

CALIFORNIA VOLUNTARY CARBON MARKETS DISCLOSURE ACT (VCMDA) INFORMATION

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This document is intended to be responsive to Division 26, Part 10 of the California Health and Safety Code, which is added by California's Voluntary Carbon Markets Disclosure Act (VCMDA).

Information on Claims Related to Greenhouse Gas Emissions

Periodically, The Bank of New York Mellon Corporation (BNY, together with its subsidiaries) makes enterprise-wide statements about carbon neutrality and reductions in our greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions. This includes our goals to achieve GHG emissions reductions in relevant areas of our Scope 1 and Scope 2 (location-based) operational emissions and Scope 3 financed emissions by 2030¹, consistent with 1.5°C pathways. Information on GHG emissions, including our progress against our GHG reduction targets and the independent third-party verification of our Scope 1, Scope 2, and Scope 3, Category 6 (business travel) GHG emissions metrics can be found on pages 9-12 of our [2025 TCFD Disclosure](#). BNY's definition and approach to carbon neutrality can be found on page 9 of the [2025 TCFD Disclosure](#).

BNY's Carbon Offset Purchases for Calendar Year (CY) 2025		
Name of Offset Seller	Project Registry/ Applicable Standard	Identification Number in Registry
Climate Impact Partners	ACR ²	ACR729
Climate Impact Partners	VCS ³	VCS1495
Climate Impact Partners	VCS ³	VCS959
Climate Impact Partners	VCS ³	VCS2478
Climate Impact Partners	ACR ²	ACR973

¹ BNY's Scope 3, Category 15 "financed emissions" refer to the GHG emissions associated with BNY's on-balance sheet lending and investment activities, as well as BNY's off-balance sheet capital markets facilitation activities (also referred to as "facilitated emissions"). The Scope 3, Category 15 GHG emissions associated with the managed investments of BNY Investments and its affiliated boutique firms are excluded.

² American Carbon Registry (ACR) Standard

³ Verified Carbon Standard (VCS)

For 2025, BNY purchased its Energy Attribute Certificates (EACs)⁴ from Climate Impact Partners (CIP). Relevant information about these instruments has been provided to us by CIP, as further discussed below:

BNY's Renewable Energy Purchases for CY 2025			
Name of Offset Seller	Certificate Type	Project Location	Vintage Year (VY)/ Reporting Year (RY)⁵
Climate Impact Partners	Green-e® REC	United States	RY25
Climate Impact Partners	Australian REC - LGC	Australia	VY25
Climate Impact Partners	Guarantee of Origin (GO)	Europe	VY25
Climate Impact Partners	I-REC	India	VY25
Climate Impact Partners	I-REC	Vietnam	VY25
Climate Impact Partners	I-REC	UAE	VY25
Climate Impact Partners	GEC	China	VY25
Climate Impact Partners	I-REC	Brazil	VY25
Climate Impact Partners	I-REC	Israel	VY25
Climate Impact Partners	I-REC	Malaysia	VY25
Climate Impact Partners	I-REC	Thailand	VY25
Climate Impact Partners	I-REC	Turkey	VY25
Climate Impact Partners	Japan NFC	Japan	VY25
Climate Impact Partners	Renewable Energy Guarantee of Origin (REGO)	United Kingdom	VY25

Information included, or specifically referenced, in BNY's latest TCFD Disclosure on the matters covered by the VCMDA supersede and update any prior statements on such matters, including any statement contained herein.

⁴ An EAC is a contractual instrument that indicates the generation of a particular quantity of energy, or product associated with the generation of a specified quantity of energy from a renewable energy project. An EAC is distinct from the actual energy produced and may be separately transferred or conveyed.

⁵ The Green-e® Energy certified United States Wind and Solar RECs procured from Climate Impact Partners use "Reporting Year 2025 (RY25)," which reflects renewable production spanning July 1, 2024 to March 31, 2026. EACs procured from Climate Impact Partners, including Australian RECs, GOs, I-RECs, Japan NFCs, China GECs and REGOs, use "Vintage Year 2025 (VY25)". Within the context of Carbon Credits, "Vintage Year" reflects the calendar year (January 1, 2025 to December 31, 2025) in which the emissions were removed, limited, reduced, destroyed, avoided, sequestered or mitigated by the emissions reduction project. Within the context of EACs, "Vintage Year" refers to the calendar year (January 1, 2025 to December 31, 2025) in which the renewable energy was generated by the renewable energy project.

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