

29 January 2015

Re: Application for CTCN Membership  
Applicant Reference: N0044  
CTCN Reference: 2015/Membership33/Burleson

Dear Ms Burleson,

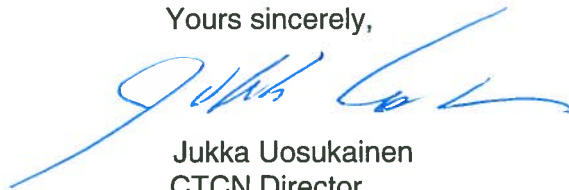
Thank you for your application for the CTCN membership. We have completed our assessment of your application.

I am pleased to inform you that the Burleson Institute Inc. has been granted the CTCN membership.

As detailed in the information note, which can be accessed on our website at ([http://www.unep.org/climatechange/ctcn/Portals/50212/Guideline CTN membership %20application.pdf](http://www.unep.org/climatechange/ctcn/Portals/50212/Guideline_CTN_membership%20application.pdf)), CTCN members are invited to play a meaningful role in information sharing and capacity building, to provide as appropriate, technical assistance in response to country requests (response projects), and participate in outreach and networking activities.

I look forward to working in close collaboration with Burleson Institute Inc. toward serving the interests of the developing countries by providing high quality and diverse expertise in the transfer of climate technologies.

Yours sincerely,



Jukka Uosukainen  
CTCN Director

Burleson Institute Inc.  
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<b>Application Data</b>	
To be completed by officer completing Part I Submission completeness	
Reference	N0044 Applicant Organization Burleson Institute Inc.
Contact	Elizabeth Burleson Email Elizabeth.Burleson@Gmail.com
Type of institution	NGO
Country of Registration	USA
Date of receipt of application	17 December 2014
Assessment due date	28 January 2015
Note	N/A
<b>Technical Appraisal</b>	
To be completed by officer completing Part II Substantive assessment	
Recommendation	Grant membership <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Decline membership <input type="checkbox"/>
Thematic area of expertise	Mitigation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adaptation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Mitigation sectors	Energy
Adaptation sectors	Cross sectoral: early warning/disaster reduction, water resources, coastal zones/ oceans, human health and infrastructure/ human settlement.
Service areas	Policy and planning, knowledge sharing
Geographical scope	Global
Summary of assessment	The Burleson Institute is a public charity NGO founded in 2014 with the aim to facilitate protection of the environmental and human rights through research, policy advice and knowledge diffusion for international organizations, environmental initiatives and governments. The organization's experiences are cross cutting, mainly in the areas energy, water resources in the context of climate change policy at a global level with a strong legal perspective. In addition to the research and advisory services which are strongly linked to policy and planning, the organization is also involved in knowledge sharing activities through publications and presentations at academic institutions and international organizations. The organization has one employee who is founder and key expert with previous experiences in collaboration with UN organizations and relevant processes (UNICEF, UNEP, UNITAR, UNFCCC). The main funding source is donations. Burleson Institute Inc. confirms commitment to the mission of the CTCN and to abide by the Code of Conduct.
Date of recommendation	28 January 2015
Recommendation by	Adrian Guhr, UNIDO
<b>Final Decision</b>	
To be completed by the Director of the CTCN or delegated officer	
Final decision	Grant membership <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Decline membership <input type="checkbox"/>
Comments	
Date of decision	29 January 2015
Decision by	Jukka Uosukainen, Director
Signature	