

# 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.*

<b>Review Type</b>	Registration
<b>Project ID</b>	2738
<b>Project Name</b>	Reducing Gas Leakages within the Karnaphuli Gas Distribution Network in Bangladesh
<b>Program(s)</b>	VCS
<b>Verification Period</b>	N/A
<b>Project Proponent</b>	EcoGas Asia Limited
<b>Methodology</b>	AM0023, Leak detection and repair in gas production, processing, transmission, storage and distribution systems and in refinery facilities, version 04.0
<b>VVB</b>	KBS Certification Services Pvt. Ltd
<b>Assessment Criteria</b>	VCS Version 4.2
<b>Date of First Issue</b>	11 August 2022
<b>Review Conclusion</b>	Approved
<b>Date of Final Issue</b>	27 September 2022

**FINDINGS**

#	Description	Response	Status
1	<p><b>Cap of Baseline Emissions (BCAP)</b></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 “I8176” (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><b>VVB Response:</b></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 (06-Jan-2019 to 05-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:**

The section 2.4 of the revised VCS-PD has now been updated with details of public consultation period and any comments received. PP webhosted the project on Verra website for period from 20 April 22 to 20 May 2022. No comments were received ( <https://registry.verra.org/app/projectDetail/VCS/2738> )

**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