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# Bureau Veritas joins forces with Evercomm to help businesses tackle decarbonisation goals through digital verification and training



Strategic Partnership Signing Ceremony between Bureau Veritas SEA and Evercomm at the Singapore FinTech Festival

(L-R: Mr Michael Ma, Director, Sustainability Development, Commodities, Industry & Facilities, Bureau Veritas Singapore Pte Ltd and Mr Ted Chen, Co-founder & CEO, Evercomm Singapore Pte Ltd)

**Singapore, Wednesday, 15 November 2023** - Bureau Veritas, a world leader in testing, inspection and certification, has signed a strategic partnership agreement with Evercomm Singapore Pte Ltd ("Evercomm"), one of Singapore's fastest growing digital ESG assurance companies, to equip businesses in the South East Asia region to meet their sustainability goals in the face of strong economic headwinds and uncertainties.

As Evercomm's appointed digital verification technology partner for GHG accounting and reporting, businesses in the region will be able to leverage Bureau Veritas's independent





third-party status and Evercomm's data-driven solutions as they chart a customised journey and undertake ESG transformation towards meeting net zero goals.

To further amplify the commitment towards helping businesses better understand and manage climate change's impact, Bureau Veritas has also been appointed as the official trainer to upskill organisations in their knowledge of GHG accounting to help them get ready for the advent of regulatory and industry requirements.

Michael Ma, Director of Sustainability Development, Bureau Veritas Singapore, commented, "At Bureau Veritas, sustainability is embedded into our strategy, our organisation, our culture and across all our businesses. We serve our clients to meet the challenges of safety, the environment, social responsibility and product or service quality all along the chain. In today's world where sustainability knows no borders, I am delighted that this joint partnership between Bureau Veritas and Evercomm clearly reflects the way we contribute to our clients' sustainability journey and help them shape trust with their stakeholders in Southeast Asia."

Ted Chen, Co-founder and CEO of Evercomm said, "Combining Evercomm's Net Zero solution suites with Bureau Veritas's ISO-level assurance, our collaboration is set to redefine credibility and transparency in Southeast Asia's decarbonisation projects. We are dedicated to elevating our customers' net zero strategies to meet the highest standards, facilitating their readiness for green financing and international trade, adherence to local/global regulations, and journey towards generating carbon credit for some. This collaboration aspires to set a new precedent in environmental stewardship and making greenwashing a relic of the past."

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# ANNEX

# Scope

a) Bureau Veritas is the appointed verifier for organisational and activity based GHG. Verification of evidence will be performed in accordance with ISO 14064 on Evercomm's NXMap. After each verification, the platform digitally produced 'certificate' will have a reference number traceable to Bureau Veritas's issued External Statement of Assurance.

b) Bureau Veritas is the appointed trainer for Sustainability and GHG Awareness course. This one-day course is to complement Evercomm's one-day NXMap on-boarding training for their new customers.





### **About Bureau Veritas**

Bureau Veritas is a world leader in laboratory testing, inspection and certification services. Created in 1828, the Group has more than 82,000 employees located in nearly 1,600 offices and laboratories around the globe. Bureau Veritas helps its 400,000 clients improve their performance by offering services and innovative solutions in order to ensure that their assets, products, infrastructure and processes meet standards and regulations in terms of quality, health and safety, environmental protection and social responsibility.

Bureau Veritas is listed on Euronext Paris and belongs to the CAC 40 ESG, CAC Next 20 and SBF 120 indices. Compartment A, ISIN code FR 0006174348, stock symbol: BVI.

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## **About Evercomm**

Headquartered in Singapore, Evercomm is a net zero digital planning and management company with European and Asia-Pacific offices. Their enterprise solutions enable businesses to automate carbon footprint calculations down to the activity level. Evercomm empowers businesses to set and track progress towards carbon emissions reductions with simulations and verified technologies based on GHG protocols with assured reporting.

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