

Assurance Statement

Batom Co., Ltd. Sustainability Report

TUV NORD Taiwan Co., Ltd. (hereinafter referred to as TUV NORD) was commissioned by Batom Co., Ltd. (hereinafter referred to as Batom company) to perform the 2023 Sustainability Report Verification (hereinafter referred to as Sustainability Report) in accordance with the AA1000 Assurance Standard Version 3 and the GRI Sustainability Reporting Standards (GRI Standards) and related assurance standards.

The Scope of Statement and Assurance Standards

- 1) The scope of assurance is consistent with the scope of disclosure in Batom company 2023 Sustainability Report, which covers the period from 1 January 2023 to 31 December 2023.
- 2) The verification of compliance with the AA1000 Principles of Accountability for Batom company bases on the AA1000 Assurance Standard, Third Edition, Application Type I that does not include verification of the reliability of the information/data disclosed in the report.
- 3) Sustainability Accounting Standards Board (SASB) Auto Parts sector sustainability accounting metrics.

Intended Users

The intended users of this statement are the stakeholders of Batom company.

Assurance Type and Level

In accordance with the requirements of the AA1000 Assurance Standard Version 3, Type 1, Moderate of Assurance Level.

Opinion Statement

Batom company refers to the GRI sustainability reporting and AA1000 accountability principles of inclusivity, materiality, responsiveness and impact. The sustainability report presents the commitment of top management, the needs and expectations of stakeholders. To achieve sustainability performance indicators by stakeholders' engagement.

We assure that Batom company refers to the SASB Auto Parts sector sustainability accounting standards to disclose relevant metrics

Methodology

The verification is in accordance with the above stated assurance standards and the TUV NORD Sustainability Report Verification Agreement.

Our verification includes the following activities:

- * Collect objective evidence of relevant performance metrics, as mentioned in the report.
- * Assurance of expectations of local or national regulations; international standards as set forth in public opinion and/or expert opinion are relevant to such general considerations.
- * Document review records and report content assessment in the context of GRI criteria application requirements.
- * Interviews with managers and related staff on issues of concern to the company's stakeholders.
- * Interviews with personnel involved in sustainability management, information gathering and report preparation.
- * Review significant organizational developments and review internal and external audit findings.
- * Review AA1000 (2018) Principles of Accountability and other compliance requirements.

Conclusion

The results of the AA 1000 accountability standard for inclusivity, materiality, responsiveness and impact in the report are set out below.

Inclusivity

Batom company identifies 7 stakeholders and their concerns via the questionnaire method, and decides materiality through the engagement of stakeholders, top management and experts. There are 5 material topics determined among the 35 sustainability topics including economic, governance, social, human rights and climate impact.

Materiality

Batom company refers to the GRI Guidelines and SASB Auto Parts sector sustainability Indicators disclosure related metrics to fully disclose the company's material risks and opportunities, taking into account the extent of impact on the company and prioritize the materiality of the report.

Responsiveness

Batom company Sustainability Report clearly describes the relationship between sustainability and organizational strategy and the performance metrics corresponding to the materiality and their achievement status, and adequately addresses the main issues of concern to stakeholders.

Impact

The Batom company Sustainability Report fully identifies materiality that reflect the significant economic, environmental, and social impacts on the organization. The company has established a robust process to monitor and measure the impact and establish short, medium, and long-term strategic planning through corporate governance.

GRI Sustainability Reporting Standards

Batom company Sustainability Report (complies with or refers to) the GRI 1 to GRI 3 universal Standards and the GRI 200 Series, GRI 300 Series and GRI 400 Series topic standards, and meet the requirements for disclosure. (only if omitted: the reasons for the omission are stated)

Limitations

The financial report of Batom company was certified by Klynveld Peat Marwick Goerdeler(KPMG), the accounting firm appointed by the company.

The data of carbon emission verification was self-estimated and have not been verified by a third party.

Independent Statements and Competence

TUV NORD Group is a leader in the supervision, testing and certification. It operates businesses and provides services in more than 150 countries around the world. The services include management systems and product certification; quality, environmental safety, social and moral audits and training; corporate sustainability report assurance.

TUV NORD and Batom company are mutually independent organizations, and there is no conflict of interest with Batom company or any of its affiliates or interested parties when performing the verification of the sustainability report. Regarding the sustainability report of Batom company, TUV NORD bases on the Batom company verification agreement, and does not assume any legal or other responsibilities. Batom company is responsible for responding to any questions that intended users concerned.

The verification team is composed of experienced chief reviewers such as ISO 9001, ISO 14001, ISO 14064-1, ISO 14067, ISO 45001, SA 8000, ISO 50001, ISO 27001 etc., and has received the CSAP verification practice qualification certification of AA1000 AS v3 accountability training. The verification team bases on extensive knowledge and experience in the industry to provide professional advice in this assignment.

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