

Assurance Statement

Relating to Nabtesco's GHG Emissions for the calendar year 2020

Terms of engagement

This assurance statement has been prepared for Nabtesco Corporation.

Lloyd's Register Quality Assurance Ltd. (LR) was commissioned by Nabtesco Corporation to assure Nabtesco Group's ("the Organization") greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions data for the calendar year 2020, that is, 1 January 2020 to 31 December 2020, ("the report"). The report relates to the GHG emissions data from the activities of Nabtesco Corporation and its consolidated subsidiaries in Japan and overseas.

Our assurance statement covered the Organization's operations and specifically the following requirements:

- confirming that the report is in accordance with the Organization's in-house reporting procedures, and
- evaluating the accuracy and reliability of GHG emissions^{1 2} and as summarized in Tables 1 and 2 below:
 - Direct GHG emissions (Scope 1)^{3 4} and energy indirect GHG emissions (Scope 2)
 - Other indirect GHG emissions (Scope 3) attributed to categories 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 11, and 12.

Management Responsibility

NABTESCO's management was responsible for preparing the report and for maintaining effective internal controls over the data and information disclosed. LR's responsibility was to carry out an assurance engagement on the report in accordance with our contract with the Organization.

Ultimately, the report has been approved by, and remains the responsibility of the Organization.

LR's Approach

Our verification has been conducted in accordance with ISO14064-3:2006 "*Specification with guidance for validation and verification of greenhouse gas assertions*" to provide limited assurance that GHG emissions data as presented in the Report have been prepared in conformance with the Organization's in-house reporting procedures.

To form our conclusion, the assurance engagement was undertaken as a sampling exercise and covered the following activities:

- Auditing the data management systems and internal verification processes in place for GHG emissions data.
- Visiting Tsu Plant to confirm the data collection processes, management of GHG emissions data, and record management practices, including interviewing key people responsible for compiling the data and preparing the report.
- By implementing a "No Visitor" Policy due to the global infection spread of COVID-19, conducting the remote verification for Gifu plant and Konan plant of Nabtesco Corporation, and Nabtesco Corporation's headquarter via emails, telephone, and Webex.

Level of Assurance & Materiality

The opinion expressed in this Assurance Statement has been formed on the basis of a limited level of assurance and at a materiality of the professional judgment of the verifier.

¹ GHG quantification is subject to inherent uncertainty.

² GHG emissions (Scope 1 and Scope 2) data included Nabtesco Corporation and Nabtesco Group's consolidated subsidiaries in Japan and overseas. However, the other indirect GHG emissions data (Scope 3) only included the domestic operations of Nabtesco Corporation.

³ Scope 1 GHG emissions cover energy oriented CO₂ emissions.

⁴ Scope 1 GHG emissions don't cover CO₂ emissions emitted by own or leased business car use.

LR's Opinion

Based on LR's approach nothing has come to our attention that would cause us to believe that the GHG emissions disclosed in the report and as summarized in Table 1 and 2 below are not materially correct and the report has not been prepared in conformance with the Organization's in-house reporting procedures.

LR's Recommendations

The Organization should continue improving the reporting and control systems to further demonstrate the effective management of greenhouse gas emissions data and information.

Table 1. Summary of NABTESCO, GHG emissions 2020

Scope of GHG emissions		tonnes-CO ₂			
Direct GHG emissions (Scope 1)		4,491			
Energy indirect GHG emissions (Scope 2, Market-based)		48,073			
Other indirect GHG emissions (Scope 3)		819,726			
Categories	tonnes-CO ₂ e	Categories	tonnes-CO ₂ e	Categories	tonnes-CO ₂ e
Category 1	630,758	Category 4	127,131	Category 7	1,472
Category 2	30,543	Category 5	959	Category 11	21,621
Category 3	5,194	Category 6	1,290	Category 12	759

Table 2. Year-on-year emission¹ change between calendar years 2019 and 2020

Scope of GHG emissions	tonnes-CO ₂ (actual emission factor based)
Scope 1 and Scope 2	-7,908

Note 1: LR also reviewed the NABTESCO's 2020 calendar year against its 2019 to confirm the year-on-year change in Scope 1 and 2 emissions data (-7,908 tonnes-CO₂). We did this as it is a specific requirement for CDP's 2021 Climate Change Information Request (CDP Reporting). The 2019 data was taken from NABTESCO's Integrated Report, covering the calendar year 2019.

Signed



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