

# **Independent Verification Statement**

# JAPAN AIRLINES CO., Ltd. Head Office and its Group 26 subsidiaries

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## Scope of Verification Engagement:

The applicant's head office and its Group 26 subsidiaries

### **Applicable Standards:**

- ① Global Reporting Initiative: G4 Sustainability Reporting Guidelines
- ② ISO14064-3:2019 Specification with guidance for the validation and verification of greenhouse gas assertions (Verification Standards)
- ③ Ministry of the Environment Greenhouse Gas Emissions Calculation and Reporting Manual (Calculation Standards)

### Level of Assurance and Materiality:

Limited level of assurance (materiality as the professional judgement of the verifier)

Summary of GHG emissions for F1 2025	
Verified GHG emissions (scope)	Tonnes (CO <sub>2</sub> )
Direct GHG emissions (Scope 1)	9,081,231 <sup>*1</sup>
Energy Indirect GHG emissions (Scope 2)	52,447 <sup>*2</sup>
Other Indirect GHG emissions (Scope 3 Category 1,2,3,6,7,8)	2,238,809
Total GHG Emissions	11,372,487

#### Summary of GHG emissions for FY 2023

Note) \*1, \*2, Energy consumption (electric power conversion) 37,095,764 (MWh)

### Verification opinion:

In our opinion, the Report has been prepared in accordance with the selected quantification methodologies and nothing has come to our attention that cause us to believe that the emissions disclosed in the above table are not materially correct. Further, there is no conflict of interest between the Society and the Applicant, and the verification process was carried out impartially and fairly.

8 July, 2024

NIPPON KAIJI KYOKAI

Yoshiya Yamaguchi, Director of Business Assurance Division

\*This Independent Verification Statement is a summary of the appended independent verification statement (official document) and is valid only when it is published at the same time as the appended independent verification statement.



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(The scope of the verification engagement)

The scope of the verification engagement is as follows, and the selection of the scope is the sole responsibility of the Applicant, and the Society is not responsible for the selection of the scope in all respects.

[CO2 emissions from the followings in the fiscal year 2023 (from 1 April 2023 to 31 March 2024)]

•CO2 emissions from aircrafts operated by JAL Group (Japan Airlines Co., Ltd., Japan Transocean Air Co., Ltd., RYUKYU AIR COMMUTER Co., Ltd., J-AIR Co., Ltd., JAPAN AIR COMMUTER Co., Ltd., ZIPAIR Tokyo Co., Ltd., Hokkaido Air System Co., Ltd., Spring Japan Co., Ltd.)

(However, codeshare flights operated by other airlines are excluded. Including irregular, temporary and charter flights. Excludes free flights such as maintenance.)

•CO2 emissions at the following 18 sites.

- (1) Japan Airlines Co., Ltd. Headquarters
- (2) Japan Airlines Co., Ltd. Tokyo Airport Branch (Domestic)
- (3) Japan Airlines Co., Ltd. Technical Center
- (4) Japan Airlines Co., Ltd. / JAL Engineering Co., Ltd. Maintenance Building
- (5) Japan Airlines Co., Ltd. Engine Depot
- (6) JAL Engineering Co., Ltd. Haneda Maintenance Building
- (7) JAL Engineering Co., Ltd. Machine Loading Plant
- (8) JAL Engineering Co., Ltd. Motor No. 4 Plant
- (9) JAL Royal Catering Co., Ltd. Haneda Factory
- (10) Japan Airlines Co., Ltd. Narita Airport Branch (Operation Center)
- (11) Japan Airlines Co., Ltd. Narita Cargo Branch
- (12) Japan Airlines Co., Ltd. Narita Maintenance District Centre (Narita B District)
- (13) JAL Royal Catering Co., Ltd. Narita Factory
- (14) JAPAN AIR COMMUTER Co., Ltd.
- (15) Japan Transocean Air Co., Ltd.
- (16) Japan Airlines Co., Ltd. Tokyo Airport Branch (International)
- (17) JAL Kansai Aircargo System Co., Ltd.
- (18) Japan Airlines Co., Ltd. (35 domestic branched except Haneda and Narita Airports)

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### **GHG Data Management Responsibility**

The applicant was responsible for preparing the Report and for maintaining effective internal controls over the data and information disclosed. In addition, the Society was responsible for carrying out the verification engagement on the Report in accordance with the contract made with the applicant. It is the applicant who, in the final instance, will approve the Report. The report will continue to remain under the applicant's responsibility.

### **Verification Procedure**

Verification by the Society has been carried out in accordance with "ISO14064-3" to provide a limited level of assurance to the Report prepared by the applicant in accordance with the selected quantification methodologies, "List of Calculation Methods and Emission Factors in Calculation, Reporting, and Publication System (Ministry of the Environment)", "List of Emission factors of electric power companies (Ministry of the Environment) and "Emission intensity database for calculating greenhouse gas emissions of organizations throughout the supply chain Ver.3.4 (Ministry of the Environment), which are applied only for the monitoring and calculation part of the Report.

To form a conclusion, the verification engagement was undertaken as a sampling exercise that included the following:

- Site visit to the applicant's Head Office (Tokyo) and a subsidiary in Narita
- Interviews with the key personnel responsible for aggregating GHG emissions data and information management and preparation of reports at the above-mentioned site
- Review of the management process of GHG emissions data and information included in the Report
- Verification of the integrity of the information sources and aggregation in the Head Office for GHG emissions performance data and information included in the Report
- Review of the structure and emission source data of aircrafts for international and domestic flight.
- Review of QA/QC system and double-check system at the time of data input.

### Level of Assurance and Materiality

The verification opinion declared in this Independent Verification Statement was determined based on a limited level of assurance setting the materiality as the professional judgement of the verifier.

### **Verification Opinion**

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### **Recommendations for Improvements**

- We recommend the development of a monitoring plan in accordance with ISO14064-1 or GHG protocol.
- We recommend the enhancement of Scope3 GHG Emissions Accounting and Reporting by increasing its categories for reporting.

8 July, 2024

NIPPON KAIJI KYOKAI Green Certification Department

Toshiro Koiwa, Lead verifier

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\* This Independent Verification Statement requires that the overall Accounting System of the applicant be subject to review, but it is not meant to assure the appropriateness of the Accounting System.

\* This Independent Verification Statement is the English translation of the original statement written in Japanese. Only the original Japanese version of this statement is valid for the suitcase.

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