

# Certificate

**SURE-EU/DE-010/Z49642501**

By means of an audit on 07.12.2024, documented in a report

**GUT Zertifizierungsgesellschaft für Managementsysteme mbH**

**Umweltgutachter**

SURE-EU-Cert-DE-010

Eichenstraße 3b, 12435 Berlin, Germany

confirms to

**BALANCE Erneuerbare Energien GmbH - BGA Schöpstal**

SURE ID: 00304

Am Kalkwerk 5, 02829 Schöpstal, Germany

Geo-coordinates latitude: 51,216697°N; longitude: 14,946543°O

the compliance with the requirements of the certification system



**SURE-EU Certification Scheme**

for demonstrating compliance with the sustainability criteria under Directive (EU) 2018/2001 of the European Parliament and the Council based on SURE Scheme documentation valid at time of the audit.

**This certificate serves as proof of compliance with the requirements of Directive (EU) 2018/2001 for the following scope(s):**

1101	Group manager of agricultural biomass producers
1301	Group manager of producers of waste and residues
2101	First gathering point of agricultural biomass
2301	Collector of waste and residues
3401	Biogas plant (raw biogas, fermentation)
3403	Biomethane processing plant
4001	Supplier before the last interface
7001	Greenhouse gas calculation (standard values)

**Date of certification decision:** 23.01.2025

**This certificate is valid\* from:** 25.01.2025 to 24.01.2026.

Berlin, 23.01.2025

Place and Date

Prof. Dr.-Ing. Jan Uwe Lieback  
Director

Signature of certification body

The Certification Body is responsible for the accuracy of the certificate.

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# Annex to the certificate

Only valid in connection with the certificate!

**Certificate ID:** SURE-EU/DE-010/Z49642501  
**Issued on:** 23.01.2025  
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**Name of certificate holder:** BALANCE Erneuerbare Energien GmbH - BGA Schöpstal  
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## Sustainable biomass / biomass fuel used, processed or traded by the certified site

Type of biomass and/or biomass fuel <sup>1</sup>	Category <sup>2</sup>	Scope <sup>3</sup>	Type of GHG calculation <sup>4</sup>			
			DFV	AC	NUTS2	NONE
Corn silage, whole crop silage, wheat corn	AGRI	1101, 2101, 3401				X
Landscaping material	WaR	1301, 2301, 3401, 7001		X		
Biomethane	Biomethane	3403, 4001, 7001		X		X

<sup>1</sup> as checked and reported in the audit report, section "sustainable biomass data"

<sup>2</sup> please select biomass category:

- AGRI Agricultural biomass (for example: corn or other energy crops produced on farm land)
- AGRI WaR Agricultural waste and residues (for example: straw)
- BIOMETHANE Biomethane (for example: upgraded biogas from biomass fuels)
- FOREST Forest biomass (for example: roundwood)
- FOREST WaR Forest waste and residues (for example: Biomass fraction of wastes and residues from forestry like bark, branches, pre-commercial thinnings etc.)
- WaR Waste and Residues (for example: Biomass fraction of wastes and residues from forest-based industries like saw dust, cutter shavings, black liquor, nut shells, husks, bagasse, biomass fraction of industrial waste, biowaste, etc.)

<sup>3</sup> Applicable scope under which the sustainable biomass and / or biomass fuel was handled

<sup>4</sup> please select type of GHG option:

- DFV: Default values used
- AC: Actual values used based on calculation
- NUTS2: NUTS2 values applied
- NONE: no GHG emissions reported

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