Annex to the National Inventory Report 2008 of the Czech Republic; Submission under the Kyoto Protocol and the Climate Change Convention

Supplementary information under article 7 of the Kyoto Protocol (voluntary reporting in accordance with decision 15/CMP.1)

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### Introduction

Article 7.1 describes the supplementary information required under the Kyoto Protocol, to be submitted with the annual inventory. Decision 15/CMP.1 "Guidelines for the preparation of the information required under Article 7 of the Kyoto Protocol" specifies requirements of the Article 7 of the Kyoto Protocol.

# 1. Changes in the National System

Extensive information on the National Inventory System (NIS) is described in this National Inventory Report under the appropriate section as required by the UN FCCC guidelines. More extensive background information on the NIS is also included in the Czech Republic's Initial Report. The Initial Review in 2007 concluded that the Czech Republic's national system has been established in accordance with the guidelines. There have been no changes in the NIS since the last submission and since the Czech Republic's Initial Report.

### 2. Changes in the National Registry

General description and background information on the National registry has been included in the Czech Republic's Initial Report, submitted to the UNFCCC. Czech national registry is fully complaint with registry requirements as defined by decisions 13/CMP.1 and 5/CMP.1 and also in IAR report. The Czech Republic has been completely eligible to connect ITL since 2007. Due to some problems with connectivity between ITL and CITL the Czech Republic has not been connected to ITL yet. This problem should be solved by the European Commission in the second part of 2008.

## 3. Updating CPR

Each Party included in Annex I shall maintain, in its national registry, a commitment period reserve which should not drop below 90 per cent of the Party's assigned amount calculated pursuant to Article 3, paragraphs 7 and 8, of the Kyoto Protocol, or 100 per cent of five times the most recently reviewed inventory, whichever is lowest.

In the case of the Czech Republic, the relevant size of the Commitment Period Reserve is five times the most recent inventory (for 2006, in submission 2008), which is calculated below:  $5 \times 148,203.944 = 741,019.720 \text{ Gg CO}_{2 \text{ eq}}$ 

#### 4. Assigned Amount Information

The assigned amount pursuant to Article 3, paragraphs 7 and 8, has been calculated in accordance with the annex to decision 13/CMP.1. It amounts to **893,541,801** tonnes  $CO_2$  equivalent. The Czech Republic has been fully eligible to the Kyoto protocol since 24 February 2008.

#### **5.** Other Issues

The Czech Republic does not make use of the possibility of earlier voluntary reporting of other issues.