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The demand for clear and transparent Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG) information is growing as government regulation increases and stakeholder expectations rise.

Consumers are looking for companies they can trust - companies that align with their own values and share their beliefs. Investors are seeking more transparency in addition to strong ESG claims and policies. They are looking to fully understand the risks to the businesses they are supporting.

Reporting on non-financial data such as ESG metrics can be a powerful tool for companies to set goals, measure performance, and manage change in order to make their operations more sustainable and align with the values of their investors and customers.

Through sustainability reporting, organisations are able to understand and communicate the risks and opportunities they face from their corporate activities.

Sustainability services have been a core service of Intertek for more than 100 years and we are committed to pioneering new solutions to help our clients, and the world, Build Back Ever Better.

With our leading ESG Assurance programme, we support our clients on all aspects of their non-financial data reporting journey with independent **ESG Reporting and Assurance Solutions**, from strategy setting to report preparation, providing independent verification of sustainability disclosures. This empowers our customers to communicate with their stakeholders on their ESG and sustainability commitments and progress with increased confidence, trust, and accuracy.

# The Intertek Advantage

It can be difficult for new companies to begin their ESG journey, to understand their operational risks, where to look for information, what to report on, and how to communicate their sustainability impacts.

We are here to support our clients with our end-to-end **ESG Reporting and Assurance** programme. From advisory services to data reporting, auditing and verification, Intertek



provides independent assurance of ESG reporting and disclosures that are aligned with internationally - recognised standards and reporting frameworks.

Powered by our unique combination of sustainability, scientific, technological, and auditing capabilities, Intertek provides a superior end-to-end ESG assurance and verification programme, providing organisations with total peace of mind on all aspects of their ESG journey, helping achieve, validate and communicate sustainability progress with confidence, to all stakeholders.

# **ESG Reporting and Assurance** Programme

# **ESG Advisory Services**

Companies are working to define their sustainability strategy, engage with stakeholders, and understand ESG reporting frameworks to gain a competitive advantage in the marketplace.

Intertek's ESG Advisory Services help companies define their sustainability strategies, prepare ESG reports, and identify areas of risk and impact to skillfully navigate the rapidly changing landscape of sustainability.

Our services establish measurable milestones and deliverables, and provide

clients roadmaps to communicate their ESG results with confidence to all stakeholders.

## Our services cover:

to set goals, measure performance, and manage change in order to make their operations more sustainable and align with the values of their investors and customers. Through sustainability reporting, organisations are able to understand and face from their corporate activities.

The sustainability reporting landscape is complex, consisting of multiple frameworks and a constantly changing regulatory environment.

Within our data and reporting services, we help our clients:

- Define the baselines for ESG data collection
- with sustainability indicators
- Identify risk issues to disclose
- Conduct analyses and assessments
- Prepare responses to selected framework(s)

- Gap analysis, benchmarking and goal setting
- Materiality assessment
- Reporting framework selection and alignment
- Stakeholder engagement

# ESG Data and Reporting Services

Reporting on non-financial data such as ESG metrics can be a powerful tool for companies communicate the risks and opportunities they

- Monitor metrics for goals using a dashboard



### **ESG Auditing and Verification Services**

Our services ensure accurate data aggregation and reporting and adherence to framework requirements. Intertek's global sustainability experts can conduct sustainability report reviews and verifications to ensure compliance with relevant regulatory and legislative policies, as well as assess a business' ESG risks, liabilities, and opportunities.

With our independent audit of sustainability disclosures and reporting we provide our clients and their stakeholders the confidence that the information in their ESG report is accurate and reliable.

Intertek's suite of environmental, social, and governance services spans diverse sectors and includes industry-agnostic solutions. By improving ESG performance, communication, and engagement with business partners across your entire value chain, our services ensure your ESG strategy is being implemented.

We tailor our service to integrate various operational sustainability assessment solutions with ESG verification to give an additional level of assurance over and above the certified management systems, operating systems, and critical processes.

Supported by Intertek's sustainability experts, clients will receive an independent assurance

statement to meet the requirements of either limited or reasonable levels of engagement following AA1000AS and/or ISAE 3000.

# The Assurance You Need With our ESG Reporting and Assurance solutions, clients will:

- Determine the scope and level of assurance they need
- Align their processes with all major international reporting frameworks
- Achieve independent assurance sustainability disclosures, and total confidence in having accurate, reliable information

Intertek is a global leader in sustainability services: a worldwide network of sustainability experts, backed by a long history of delivering operational and corporate sustainability solutions. We provide organisations with total peace of mind in all aspects of their ESG journey, and help them achieve, validate, and communicate sustainability progress with confidence.

44,000 **Employees** 



1,000 Laboratories and Offices



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