



ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES, INC.

Validation Statement

Climate, Community and Biodiversity Project Design Standards (Second Edition – December 2008)

WILDLANDS CONSERVATION TRUST – BUFFELSDRAAI LANDFILL SITE COMMUNITY REFORESTATION PROJECT

Issuance Date: 24 July 2014

Expiration Date: 23 July 2019 Project No. VO11053.00

This validation statement confirms that Environmental Services, Inc. (Climate, Community & Biodiversity Alliance-Approved Validator) has evaluated the Project Design Document prepared by Wildlands Conservation Trust (Project Developer) for the project entitled *Buffelsdraai Landfill Site Community Reforestation Project* dated 21 July 2014, according to the criteria outlined by the Climate, Community and Biodiversity Project Design Standards (Second Edition, December 2008) and that this validation statement is consistent with ISO 14064-3:2006 and ISO 14065:2007. This project area is about 25km north of Durban, in the eThekweni Municipality of the province of KwaZulu-Natal, South Africa.

Environmental Services, Inc. confirms all validation activities including objectives, scope, criteria, level of assurance, project descriptions, and stakeholder interviews adherence to the CCB Project Design Standard as documented in our report entitled *Climate, Community, and Biodiversity Alliance Project Validation Report, Buffelsdraai Landfill Site Community Reforestation Project* dated 24 July 2014 are complete and concludes without any qualifications or limiting conditions that the *Buffelsdraai Landfill Site Community Reforestation Project* is without material discrepancy and that the validation activities provide a reasonable level of assurance. The *Buffelsdraai Landfill Site Community Reforestation Project* (dated 21 July 2014) meets the requirements of the Climate, Community and Biodiversity Project Design Standards (Second Edition – December 2008) and Gold Level for Exceptional Climate Change Adaptation Benefits and Community Benefits.

Attestation:

Lead Validator: Stewart McMorrow

Signature:

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Submitted to:

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