

## VERIFICATION OPINION DECLARATION GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS AND ENERGY CONSUMPTION

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### **GHG Emissions Statement:**

Emissions				
Scope 1 Emissions – Metric tonnes of CO <sub>2</sub> equivalent (tCO <sub>2e</sub> )	40,097			
Scope 2 Emissions (Location-Based) - tCO <sub>2e</sub>	30,261			
Scope 2 Emissions (Market-Based) - tCO <sub>2e</sub>	13,750			
Scope 3, Category 1 Emissions – Purchased Goods & Services - tCO <sub>2e</sub>	313,075			
Scope 3, Category 2 Emissions – Capital Goods - tCO <sub>2e</sub>	32,036			
Scope 3, Category 3 Emissions – Fuel and Energy Related Activities - tCO <sub>2e</sub>	15,856			
Scope 3, Category 5 Emissions – Waste Generated in Operations - tCO <sub>2e</sub>	616			
Scope 3, Category 6 Emissions – Business Travel - tCO <sub>2e</sub>	47,048			
Scope 3, Category 7 Emissions – Employee Commuting - tCO <sub>2e</sub>	42,945			
Total Scope 1 + Scope 2 (Market-Based) + Scope 3 Categories 1, 2, 3, 5, 6 & 7- tCO <sub>2e</sub>				
Additional Sustainability Data				
Percent change of Scope 1, Scope 2 (market-based) and Scope 3 emissions from the updated 2018 baseline	21.2%			
Office and Fleet Energy Consumption (2023) - Gigajoules				
Percent renewable electricity (for 2023)	82%			



## Energy Consumption:

CATEGORY	INDICATOR	UNIT	QUANTITY
	Natural Gas	GJ	201,069
	Other Fuels (Diesel, Kerosene, Liquified Petroleum Gas)	GJ	4,885
	Electricity	GJ	341,247
Energy	Heating	GJ	56,328
Linergy	Cooling	GJ	4,213
	Total Office Energy Consumption	GJ	607,742
	Renewable Energy Procured	GJ	279,098
	Transportation Fuel	GJ	391,427

2023 Emissions by Country							
Country	Scope 1 Emissions - tCO <sub>2e</sub>	Scope 2 (Location- Based) Emissions - tCO <sub>2e</sub>	Scope 2 (Market- Based) Emissions - tCO <sub>2e</sub>	Scope 3 Emissions - tCO2e	Gross Scopes 1&2 (Location- Based), Scope 3 Emissions - tCO <sub>2e</sub>	Gross Scopes 1& 2 (Market- Based), Scope 3 Emissions - tCO <sub>2e</sub>	
Africa	299	773	773	2,878	3,950	3,950	
Africa - Other	6	9	9	102	117	117	
Asia - Other	13	20	20	156	189	189	
Australia	321	2,806	2,325	28,256	31,383	30,903	
Belgium	0	1	0	30	31	30	
Brazil	46	8	0	1,632	1,687	1,678	
Canada	10,281	3,754	(0)	85,323	99,359	95,604	
Central Europe - Other	2	81	81	84	167	167	
Chile	169	452	452	3,895	4,516	4,516	
China	40	395	395	8,306	8,741	8,741	
China - Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Colombia	254	52	52	2,129	2,434	2,434	
Denmark	40	347	391	3,185	3,572	3,615	
Finland	46	587	541	1,962	2,595	2,550	
France	78	16	33	1,657	1,752	1,769	
Germany	153	658	771	2,501	3,312	3,425	

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Quantum	Scope 1 Emissions	Scope 2 (Location- Based) Emissions	Scope 2 (Market- Based) Emissions	Scope 3 Emissions	Gross Scopes 1&2 (Location- Based), Scope 3 Emissions	Gross Scopes 1& 2 (Market- Based), Scope 3 Emissions		
Country	- tCO <sub>2e</sub>	- tCO <sub>2e</sub>	- tCO <sub>2e</sub>	- tCO <sub>2e</sub>	- tCO <sub>2e</sub>	- tCO <sub>2e</sub>		
Hong Kong, China	17	835	660	1,091	1,943	1,768		
Hungary	51	6	6	160	217	217		
India	53	1,980	1,980	4,228	6,261	6,261		
Ireland	6	-	-	47	53	53		
Israel	1	45	45	155	201	201		
Italy	364	89	4	2,307	2,760	2,674		
Korea, Republic of	2	50	50	752	804	804		
Latin America - Other	6	12	12	92	110	110		
Malaysia	0	22	22	503	525	525		
Mexico	28	28	28	273	329	329		
Middle East	136	808	808	13,197	14,141	14,141		
Netherlands	338	289	6	2,791	3,418	3,135		
New Zealand	1,116	1,448	868	15,124	17,688	17,108		
Nordics - Other	-	-	-	1	1	1		
Norway	30	137	400	3,417	3,584	3,847		
Panama	91	33	33	308	432	432		
Peru	7	132	132	1,135	1,274	1,274		
Philippines	7	206	206	415	627	627		
Poland	1,031	113	3	1,058	2,202	2,092		
Portugal	-	-	-	6	6	6		
Romania	37	150	61	701	888	799		
Singapore	10	208	196	2,540	2,758	2,746		
Spain	133	139	128	2,339	2,611	2,600		
Sweden	7,057	1,325	1,251	21,352	29,733	29,660		
Switzerland	31	5	0	390	426	421		
Taiwan, China	16	152	152	2,009	2,176	2,176		
Thailand	4	30	30	286	320	320		

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Trinidad / Tobago	1	62	62	138	201	201		
Turkey	7	24	24	217	249	249		
United Kingdom	1,074	1,177	241	26,107	28,358	27,422		
United States	16,698	10,796	496	206,308	233,802	223,502		
United States - Other	-	-	-	30	30	30		

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### Period covered by GHG emissions verification:

• January 1, 2023 to December 31, 2023

### Criteria against which verification conducted:

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### Level of Assurance and Qualifications:

- Limited
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### **GHG Verification Methodology:**

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- Review of WSP data and information systems and methodology for collection, aggregation, analysis and review of information used to determine GHG emissions; and
- Audit of sample of data used by WSP to determine GHG emissions.

### Verification Opinion:

Based on the process and procedures conducted, there is no evidence that the GHG emissions statement shown above:

- is not materially correct and is not a fair representation of the GHG emissions data and information; and
- has not been prepared in accordance with the WRI/WBCSD GHG Protocol Corporate Accounting and Reporting Standard (Scope 1 and 2), and WRI/WBCSD Greenhouse Gas Protocol Corporate Value Chain Accounting and Reporting Standard (Scope 3).

It is our opinion that WSP has established appropriate systems for the collection, aggregation and analysis of quantitative data for determination of these GHG emissions for the stated period and boundaries.

### Statement of independence, impartiality and competence

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### Attestation:

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Scott Johnston, Lead Verifier ESG Principal Consultant Apex Companies, LLC Miami, Florida

April 23, 2024

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John Rohde, Technical Reviewer National Program Manager Apex Companies, LLC Lakewood, Colorado

This verification opinion declaration, including the opinion expressed herein, is provided to WSP and is solely for the benefit of WSP in accordance with the terms of our agreement. We consent to the release of this declaration by you to the public or other organizations but without accepting or assuming any responsibility or liability on our part to any other party who may have access to this declaration.



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**GHG Emissions Statement:** 

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Scope 2 Emissions (Location-Based) - tCO <sub>2e</sub>	48,286
Scope 2 Emissions (Market-Based) - tCO <sub>2e</sub>	49,409
Scope 3, Category 1 Emissions – Purchased Goods & Services - tCO <sub>2e</sub>	333,834
Scope 3, Category 2 Emissions – Capital Goods - tCO <sub>2e</sub>	76,648
Scope 3, Category 3 Emissions – Fuel and Energy Related Activities - tCO <sub>2e</sub>	19,319
Scope 3, Category 5 Emissions – Waste Generated in Operations - tCO <sub>2e</sub>	2,482
Scope 3, Category 6 Emissions – Business Travel - tCO <sub>2e</sub>	54,227
Scope 3, Category 7 Emissions – Employee Commuting - tCO <sub>2e</sub>	62,144
Total Scope 1 + Scope 2 (Market-Based) + Scope 3 Categories 1, 2, 3, 5, 6 & 7- tCO <sub>2e</sub>	641,276
Purchased and On-site Renewable Energy – megawatt hour (MWh)	221



## Energy Consumption:

CATEGORY	INDICATOR	UNIT	QUANTITY
	Natural Gas	GJ	250,191
	Other Fuels (Diesel, Kerosene, Liquified Petroleum Gas)	GJ	2,976
	Electricity	GJ	493,601
Energy	Heating	GJ	77,111
Lifergy	Cooling	GJ	1,866
	Total Office Energy Consumption	GJ	825,744
	Renewable Energy Procured	GJ	796
	Transportation Fuel	GJ	397,759

2018 Emissions by Country							
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Africa	753	1,949	1,949	4,961	7,663	7,663	
Africa - Other	7	9	9	6,578	6,594	6,594	
Asia - Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Australia	1,121	3,965	3,945	22,683	27,769	27,749	
Belgium	0	1	0	133	133	133	
Brazil	2	42	42	1,685	1,729	1,729	
Canada	15,111	8,324	8,324	83,987	107,422	107,422	
Central Europe - Other	12	69	69	10	91	91	
Chile	1,139	713	713	4,707	6,559	6,559	
China	91	677	677	6,290	7,058	7,058	
China - Other	-	_	-	-	-	-	
Colombia	1,760	44	44	4,492	6,296	6,296	
Denmark	44	968	1,384	3,439	4,450	4,866	
Finland	89	630	837	2,467	3,186	3,393	
France	234	52	49	6,480	6,766	6,763	
Germany	353	591	810	10,124	11,069	11,287	



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Hong Kong, China	165	1,106	1,106	1,150	2,421	2,421		
Hungary	17	65	70	1,109	1,191	1,196		
India	79	1,949	1,949	2,322	4,350	4,350		
Ireland	1	68	103	50	120	154		
Israel	8	45	45	201	255	255		
Italy	596	101	120	8,545	9,242	9,261		
Korea, Republic of	8	44	44	330	383	383		
Latin America - Other	4	13	13	3	19	19		
Malaysia	0	38	38	209	247	247		
Mexico	23	63	63	613	699	699		
Middle East	66	952	952	8,817	9,834	9,834		
Netherlands	151	178	234	9,448	9,778	9,834		
New Zealand	2,304	1,019	1,019	14,954	18,276	18,276		
Nordics - Other	4	13	15	3	20	22		
Norway	107	136	650	5,356	5,600	6,113		
Panama	42	20	20	113	175	175		
Peru	29	153	153	1,568	1,750	1,750		
Philippines	52	219	219	123	395	395		
Poland	20	38	41	3,392	3,450	3,453		
Portugal	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Romania	57	189	189	826	1,071	1,071		
Singapore	14	271	271	1,451	1,736	1,736		
Spain	3	35	54	7,360	7,398	7,417		
Sweden	781	2,290	1,949	24,170	27,240	26,900		
Switzerland	64	14	94	1,658	1,736	1,816		
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