# GREENHOUSE GAS INVENTORY (GHGI) VERIFICATION STATEMENT

Statement No: 288905-2019-GHGI-RvA

Initial Verification Date: 18 June 2018

Statement Validity: 11 June 2019 - 10 June 2020

DNV GL Business Assurance has verified, in accordance with ISO 14064-3, the Greenhouse Gas (hereinafter GHG) Inventory Statement of the organisation

# **NATS**

reported in the document entitled "GHG Report - Basis of Reporting for NATS' Airspace, Energy and Environmental Performance Data 2018-19\_v1" dated May 2019 related to the activities of NATS carried out at head office at 4000 Parkway, Whiteley, Fareham, Hampshire, PO15 7FL and 203 installations where NATS has operational control, located across 160 sites in the United Kingdom.

Based on the verification process procedures, DNV GL states that the aforementioned report has been produced by the Organisation in compliance with ISO 14064-1 Standard on GHG quantification, monitoring and reporting and the GHG information reported provides, with the qualifications listed in the attachment of this Statement, a balanced representation of the organisation's GHG inventory for the period 1 April 2018 to 31 March 2019 with the following GHG emissions results (values rounded to tonnes):

2018-19				
t CO2	t CH4	t N20	t CO2eq	%
3,022	0.13	0.16	4,094	13
458	0.02	0.15	499	1.6
2,343	0.11	0.00	2,347	7.6
221	0.01	0.01	223	0.7
0	0	0	1,024	3.3
16,433	1.38	0.34	16,561	53.5
21,024	0	0	21,024	
10,252	0	0.1	10,282	33
68	0	0	68	0.2
4,566	0.00	0.00	4,566	14.8
7	0	0	7	0.0
5,611	0.04	0.11	5,641	18.2
29,707	1.6	0.6	30,936	100
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Place and date:

Barendrecht, 11 June 2019



For the issuing DNV GL office: **DNV GL - Business Assurance** 

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D.P. Koek Management Representative Statement No: 288905-2019-GHGI-RvA Date: Barendrecht, 11 June 2019

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# **Verification Objective**

The objective of this verification is to assess compliance to the below reported verification criteria of the GHG assertions contained in the document entitled "GHG Report - Basis of Reporting for NATS' Airspace, Energy and Environmental Performance Data 2018-19\_v1" dated May 2019 relative to NATS GHG Inventory for the period 1 April 2018 to 31 March 2019. Current organisation activities aimed at reducing GHG emissions or to quantify the uncertainty associated to the declared GHG emissions are not part of the verification conducted by DNV GL.

### **Verification Scope**

The scope of the verification is defined by:

- The organisation's head office at 4000 Parkway, Whiteley, Fareham, Hampshire, PO15
  7FL and 203 installations where NATS has operational control, located across 160 sites in
  the United Kingdom. The site's addresses have been omitted in this verification
  statement due to security reasons.
- Direct GHG emissions from the following sources: natural gas, fuel used in stationary assets, fuel used in transportation and F-Gas losses.
- Indirect GHG emissions from electricity consumption.
- Other indirect GHG emissions associated with: business travel including air, rail and water travel; upstream emissions from purchased goods and services (water use and treatment only); upstream emissions of fuel, electricity and T&D losses; upstream T&D losses from fuel used in vehicles and facilities; and downstream transportation and distribution (couriers).
- This Verification Statement excludes the emissions resulting from services (Scope 3 Category 11) reported in the NATS GHG Report.
- The following greenhouse gases: carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), methane (CH<sub>4</sub>), nitrous oxide (N<sub>2</sub>O), hydro-fluorocarbons (HFCs).
- The financial year 1 April 2018 to 31 March 2019.

#### **Verification Level of Assurance**

The verification was conducted by DNV GL with a reasonable level of assurance without any qualifications as reported in the below Verification Conclusions.

#### **Materiality Level**

Errors / omissions which represent, single or aggregated, the 5% of total emissions are considered material.

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#### **Verification Criteria**

The requirements applicable to the organisation's GHG Inventory are those included in ISO 14064-1. Further information relating to market and location based emission factors for scope 2 emissions can be found in the CDP document "Accounting of scope 2 emissions. Technical notes for reporting to CDP Climate Change and Supply Chain in 2016."

#### **Verification Conclusions**

Based on the above, DNV GL Business Assurance concludes that the GHG Statement contained in the documented entitled "GHG Report - Basis of Reporting for NATS' Airspace, Energy and Environmental Performance Data 2018-19\_v1" dated May 2019 relative to NATS for the period 1 April 2018 to 31 March 2019, document which is part of this verification statement provides a balanced representation, in accordance with the above reported verification criteria, of the GHG emissions associated to the activities included in the inventory. Without qualifying our Opinion as stated above, we provide the following clarifications as an additional output to our work.

- NATS GHG emissions by ISO 14064-1 categories have not been reported in the above mentioned NATS Report. They are available at page 1 of this statement, document which is complementary to the report.
- Scope 2 Location Based and Market Based Factors are reported on the basis of the following electricity consumption 58503634 kWh.
- Market Based Emissions Factors are based on the latest available npower fuel mix statistics (1 April 2017 – 31 March 2018) for electricity supplied by npower and the latest available European Residual Mixes 2017 (published 11 July 2018) for electricity supplied by all other suppliers. Note that this data is CO<sub>2</sub> and not CO<sub>2</sub>te.

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