

Interim and Final Review Editor Reports Overview

In order to assist the Review Editors in fulfilling their role and responsibilities for the AR5, they are asked to provide internal written reports (individually or jointly) to the chapter CLAs and the TSU on each review draft (FOD, SOD). A final report is required at the end of the process, prior to the approval session. All of these reports are for internal audit purposes and will not be made public at e-launch. According to IPCC Rules and Procedures, only comments and author responses become part of the public record.

Interim Report #1 (FOD) – see <Sample_RE_FOD_Report.pdf>

Requirements: This interim report should focus on (i) the main areas of concern arising from the FOD review comments; (ii) the contentious or controversial issues that need to be addressed in the next draft and how to handle them.

Deadline: September 24th, 2012

How to Submit: Please send report directly to the WG2 TSU by emailing Eric Kissel at ekissel@ipcc-wg2.gov. WG2 TSU will forward a copy to the chapter CLAs.

Interim Report #2 (SOD) – see <Sample_RE_SOD_Report.pdf>

Requirements: This interim report should focus on (i) the main areas of concern arising from the SOD review comments; (ii) the contentious or controversial issues that need to be addressed in the next draft and how to handle them; and (iii), whether the SOD fully addressed the FOD comments.

Deadline: July 8th, 2013

How to Submit: Please send report directly to the WG2 TSU by emailing Eric Kissel at ekissel@ipcc-wg2.gov. WG2 TSU will forward a copy to the chapter CLAs.

Final Draft Report (FGD) – see <Sample_RE_FGD_Final_Report.pdf>

Requirements: REs are asked to comment on any significant differences of opinion on a scientific issue, how these were reconciled during the drafting and review processes and covered in a balanced way in the text. REs should indicate whether the FGD fully addressed the SOD comments.

Deadline: January 31st, 2014

How to Submit: Please send report, with signature, directly to the WG2 TSU by emailing Eric Kissel at ekissel@ipcc-wg2.gov.