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The deadline for the <u>issuance</u> of ARB offset credits for early action offset credits is August 31, 2016 (section 95990(k)(5) of Title 17, California Code of Regulations). In order to allow ARB staff enough time to review these projects and to determine whether to issue ARB offset credits, Offset Project Operators, Authorized Project Designees, and holders of early action offset credits seeking issuance of ARB offset credits should have the desk review or full offset verification completed in the next few weeks. Project developers should allow one to two months for ARB to review the verification. (Note that the Regulation allows ARB 45 days to determine whether information received for a compliance request for issuance is complete and accurate). ARB cannot guarantee the issuance of ARB offset credits if there are delays in submitting verification and project documentation to ARB. Please see the following guidance document for further information:

http://www.arb.ca.gov/cc/capandtrade/guidance/guidance deadlines convert eaoctoar boc.101215.pdf.