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The information provided below is current as of November 25th, 2024.

California's Voluntary Carbon Market Disclosures Business Regulation Act (AB 1305)(“VCMDA”)

Project Name	Reduced Emissions from Deforestation and Degradation in Keo Seima Wildlife Sanctuary
Registry	Verra Registry
Registry ID	1650
Registry Link	https://registry.verra.org/app/projectDetail/VCS/1650
Applicable Vintage	2015, 2017, 2020, 2021
Project Description	Nestled in the lush jungles of eastern Cambodia, the Keo Seima Wildlife Sanctuary (KSWS) is a haven for biodiversity and a vast storehouse of forest carbon. Spanning over 290,000 hectares, the protected area is home to a diverse array of wildlife, including 84 globally threatened species and the world's largest population of black-shanked douc and yellow-cheeked crested gibbon. The KSWS also holds a unique cultural significance for the Indigenous Bunong people, who have called this forest home for centuries and whose culture and livelihoods are deeply entwined with the forest. Despite the importance of this area, it faces a high threat of deforestation due to various factors, including forest conversion for agriculture and illegal logging. The Keo Seima Wildlife Sanctuary REDD+ Project (KSWS REDD+), launched in 2010 as a collaboration between the Royal Government of Cambodia (RGC) and the Wildlife Conservation Society (WCS), has made impressive strides in reducing deforestation and promoting alternative livelihoods. The project has prevented the release of more than 20 million tons of CO ₂ e emissions and saved 25,000 hectares of forest from destruction. It has also created jobs, supported education and training initiatives, and established an ecotourism venture that supports local communities. The project has also distributed nearly \$1 million through its Cash for Communities (C4C) program, a mechanism that shares the revenue of carbon credits sales. These funds go directly to local communities, who decide how they should be spent to support sustainable development activities such as healthcare, education, and infrastructure like wells and bridges. In Cambodia, the Ministry of Environment is at the forefront of protecting the country's protected areas, with a focus on preserving the nation's forests. The WCS is a leading global conservation organization operating in 60+ countries and brings its extensive knowledge and experience in conservation to the project.
Protocol	VM0015: Methodology for Avoided Unplanned Deforestation, v1.2



Project Location	Eastern Cambodia, Keo Seima Wildlife Sanctuary (KSWS)
Project Timeline (BMO interprets this as the full crediting period of the project)	01/01/2010 - 31/12/2069
Project Start Date	January 1, 2010
Emissions Reduction Dates & Quantities Issued	The Emission Reduction Dates & Quantities Issued can be found on the registry's site for this Project: [Project Description]
Project Type	REDD
Emissions Type	Avoided emissions
Standards Met	Project vintage meets the standard of VM0015 as evidenced by registry listing and third party verification reports provided by Verra's site here [Verra Project Summary]
Durability	More information about durability can be found on Verra's website here: [Project Description]
Third Party Verifier	SCS Global Services
Volume of emissions removed or reduced annually	1,426,648 Tons [Verra Project Summary]
Reversal Measures	More information about reversal measures can be found on Verra's website here: [Project Description]
Source Data and calculation methods to reproduce / verify emissions reduction or removal credits issued	Refer to project documentation uploaded to the Registry. https://registry.verra.org/app/projectDetail/VCS/1650