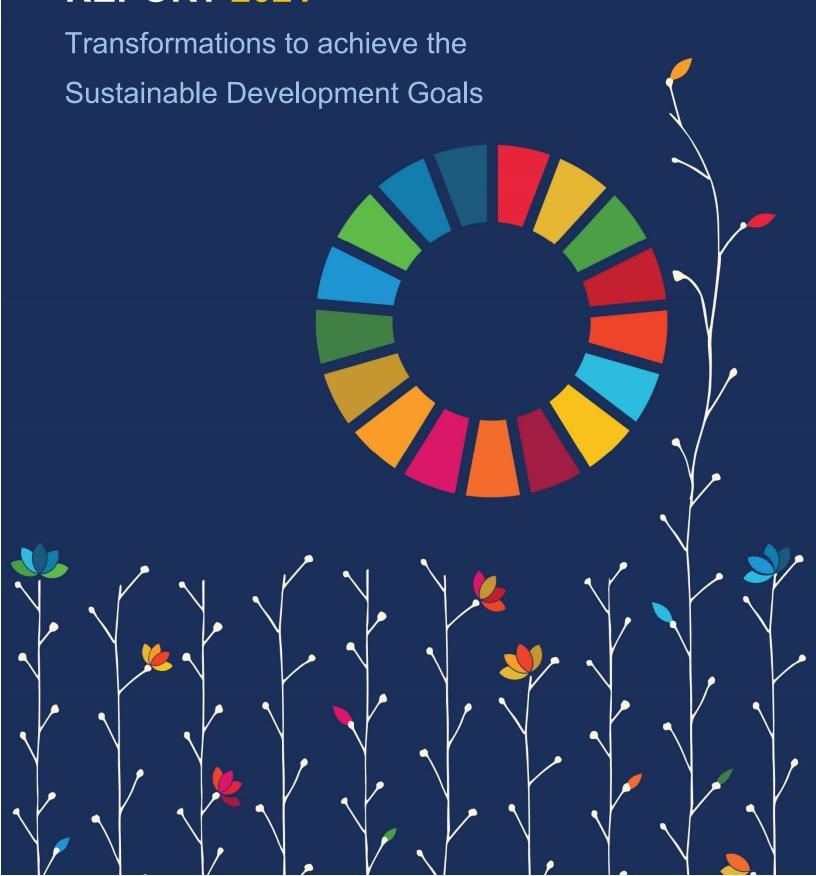


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80 MW (AC) CHALISGAON SOLAR POWER PROJECT

SD Contributions Reporting Period: 25-Mar-2018 to 31-March-2020



The main purpose of this project activity is to generate clean electricity through solar energy, and to supply it to the grid via Solar Energy Corporation of India (SECI). The project activity involves installation of (4 X 20 MW) 80 MW (AC) solar power project in the state of Maharashtra.

- <u>Socio-economic well-being:</u> The project, besides indirectly improving air quality, invests in local access to healthcare. It also creates safe jobs for the youth.
- **Environmental well-being:** The project does not lead to any greenhouse gas emissions; it helps green the regional grid by reducing its dependence on fossil fuels.

The project's quantifiable contributions to specific targets and indicators of the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) for the SD contributions reporting period are detailed in the following table. The official list of SDG Targets and Indicators provided by VERRA is used to identify the SDG Targets to which the project has contributed. Evidence for each contribution is identified in Appendix 1 below.

Key Contributions:

- The project has replaced anthropogenic emissions of greenhouse gases (GHG) of 287,379
 tCO2e over its lifetime.
- The project has yielded a total net power generation of **305,884 MWh** over its lifetime.
- In the operations of the plants affiliated to project **1844**, there have been no fatal and non-fatal occupational injuries during the project's lifetime.

#	SDG Target	SDG Indicator	Net Impact on SDG Indicator	Current Project Contributions	Contributions Over Project Lifetime
1.	13.0	Tons of greenhouse gas emissions avoided or removed	Implemented activities to decrease	The project replaced anthropogenic emissions of greenhouse gases (GHG) of 287,379 tCO2e during the reporting period (25-Mar-2018 to 31-March-2020)	The project has replaced anthropogenic emissions of greenhouse gases (GHG) of 287,379 tCO2e over its lifetime.
2.	8.6	8.6.1 Proportion of youth (aged 15–24 years) not in education, employment, or training	aged (age <24) by the owner, during th reporting period Managing the so farms is their ma		21 recent graduates in engineering, commerce and science have been hired (age <24) by the project owner, during the project lifetime. Moreover, a mentoring program was developed to enhance their skills.
3.	7.2	7.2.1 Renewable energy share in the total final energy consumption	ole activities to total notation increase general MWh congy tion entirety production therefore in the total notation general management in the total notation general general management	The project yielded a total net power generation of 305,884 MWh during the reporting period. The entirety of the production was consumed by grid users, therefore increasing renewable energy share in the total final energy consumption.	The project has yielded a total net power generation of 305,884 MWh over its lifetime. The entirety of the production was consumed by grid users, therefore increasing renewable energy share in the total final energy consumption.
4.	3.8	3.8.1 Coverage of essential health services	Implemented activities to increase	The project's CSR component implemented activities to increase access to quality essential health-care services among members of the neighboring communities of the solar plants. 735 people were checked and treated for general health issues.	The project's CSR component has implemented activities to increase access to quality essential health-care services among members of the neighboring communities of the solar plants. 735 people have been checked and treated for general health issues.
5.	8.8	8.8.1 Fatal and non- fatal	Implemented activities to decrease	In the operations of the plants affiliated to project 1844, there were	In the operations of the plants affiliated to project 1844, there have been no

#	SDG Target	SDG Indicator	Net Impact on SDG Indicator	Current Project Contributions	Contributions Over Project Lifetime
		occupational injuries per 100,000 workers, by sex and migrant status		no fatal and non-fatal occupational injuries during the reporting period. Moreover, training sessions are held for workers. These sessions are held periodically.	fatal and non-fatal occupational injuries during the project's lifetime. Training sessions are held for workers to reduce the accident rate. These sessions are held periodically.

100 MW SOLAR PROJECT IN BHADLA IN RAJASTHAN

SD Contribution Reporting Period: 16-Sep-2018 to 31-March-2020



The purpose of this project is to generate electricity through solar energy and to supply it to the Rajasthan state electricity grid (DISCOM).

The project involves installation of 100 MW (AC) solar power project in Bhadla in the state of Rajasthan, India.

- <u>Socio-economic well-being:</u> The project invests in technological resources for education. It also creates safe jobs for the youth.
- **Environmental well-being:** The project reduces the power grid's dependence on fossil fuels. Due to its zero emission the Project activity also contributes to tackling climate change and boosts the supply of renewable energy.

The project's quantifiable contributions to specific targets and indicators of the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) for the SD contributions reporting period is detailed in following table. Evidence for each contribution is tabulated below:

Key Contributions:

- The project has yielded a total net power generation of **318,858 MWh** over its lifetime.
- The project has replaced anthropogenic emissions of greenhouse gases (GHG) of **298,718 tCO2e** over its lifetime.
- In the operations of the plants affiliated to project **1842**, there have been no fatal and non-fatal occupational injuries during the project's lifetime.

#	SDG Target	SDG Indicator	Net Impact on SDG Indicator	Current Project Contributions	Contributions Over Project Lifetime
1.	7.2	7.2.1 Renewable energy share in the total final energy consumption	Implemented activities to increase	The project yielded a total net power generation of 318,858 MWh during the reporting period. The entirety of the production was consumed by grid users, therefore increasing renewable energy share in the total final energy consumption.	The project has yielded a total net power generation of 318,858 MWh over its lifetime. The entirety of the production was consumed by grid users, therefore increasing renewable energy share in the total final energy consumption
2.	4.4	4.4.1 Proportion of youth and adults with information and communications technology (ICT) skills, by type of skill	Implemented activities to increase	The project initiated a quality education program through the support of teaching and learning materials, installation of elearning classrooms, smart boards, donations of laptops, etc. 752 students have benefited from technological resources to improve their learning to date.	The project initiated a quality education program through the support of teaching and learning materials, installation of e-learning classrooms, smart boards, donations of laptops, etc. 752 students have benefited from technological resources to improve their learning to date.
3.	8.6	8.6.1 Proportion of youth (aged 15–24 years) not in education, employment, or training	learning lea		During the last 5 years, 22 recent graduates in engineering, commerce and science have been hired (age <24). Among those, 21 since the launch of the project. Moreover, a mentoring program was developed to enhance their skills.
4.	13.0	Tonnes of greenhouse gas emissions avoided or removed	Implemented activities to decrease	The project replaced anthropogenic emissions of greenhouse gases (GHG) of 298,718 tCO2e during the	The project has replaced anthropogenic emissions of greenhouse gases (GHG) of 298,718 tCO2e over its lifetime.

#	SDG Target	SDG Indicator	Net Impact on SDG Indicator	Current Project Contributions	Contributions Over Project Lifetime
				reporting period (16- sep-2018 to 31-March- 2020)	
5.	8.8	8.8.1 Fatal and nonfatal occupational injuries per 100,000 workers, by sex and migrant status	Implemented activities to decrease	In the operations of the plants affiliated to project 1842, there have been no fatal and non-fatal occupational injuries during the reporting period. Moreover, training sessions are held for workers. These sessions are held periodically.	In the operations of the plants affiliated to project 1842, there have been no fatal and nonfatal occupational injuries during the project's lifetime. Training sessions are held for workers to reduce the accident rate. These sessions are held periodically.

150 MW SOLAR POWER PROJECT IN PAVAGAD, KARNATAKA

SD Contributions Reporting Period: 25-Mar-2018 to 31-March-2020



The project entails inhouse development, construction, testing, commissioning, operation and maintenance of 150 MW solar PV plant located in *Pavagada*, Tumkur district in Karnataka. The project has been developed by Avaada Solar Energy Pvt Ltd, an SPV owned by Avaada Energy Private Limited. Power generated through this project is being sold to Karanataka Discoms, under 25-year Power Purchase Agreement. Avaada Energy acknowledges the importance of Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) that has been adopted globally by all United Nation member states in 2015. Hence, formed an entity named as Avaada Foundation to contribute towards various goals from the 17th benchmark sustainable goals. The project activities at Pavagada site contribute directly towards Sustainable goals of 'Quality Education' and 'Climate Action'.

The project's quantifiable contributions to specific targets and indicators of the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) for the SD contributions reporting period is detailed in following table. Evidence for each contribution is tabulated below:

Key Contributions:

- 385 students are talking benefit from our quality education program across in India.
- **6000** trees distributed among 495 students under Hug A Tree program and encouraged them to plant at least one tree in their entire life

#	SDG Target	SDG Indicator	Net Impact on SDG Indicator	Current Project Contributions	Contributions Over Project Lifetime
1	4.a	4.a.1 Proportion of schools offering basic services, by type of service	Implemented activities to increase education facilities that are child, disability and gender sensitive and provide safe, non-violent, inclusive, and effective learning environments for all	Initiated quality education program through the support of teaching learning materials, e learning classroom set up, smart board, laptop support etc.	385 students are talking benefit from our quality education program across in India.
2				Promoted the plantation drive and trees distribution program	6000 trees distributed among 495 students under Hug A Tree program and encouraged them to plant at least one tree in their entire life

30 MW SOLAR POWER PROJECT IN BANIVIKAL, KARNATAKA

SD Contributions Reporting Period: 25-Mar-2018 to 31-March-2020



The project entails inhouse development, construction, testing, commissioning, operation and maintenance of 30 MW solar PV plant located in *Banivikal*, *Bellary district in Karnataka*. The project has been developed by Solarsys Nonconventional Energy Pvt Ltd, an SPV owned by Avaada Energy Private Limited. Power generated through this project is being sold to open access consumers, under short terms and 10-year Power Purchase Agreements. Avaada Energy acknowledges the importance of Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) that has been adopted globally by all United Nation member states in 2015. Hence, formed an entity named as Avaada Foundation to contribute towards various goals from the 17th benchmark sustainable goals. The project activities at Banivikal site contribute directly towards Sustainable goals of 'Quality Education'.

The project's quantifiable contributions to specific targets and indicators of the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) for the SD contributions reporting period is detailed in following table. Evidence for each contribution is tabulated below:

#	SDG Target	SDG Indicator	Net Impact on SDG Indicator	Current Project Contributions	Contributions Over Project Lifetime
1) 4.a	4.a.1 Proportion of schools offering basic services, by type of service	Implemented activities to increase education facilities that are child, disability and gender sensitive and provide safe, non-violent, inclusive, and effective learning environments for all	Initiated quality education program through the support of teaching learning materials, e learning classroom set up, smart board, laptop support etc.	75 students are talking benefit from our quality education program across in India.

60 MW SOLAR POWER PROJECT IN ILLIKAL, KARNATAKA

SD Contributions Reporting Period: 25-Mar-2018 to 31-March-2020



The project entails inhouse development, construction, testing, commissioning, operation and maintenance of 60 MW solar PV plant located in *Illkal*, Bagalkot district in *Karnataka*. The project has been developed by Solarsys Nonconventional Energy Pvt Ltd, an SPV owned by Avaada Energy Private Limited. Power generated through this project is being sold to open access consumers, under short term and 10-year Power Purchase Agreement. Avaada Energy acknowledges the importance of Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) that has been adopted globally by all United Nation member states in 2015. Hence, formed an entity named as Avaada Foundation to contribute towards various goals from the 17th benchmark sustainable goals. The project activities at Illkal site contribute directly towards Sustainable goals of 'Quality Education'.

The project's quantifiable contributions to specific targets and indicators of the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) for the SD contributions reporting period is detailed in following table. Evidence for each contribution is tabulated below:

#	SDG Target	SDG Indicator	Net Impact on SDG Indicator	Current Project Contributions	Contributions Over Project Lifetime
1)	4.a	4.a.1 Proportion of schools offering basic services, by type of service	Implemented activities to increase education facilities that are child, disability and gender sensitive and provide safe, non-violent, inclusive, and effective learning environments for all	Initiated quality education program through the support of teaching learning materials, e learning classroom set up, smart board, laptop support etc.	400 students are talking benefit from our quality education program across in India.

ANNEXURES

Annexure 1: Supporting Evidence (CHALISGAON)

Supporting evidence for contribution #1

<u>Supporting evidence 1A:</u> Measurement of the first monitoring report for Total Emission Reduction (tCO2/year)

6.2 Baseline Emissions

As per description earlier under this document:

 $BE_y = EG_{PJ,y} * EF_{grid,CM,y}$

EF_{grid,CM,y}: Combined margin CO₂ emission factor for grid connected power generation in year y

calculated using the latest version of the "Tool to calculate the emission factor for an

electricity system" (tCO₂/MWh) (i.e., 0.9475 tCO₂/MWh).

EG_{PJ, y}: Quantity of net electricity generation that is produced and fed into the grid as a result of

the implementation of the project activity in year y (MWh/yr)

BEy : Baseline emissions in year y (tCO₂e/yr)

Here,

Monitoring Period:	Total Net Power	Baseline Emission	Total Emission
	Generated (MWh)	Factor (tCO ₂ /MWh)	Reduction (tCO₂/ year)
25 Mar 2018 to 31 Oct 2018	76,378	0.9475	72,368

<u>Supporting evidence 1B:</u> Measurement of the second monitoring report for Total Emission Reduction (tCO2/

5.1 Baseline Emissions

As per procedure established in the registered PD:

 $BE_y = EG_{PJ,y} * EF_{grid,CM,y}$

EF_{grid,CM,y}: Combined margin CO₂ emission factor for grid connected power generation in

year y calculated using the latest version of the "Tool to calculate the emission

factor for an electricity system" (tCO₂/MWh) (i.e., 0.93684 tCO₂/MWh).

EGPJ, y : Quantity of net electricity generation that is produced and fed into the grid as

a result of the implementation of the project activity in year y (MWh/yr)

BEy : Baseline emissions in year y (tCO_{2e}/yr).

Here,

Monitoring Period:	Total Net Power	Baseline Emission	Total Emission
	Generated (MWh)	Factor (tCO ₂ /MWh)	Reduction (tCO ₂ / year)
01-Nov-2018 to 31-March-2020	229,506.81	0.93684	215,011*

^{*} rounded down value has been considered. Detail calculation to be referred from final ER sheet.

Supporting evidence for contribution # 2

Number of young graduates recruited per year.

Year	Graduate Engineer Trainee	Management Trainee	Post graduate Engineer Trainee	Total
2018	5	2	-	7
2019	7	1	-	8
2020	4	1	1	6
Grand Total	17	4	1	21



Source: Avaada Group, 2021

Note: The supporting evidence consolidates evidence at the company level, because individual projects do not have their own specific staff.

Supporting evidence for contribution #3

<u>Supporting evidence 3A:</u> Measurement of the first monitoring report of Total Net Power Generated (MWh).

6.2 Baseline Emissions

As per description earlier under this document:

 $BE_y = EG_{PJ,y} * EF_{grid,CM,y}$

EF_{grid,CM,y}: Combined margin CO₂ emission factor for grid connected power generation in year y

calculated using the latest version of the "Tool to calculate the emission factor for an

electricity system" (tCO₂/MWh) (i.e., 0.9475 tCO₂/MWh).

EG_{PJ, y}: Quantity of net electricity generation that is produced and fed into the grid as a result of

the implementation of the project activity in year y (MWh/yr)

BEy : Baseline emissions in year y (tCO₂e/yr)

Here.

Monitoring Period:	Total Net Power Generated (MWh)	Baseline Emission Factor (tCO ₂ /MWh)	Total Emission Reduction (tCO₂/ year)
25 Mar 2018 to 31 Oct 2018	76,378	0.9475	72,368

<u>Supporting evidence 3B:</u> Measurement of the second monitoring report for Total Net Power Generated (MWh)

5.1 Baseline Emissions

As per procedure established in the registered PD:

BEy = EGPJ,y * EFgrid,CM,y

EFgrid.CM.y : Combined margin CO₂ emission factor for grid connected power generation in

year y calculated using the latest version of the "Tool to calculate the emission

factor for an electricity system" (tCO2/MWh) (i.e., 0.93684 tCO2/MWh).

EGPJ, y : Quantity of net electricity generation that is produced and fed into the grid as

a result of the implementation of the project activity in year y (MWh/yr)

BEy : Baseline emissions in year y (tCO_{2e}/yr).

Here,

Monitoring Period:	Total Net Power Generated (MWh)	Baseline Emission Factor (tCO ₂ /MWh)	Total Emission Reduction (tCO ₂ / year)
01-Nov-2018 to 31-March-2020	229,506.81	0.93684	215,011*

^{*} rounded down value has been considered. Detail calculation to be referred from final ER sheet.

Supporting evidence for contribution #4

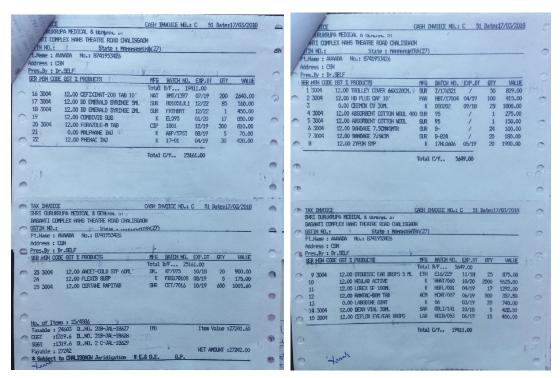
Supporting evidence 4A: Health Check Up camps sponsored by AVAADA:



Date: 17-03-2018 Location: Badhore Khurdh Village, Maharashtra & Date: 31-12-2018 Location: Shivapur, Maharashtra

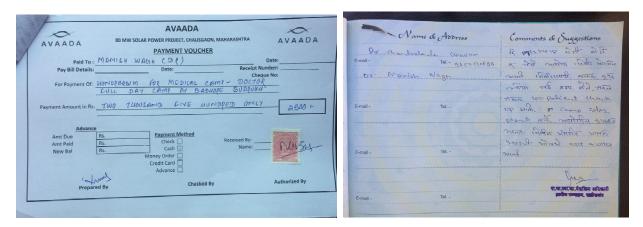
All such activities are conducted on a recurring basis, depending on the requirements received from the local community.

<u>Supporting evidence 4B:</u> Medical invoices / payments to doctors for the medical checkups.



Medical Bill from 17/03/2018

Medical Bill 17/03/2018



Medical Payment Voucher paid by Project 80 MW Solar Power, Chalisgaon. 2018 & Physician's contact information

Supporting evidence 4C: Statement from AVAADA concerning medical camps.

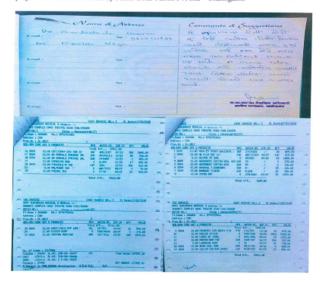
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Through our no-cost medical camps, much needed medical services are provided to the villagers surrounding our projects. Multiple specialized and general awareness camps are organized to help villagers lead much healthier lives. We have been organizing regular health check-up camps and a number of medical camps - general & specialized to create awareness amongst the villagers. Medicare centres have been setup to offer OPD health services free of charge.

As an example, here are some of prescriptions, medical bills, payment vouchers for camps conducted in 17-03-2018 at Badhore Khurdh and 31-12-2018 at Shivapur for VCS project#1844: 80 MW Solar by Fermi Solar Farms Pvt Ltd – Chalisgaon.



Supporting evidence 4D: List of patients and prescriptions.

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Note: The contents of this document are solely to be used for arriving at a better understanding of initiatives of Avaada Energy Pvt. Ltd and its group companies, under VCS/Verra's Sustainable development contributions reporting requirements.

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Supporting evidence for contribution #5

Supporting evidence 5A: Statement from AVAADA concerning EHS policy



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Avaada strongly believes that safety comes first and strives to provide safe workplace for all. Due emphasis is placed on appropriate planning and control including audits, inspections, and management review in ensuring that safety system is functioning effectively.

In general, 80% incidents are attributed to human failures. Keeping this in mind, Avaada has taken various measures to address incidents due to human error. To systematically manage safety at Avaada, we have a well-defined EHS Policy & list of EHS obligations. The EHS policy and EHS obligations is displayed at all prominent places across all Project sites. This policy mandates all employees to maintain a safe and healthy workplace and develop a culture of safety.

Avaada has a policy and procedure in place for 'Accident', 'Incident' and 'Near miss' reporting. No 'Accidents', 'Incidents' have been reported till date. However, 'Near Misses' have been reported and the details have been given in the table below.

All the 'Near Misses' involved only Male staff and were non-fatal in nature.

Supporting evidence 5B: Number of fatal and non-fatal accidents for project 1844



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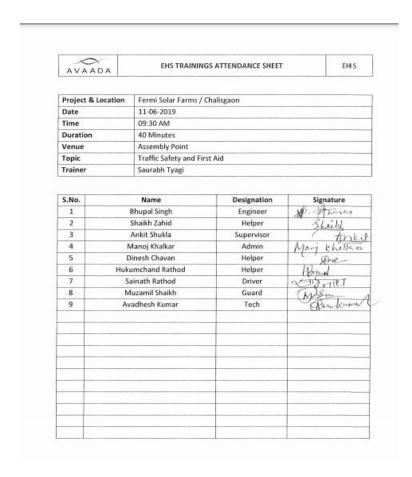
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(01st April 2019 - 31st March 2020)						
	Project Name	VCSID	Project Location	No. of Accidents	Near Misses	Remarks
1	M/s Fermi Solarfarms Private Limited, Chalishgaon	1844	Village: Shivapur & Bodare Taluk: Molakulmuru District: Chitradurga State: Maharashira	Nil	1	The Details of Incident reportin alongwith CAPA is given a Annexure
2	M/s Avaada Sustainable Energy Private Limited, Hangal	1786	Village: Hangal Taluk: Molakulmuru District: Chitradurga State: Karnataka	Nil	Ni	,
3	M/s Solarsys Non-Conventional Energy Private Ltd, Ikal	1786	V illage: Balkundi Taluk: Ilkal District: Bagalkot State: Karnataka	Ni	2	The Details of Incident reporting alongwith CAPA is given a Annexure
4	M/s Avaada Non-Conventional Energy Private Ltd, Hulikunte (Banavikal)	1786	Village: Hulikunte Taluk: Kudilgi District: Bellary State: Kamataka	Nil	NI	
5	M/s Solarys Non-Conventional Energy Pvt Ltd, Poojarhalli (KH-Halli)	1786	Village: Pujarhalli Taluk: Kudilgi District: Bellary State: Karnataka	Nil	Nil	
6	M/s Clean Sustainable Energy Private Limited, Bhadla	1842	Village: Bhadla Taluk: Bap District: Phalodi State: Rajasthan	Nil	Ni	

The details of the incidents and Corrective and Preventive Action (CAPA) reports are provided below:

Supporting evidence 5C: Report of near misses and accidents



<u>Supporting evidence 5D:</u> Security training participant registration document. 11/06/2019 Measures taken following near misses (note these are not non-fatal nor fatal accidents)



Annexure 1: Supporting Evidence (CHALISGAON)

Supporting evidence for contribution #1

<u>Supporting evidence 1A:</u> Measurement of the first monitoring report for Total Net Power Generated (MWh)

6.2 Baseline Emissions

As per description earlier under this document:

 $BE_y = EG_{PJ,y} * EF_{grid,CM,y}$

EF_{grid,CM,y}: Combined margin CO₂ emission factor for grid connected power generation in year y

calculated using the latest version of the "Tool to calculate the emission factor for an

electricity system" (tCO₂/MWh) (i.e., 0.93684 tCO₂/MWh).

EG_{PJ.y}: Quantity of net electricity generation that is produced and fed into the grid as a result of

the implementation of the project activity in year y (MWh/yr)

BEy : Baseline emissions in year y (tCO₂e/yr)

Here,

Monitoring Period:	Total Net Power	Baseline Emission	Total Emission
	delivered to grid	Factor	Reduction
	(MWh)	(tCO₂e/MWh)	(tCO₂e/ year)
16 Sep 2018 to 31 Oct 2018	0	0.93684	0

More information on the Total Net Power Generated (MWh) of the project can be found in the <u>final PD + Monitoring Report</u>

Supporting evidence 1B: Measurement of the second monitoring report for Total Net Power Generated (MWh).

5.1 Baseline Emissions

As per procedure established in the registered PD:

BEy = EGPJ,y * EFgrid,CM,y

EFgrid,CM.y : Combined margin CO₂ emission factor for grid connected power generation in

year y calculated using the latest version of the "Tool to calculate the emission

factor for an electricity system" (tCO₂/MWh) (i.e., 0.93684 tCO₂/MWh).

EGp., y : Quantity of net electricity generation that is produced and fed into the grid as

a result of the implementation of the project activity in year y (MWh/yr)

BEy : Baseline emissions in year y (tCO_{2e}/yr).

Here,

Monitoring Period:	Total Net Power	Baseline Emission	Total Emission
	Generated (MWh)	Factor (tCO ₂ /MWh)	Reduction (tCO ₂ / year)
01-Nov-2018 to 31-Mar-2020 (both the dates included)	318,858.43	0.93684	298,718

^{*} rounded down value has been considered.

More information on the Total Net Power Generated (MWh) of the project can be found in <u>Final Version</u> of the second Monitoring Report (2020)

Supporting evidence for contribution #2

Date & place of pictures - School Program





Date: 21-07-2018 Location: Noore Ki Bhurj Village, Rajasthan. Date: 11-10-2018 Location: Bhadla, Rajasthan

Supporting evidence for contribution #3

Number of young graduates recruited per year.

Year	Graduate Engineer Trainee	Management Trainee	Post graduate Engineer Trainee	Total
2018	5	2	-	7
2019	7	1	-	8
2020	4	1	1	6
Grand Total	17	4	1	21



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Source: Avaada Group, 2021

Note: The supporting evidence consolidates evidence at the company level.

Supporting evidence for contribution # 4

Supporting evidence 4A: Measurement of the first monitoring report (2018) for Total Emission Reduction (tCO2/ year)

6.2 Baseline Emissions

As per description earlier under this document:

 $BE_y = EG_{PJ,y} * EF_{grid,CM,y}$

EF_{grid,CM,y}: Combined margin CO₂ emission factor for grid connected power generation in year y

calculated using the latest version of the "Tool to calculate the emission factor for an

electricity system" (tCO₂/MWh) (i.e., 0.93684 tCO₂/MWh).

EGPJ, y : Quantity of net electricity generation that is produced and fed into the grid as a result of

the implementation of the project activity in year y (MWh/yr)

BEy : Baseline emissions in year y (tCO₂e/yr)

Here,

Monitoring Period:	Total Net Power	Baseline Emission	Total Emission	
	delivered to grid	Factor	Reduction	
	(MWh)	(tCO₂e/MWh)	(tCO₂e/ year)	
16 Sep 2018 to 31 Oct 2018	0	0.93684	0	

<u>Supporting evidence 4B:</u> Measurement of the second monitoring report (2020) for Total Emission Reduction (tCO2/ year)

5.1 Baseline Emissions

As per procedure established in the registered PD:

 $BE_y = EG_{PJ,y} * EF_{grid,CM,y}$

EFgrid,CM.y : Combined margin CO₂ emission factor for grid connected power generation in

year y calculated using the latest version of the "Tool to calculate the emission

factor for an electricity system" (tCO₂/MWh) (i.e., 0.93684 tCO₂/MWh).

EGPJ, y : Quantity of net electricity generation that is produced and fed into the grid as

a result of the implementation of the project activity in year y (MWh/yr)

BEy : Baseline emissions in year y (tCO_{2e}/yr).

Here,

Monitoring Period:	Total Net Power	Baseline Emission	Total Emission
	Generated (MWh)	Factor (tCO ₂ /MWh)	Reduction (tCO ₂ / year)
01-Nov-2018 to 31-Mar-2020 (both the dates included)	318,858.43	0.93684	298,718

^{*} rounded down value has been considered.

More information on the Total Net Power Generated (MWh) of the project can be found in section 5.1,Baseline Emissions < <u>VCS 1842 PD VERRA</u>>

Supporting evidence for contribution # 5

Supporting evidence 5A: Explanation of AVAADA EHS policy



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Avaada strongly believes that safety comes first and strives to provide safe workplace for all. Due emphasis is placed on appropriate planning and control including audits, inspections, and management review in ensuring that safety system is functioning effectively.

In general, 80% incidents are attributed to human failures. Keeping this in mind, Avaada has taken various measures to address incidents due to human error. To systematically manage safety at Avaada, we have a well-defined EHS Policy & list of EHS obligations. The EHS policy and EHS obligations is displayed at all prominent places across all Project sites. This policy mandates all employees to maintain a safe and healthy workplace and develop a culture of safety.

Avaada has a policy and procedure in place for 'Accident', 'Incident' and 'Near miss' reporting. No 'Accidents', 'Incidents' have been reported till date. However, 'Near Misses' have been reported and the details have been given in the table below.

All the 'Near Misses' involved only Male staff and were non-fatal in nature.

Supporting evidence 5B: Number of fatal and non-fatal accidents for project 1842



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	Project Name	VCS ID	Project Location	No. of Accidents	Near Misses	Remarks
1	M/s Fermi Solarfarms Private Limited, Chalishgaon	1844	Village: Shivapur & Bodare Taluk: Molakulmuru District: Chitradurga State: Maharashtra	Nil	1	The Details of Incident reporting alongwith CAPA is given as Annexure
2	M/s Avaada Sustainable Energy Private Limited, Hangal	1786	Village: Hangal Taluk: Molakulmuru District: Chitradurga State: Karnataka	Nil	NI	
3	M/s Solarsys Non-Conventional Energy Private Ltd, Ilkal	1786	V ilage: Balkundi Taluk: Ilkal District: Bagalkot State: Karnataka	Ni	2	The Details of Incident reporting alongwith CAPA is given as Annexure
4	M/s Avaada Non-Conventional Energy Private Ltd, Hulikunte (Banavkal)	1786	Village: Hulikunte Taluk: Kudilgi District: Bellary State: Karnataka	Nil	NI	
5	M/s Solarys Non-Conventional Energy Pvt Ltd, Poojarhalli (KH-Halli)	1786	Village: Pujarhalli Taluk: Kudilgi District: Bellary State: Karnataka	Ni	Nil	-
6	M/s Clean Sustainable Energy Private Limited, Bhadla	1842	Village; Bhadla Taluk; Bap District: Phalodi State: Rajasthan	Nil	NI	-

The details of the incidents and Corrective and Preventive Action (CAPA) reports are provided below:

Supporting evidence 5C:



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- 2. VCS project #1842: 100 MW Solar Project in Bhadla in Rajasthan
- 3. VCS project #1844: 80 MW Solar by Fermi Solar Farms Pvt. Ltd. Chalisgaon
- 4. VCS project #1914: 150 MW Solar Project in Karnataka by Avaada Solar.

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Supporting evidence 5E:



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Annexure 3: Supporting Evidence (PAVAGADA)

Supporting evidence for contribution #1 & #2





Annexure 4: Supporting Evidence (BANIVIKAL)

Supporting evidence for contribution #1





Annexure 5: Supporting Evidence (ILLIKAL)

Supporting evidence for contribution #1





