESPONSE:**

**1.2.0(a)**

**Section 8.10 (c) of the Electricity Purchase Agreement allocates to the Seller all regulatory and legal risks associated with all emissions from the plant.**

**Also refer to response to GSXCCC IR 1.23.2 and to Gold River IRs 1.5.22 and 1.5.23.**

**1.2.0(b)**

**Refer to response to Hill IR 1.2.0(a).**