

VERIFICATION REPORT

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Roscongress Foundation
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 Declared an environmental statement

Event Carbon Neutrality: «Eastern Economic Forum-2024», 03-06 September 2024

Verified parameters:

Identification of environmental statement	Carbon neutrality declaration Eastern Economic Forum-2024 , arranged by Roscongress Foundation, September 03-06, 2024
Declaration date	November 07, 2024
Reporting scope	Direct greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions (Scope 1), Energy indirect GHG emissions (Scope 2), Other indirect GHG emissions (Scope 3)*
Environmental statement development criteria	ISO 14021:2016/Amd 1:2021
Event carbon footprint	38 tCO ₂ eq. - Scope 1; 562 tCO ₂ eq. - Scope 2 8 159 tCO ₂ eq. - Scope 3
Compensation measures	Environmental project: «Aviation protection from forest fires in the territory of the Nizhne-Yenisei forestry, Symsky forestry district, Yartsevo village, Krasnoyarsk Krai, Russia»
Compensation sponsor	RUSAL, Krasnoyarsk
Compensation volume	8 759 tCO ₂ eq. Neutrality achieved
Level of declaration	limited
Materiality level	5%

* - This report contains additional information in Appendix 1

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Reporting scope

When assessing the carbon footprint of Eastern Economic Forum-2024, arranged on September 03-06, 2024 (hereinafter referred to as the «Event»), the Roscongress Foundation took into account the following categories of greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions:

Direct GHG emissions (Scope 1):

- carbon dioxide (CO₂) emissions caused by transportation of organizers and participants during the Event.

Indirect energy GHG emissions (Scope 2):

- carbon dioxide (CO₂) emissions caused by imported electricity consumed at the Event sites.

Other indirect emissions calculated into tons of carbon dioxide equivalent (CO₂eq.) (Scope 3):

- emissions caused by transportation of organizers and participants to the Event and back,
- emissions caused by purchased food and beverages,
- emissions caused by production of marketing materials,
- emissions caused by waste disposal,
- emissions caused by hotel accommodation.

Reporting battery limits:

Emissions caused by refrigerants, due to the absence of refills of air conditioning equipment directly during the Event, and emissions caused by wastewater treatment at third-party treatment facilities due to their insignificance.

The calculation of the carbon footprint of the Event was prepared using international WRI/GHG Protocol standards

Carbon Footprint Event Compensation Data:

The carbon footprint of the Event is compensated by emission reduction units from the climate project «Aerial forest fire protection in the Krasnoyarsk Region» (project validation report 014 28 November 2023, verification report №01-05-2024 V.2, 28 May 2024). The carbon units are transferred using the Thread of Nature platform, operated by the Roscongress Foundation. The cancellation of emission reduction units for the voluntary compensation of GHG emissions of the event is carried out in the in the Russian Registry of Carbon Units (carbon unit number: 04-2023-00000012-001, climate project number 04-2023-00000012, certificate issue date: November 06, 2024).

Verification procedure:

The following activities were carried out during the verification:

- checking the calculations of the carbon footprint of the Event through selective recalculation of calculations, back and cross-checking,
- checking and reconciliation of the initial data for the Event and emission factors,
- checking the data on the climate project and certificates of transfer of the volume of certified emission reductions indicated in the report.

The verification was carried out in accordance with ISO 14064-3:2019 and the principles of ISO 14065-3:2020. The verification procedure applied at a limited level of assurance is less extensive in its content, timing and scope than at a reasonable level of assurance.