

## VERIFICATION STATEMENT

The verification is based on:

LCA report: Comparative assertion on climate change impacts of packaging solutions for solutions for beauty care and food end use applications. Technical background report, MetsäBoard, dated 19 October 2024.

## EPD No: S-P-09340 MetsäBoard Prime FBB EB (Mother EPD)

## Background LCA report to EPD: EPD Background report\_FBB\_26052023

I hereby confirm that, following detailed examination as independent 3<sup>rd</sup> party verifier, I have not been able to trace any significant deviations by examine its project LCA report, with regards to,

- the collected data and their use in the LCA calculation,
- the compliance between calculation rules in the reference PCR (PCR 2010:14 Processed paper and paperboard (3.1), EPD International) and the way the LCA-based calculation has been carried out,
- the presentation of environmental performance in the EPD,
- the quality and accuracy of the documentation on additional environmental information, and following the procedural and methodological requirements in ISO 14020/14025.

The review concerned the final LCA report as listed above. The reviewer did not review the goal and scope phase, nor the data collection phase. Primary data and calculations were not reviewed. However, the climate impact (GWP) information presented in the assessed LCA report are versions of the fully verified so called mother EPD (S-P-09340), why the two paperboards in the LCA report are regarded as align with the already verified EPD. I confirm that the company-specific data has been examined as regards to plausibility and consistency; the owner of the declaration shall be liable for the underlying information and evidence.

I confirm that I have adequate knowledge and experience of the industry and relevant standards to carry out this verification.

I confirm that I have been independent in my roles as verifier in according with requirements in ISO 14025. I have not been involved in the development of the LCA or declaration and have no conflict of interest regarding this verification. The presented results have been found to be correct and no non-conformances remain. All comment found from the verification are closed.

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