

Statement of Verification of Corporate Carbon Footprint: Gold Bond, Inc.



Verification Scope

SCS Global Services has conducted a verification of Gold Bond, Inc.'s (Gold Bond) Corporate Carbon Footprint for Scopes 1, 2 and select scope 3 categories against the requirements of the WRI/WBSCD GHG Protocol: *GHG Protocol Corporate Accounting and Reporting Standard* (*GHG Protocol Corporate Standard*), Revised Edition and ISO 14064-3 *Greenhouse gases — Part 3: Specification with guidance for the validation and verification of greenhouse gas assertions.* SCS conducted a desk review in its verification of Gold Bond's Corporate Carbon Footprint using documentation supplied by Gold Bond as the basis for the evaluation.

Verification Objectives

- Evaluate whether Gold Bond's Corporate Carbon Footprint is consistent with WRI's Greenhouse Gas Protocol.
- Evaluate the reasonableness of Gold Bond's Corporate Carbon Footprint based on a review of the project documentation, calculation procedures and data sources.
- Develop a Corporate Carbon Footprint Assurance Statement for Gold Bond.

Verification Criteria

- World Resources Institute/World Business Council for Sustainable Development's "The Greenhouse Gas Protocol: A Corporate Accounting and Reporting Standard (Revised Edition)"
- ISO 14064-3 Greenhouse gases Part 3: Specification with guidance for the validation and verification of greenhouse gas assertions

Total Corporate Carbon Footprint Verified

The total Corporate Carbon Footprint for Gold Bond is 9,368 metric tons CO₂e for the assessment period of January 1, 2022 through December 31, 2022.

Verification Opinion

This Verification Statement documents that SCS Global Services has conducted verification activities in compliance with ISO 14064-3: *Specification with guidance for the validation and verification of greenhouse gas assertions*. This statement also attests that SCS Global Services can provide a limited level of assurance that Gold Bond's Corporate Carbon Footprint is consistent with the requirements of the WRI/WBCSD *GHG Protocol Corporate Accounting and Reporting Standard (GHG Protocol Corporate Standard)*. SCS further finds Gold Bond's carbon footprint assertion is materially correct and is a fair representation of the Corporation's Scope 1, 2 and select Scope 3 GHG emissions.

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