

## Puro.earth CO<sub>2</sub> Removal Marketplace

# Output Audit Statement

Statement No.	Date of Issue	Validity Period
003	2 July 2024	1 May 2023 to 29 February 2024

EnergyLink Services have verified the CO<sub>2</sub> removal achieved by the following organisation (the audited body) in accordance with the *Puro.earth CO<sub>2</sub> Removal Marketplace General Rules v 3.1* for the calculation of CORCs from the reporting period of 1 May 2023 to 29 February 2024:



The result of the Output Audit is reported in the document titled Aperam Bioenergia Output Audit Report and relates to the activities carried out at the following site:

- GSRNL: 643002406801000527
- Production Facility name: Aperam Bioenergia
- Production Facility ID: 175613
- Location: Capelinha, Brazil.

### Output Audit

EnergyLink Services have verified that the calculation of CO<sub>2</sub> removal achieved through the production of biochar for the period 1 May 2023 to 29 February 2024 has been prepared in accordance with the Puro.earth Biochar Methodology.

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# Attachment to the Statement

Reporting Period	Eligible CO <sub>2</sub> Removal	Eligible CORCs
1 May 2023 to 29 February 2024	1.654 tCO <sub>2</sub> e per dry tonne biochar	59,357

## Verification Objective

EnergyLink Services was engaged to conduct an audit to validate that the audited body's calculation of CO<sub>2</sub> Removal from the production of biochar for the period 1 May 2023 to 29 February 2024 had been prepared in accordance with the Puro.earth Biochar Methodology and with reference to the eligibility requirements for a Production Facility.

## Verification Scope

- Output Audit for the period 1 May 2023 to 29 February 2024 under the biochar CO<sub>2</sub> removal methodology: *Puro.earth CO<sub>2</sub> Removal Marketplace General Rules v 3.1*.

## Verification Level of Assurance

The verification was conducted by EnergyLink Services with a reasonable level of assurance. A reasonable assurance engagement in accordance with ISAE 3000 involves performing procedures to obtain evidence about the Production Facility process controls and the quantification of CO<sub>2</sub> Removal in accordance with *General Rules of the Puro.earth CO<sub>2</sub> Removal Marketplace*. There are inherent limitations in performing assurance—for example, assurance engagements are based on selective testing of the information being examined—and because of this, it is possible that fraud, error, or non-compliance may occur and not be detected. An assurance engagement is not designed to detect all misstatements, as an assurance engagement is not performed continuously throughout the period that is the subject of the engagement and the procedures are performed on a test basis. The conclusion expressed in this statement has been formed on the above basis.

## Verification Criteria

The requirements applicable to the organisation are the *Puro.earth CO<sub>2</sub> Removal Marketplace General Rules v3.1* for the reporting period of 1 May 2023 to 29 February 2024.