

PROJECT REVIEW REPORT

This document tracks the findings raised in Verra’s review of the project specified below. The VVB must address the findings before the project request can be considered by Verra for approval. The document will be made publicly available on the Verra Registry. Confidential information may be provided as separate attachments.

Review Type	Registration
Project ID	2737
Project Name	Reducing Gas Leakages within the Jalalabad Gas Distribution Network in Bangladesh
Program(s)	VCS
Verification Period	N/A
Project Proponent	EcoGas Asia Limited
Methodology	AM0023, Leak detection and repair in gas production, processing, transmission, storage and distribution systems and in refinery facilities, version 04.0
VVB	KBS Certification Services Pvt. Ltd
Assessment Criteria	VCS Version 4.2
Date of First Issue	11 August 2022
Review Conclusion	Approved
Date of Final Issue	27 September 2022

FINDINGS

#	Description	Response	Status
1	<p>Cap of Baseline Emissions (BCAP)</p> <p><u>Issue</u></p> <p>The methodology requires that baseline emissions must be capped “to the baseline emission level of the first crediting year” (Step 4, “Calculation of baseline emissions” p. 7). The VVB mentions in the VR p.14 that the baseline cap (BCAP) has been arrived based on “actual monitored leak rate during the first crediting year”. However, the ER spreadsheet submitted presents leaks´ repairs that are included in the consolidated value in cell “I10918” (worksheet “Total”) and which took place after the end of the first monitoring year (from Jan 2019 to Jan 2020).</p> <p><u>Action item</u></p> <p>The VVB must ensure the PD is in line with the requirement contained in the methodology regarding the baseline cap considering emissions during the first crediting year.</p> <p><u>Program rule(s) or methodology section</u></p> <p>AM0023, v04.0, p.7</p>	<p>VCS PD and emission reduction sheet have now been revised to align it with methodology requirement for BEcap. In the revised emission reduction sheet, leaks from 1st crediting year only (20-Jan-2019 to 19-Jan-2020) have been considered to arrive at BEcap. The revised emission reduction excel sheet ,V2 and VCS PD, v5.2, dated 14 Aug 2022 has been reviewed by VVB and is found meeting the methodology requirements.</p> <p>Verra review:</p> <p>The VVB confirmed that the BEcap was now calculated following the methodology requirements and the new values were included in the revised documents. The finding is closed and no further action is required.</p>	Closed

Background (optional)

N/A

2 Public stakeholders comments

Closed

Issue

Section 2.4 in the PD was left blank as per paragraph 3.20.5 of the VCS Standard. However, public consultation is a requirement for projects undergoing gap validation.

Round1:

VVB Response:

PP webhosted the project for global stakeholder consultation process on Verra website (<https://registry.verra.org/app/projectDetail/VCS/2737>) for period from 20-April-2022 to 20-May-2022. No comments were received.

Section 2.4 of the VCS PD has now been revised to cover information about “Public Comments”.

Action item

The VVB must ensure that section 2.4 of the PD is correctly completed including any comments received.

Verra Review:

The PD section 2.4 was updated to reflect the information on the public comment period. The finding is closed and no further action is required.

Program rule(s) or methodology section

VCS Standard v4.2, paragraph 3.17.6 and 3.17.9;

Registration and Issuance Process v4.1, paragraph 3.1.11

Background (optional)

N/A