## **Verification Statement**

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The Greenhouse Gas Declaration "Greenhouse Gas Emission Report 2024", dated February 25th, 2025, prepared by



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for the operating sites in Germany, Switzerland, Denmark, Spain, Italy, France, Austria, UK, USA, India and East Asia<sup>1</sup> for the reporting period January 1st, 2024 to December 31st, 2024 has been verified in accordance with DIN EN ISO 14064-03:2020 with respect to compliance with the requirements of DIN EN ISO 14064-01:2019 and WRI/WBCSD GHG Protocol.

## **Corporate Carbon Footprint 2024**

## Total sum of GHG balance

|                                   | or location-based emiss<br>or market-based emissi |               | ccording to DIN EN ISO 14064-01:2019                       | 1126.39<br>1033.47 | t CO <sub>2</sub> -equivalent t CO <sub>2</sub> -equivalent |
|-----------------------------------|---|---------------|--|--------------------|---|
| fo                                | or location-based emiss                           | _             | ccording to WRI/WBCSD GHG Protocol                         | 837.12             | t CO <sub>2</sub> -equivalent                               |
| fo                                | or market-based emissi                            | <b>ions</b> a | ccording to WRI/WBCSD GHG Protocol                         | 744.20             | t CO <sub>2</sub> -equivalent                               |
| ISO                               | Category 1 - Scope 1                              |               |  |                    |   |
| 1.1                               | Stationary combustion                             |               |  | 0.98               | t CO <sub>2</sub> -equivalent                               |
| 1.2                               | Mobile combustion                                 |               |  | 13.95              | t CO <sub>2</sub> -equivalent                               |
| 1.3                               | Fugitive emissions                                |               |  | 0                  | t CO <sub>2</sub> -equivalent                               |
| ISO Category 2 - Scope 2          |   |               |  |                    |   |
| 2.1                               | Office electricity                                |               | location-based   | 28.38              | t CO <sub>2</sub> -equivalent                               |
|                                   |   |               | market-based   | 1.27               | t CO <sub>2</sub> -equivalent                               |
| 2.2                               | Office heating                                    |               | location-based   | 21.21              | t CO <sub>2</sub> -equivalent                               |
| 0.0                               | Off: 1:   |               | market-based   | 12.57              | t CO <sub>2</sub> -equivalent                               |
| 2.3                               | Office cooling                                    |               | location-based<br>market-based                             | 0                  | t CO <sub>2</sub> -equivalent                               |
| 2.4                               | Travel electricity                                |               | market-based   | 0<br>0             | t CO <sub>2</sub> -equivalent t CO <sub>2</sub> -equivalent |
| ISO Category 3 - Scope 3          |   |               |  |                    | t OO2-cquivalcrit   |
| 3.1                               | • • •   |               | t- DIN EN 100 44004 4:0040                                 |                    |   |
| J. I                              |   |               | to DIN EN ISO 14064-1:2019 g to WRI/WBCSD GHG Protocol     | 356.77             | t CO <sub>2</sub> -equivalent                               |
|                                   |   |               | emissions from hotel night stays)                          | 327.86             | t CO <sub>2</sub> -equivalent                               |
| 3.2                               |   |               | g to DIN EN ISO 14064-1:2019                               | 396.19             | t CO <sub>2</sub> -equivalent                               |
|                                   |   |               | g to WRI/WBCSD GHG Protocol emissions from Work-from-Home) | 135.83             | t CO <sub>2</sub> -equivalent                               |
| ISO Category 4 - Scope 3          |   |               |  |                    |   |
| 4.1                               | Purchased goods and                               | services      | 8  | 11.33              | t CO <sub>2</sub> -equivalent                               |
| 4.2                               | Capital goods                                     |               |  | 84.42              | t CO <sub>2</sub> -equivalent                               |
| 4.3                               | Energy-related activitie                          |               |  | 14.94              | t CO <sub>2</sub> -equivalent                               |
| 4.4 Waste generated in operations |   |               |  | 0.96               | t CO <sub>2</sub> -equivalent                               |
| 4.5                               | Upstream leased asset                             | ts            | location-based<br>market-based                             | 197.25             | t CO <sub>2</sub> -equivalent                               |
|                                   |   |               |  | 140.08             | t CO <sub>2</sub> -equivalent                               |
|                                   | Agreed level of assurance                         |               | reasonable   |                    |   |
|                                   | Materiality thresholds                            |               | 5% for total sum of reported GHG emissions                 |                    |   |

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This Verification Statement is only valid for the mentioned scope of application and in combination with the objectives, explanations and criteria for evaluation specified in the attached verification report.

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