



Book and Claim Community December Newsletter

Dear Book and Claim Stakeholder,

In this newsletter, we cover:

- “End of the Year” Secretariat Thoughts
- VIDEO: Watch the Nov 7 Community Webinar
- Capacity-building—Inventory inclusion “Pep-Talk”
- Holiday Sing-a-Long: 12 Days of Heavy Transport Decarbonization
- Community “Watch List”—what we’re following

Questions, please email us Secretariat@bookandclaimcommunity.org

Sincerely,
The Secretariat

End of Year Secretariat Thoughts:

Happy holidays!

We wanted to take a quick moment to thank you all for another great calendar year of work together. There can be little doubt that our collective effort is starting to pay off— it seemed “book and claim” was the phrase to beat this climate season as enthusiasm around the term and chain of custody model becomes commonplace in supply chain decarbonization conversations.

We are excited to continue our work, using the successes of certificate pilot purchases as a launching pad towards replicable, scalable models. Taking stock of 2024, we can see the growing momentum through the Principles and Best Practices publication, sharing the power of book and claim at multiple live sessions throughout the fall,



increasing collaboration across the registry landscape towards interoperability, and digging into the emerging road book and claim market. While this is progress, we acknowledge that much work remains in maximizing the book and claim opportunity in decarbonizing heavy transport.

We look forward to seeing the efforts of this entire Community continue to expand the impact of book and claim in 2025.

VIDEO: Watch the Nov 7 Community Webinar



It was great to see so many of you at our November 7th Community Webinar. We appreciated the opportunity to expand our Community, provide a market landscape update, share tactical examples of companies reporting book and claim certificates today, and clarify how the Book and Claim Community fits into the larger ecosystem.

If you missed the session, you can find the recording [HERE](#).

The Book and Claim Community will host its next public webinar in early 2025. We look forward to seeing you there. Any pressing questions or concerns? We still have room on our agenda—feel free to submit topic suggestions to Secretariat@bookandclaimcommunity.org

Capacity Building: Inventory "PEP-talk"!

This month's capacity-building is a pep-talk. We encourage you to get your hands dirty and learn, even at the end of this year! We know that book and claim unlocks difficult or impossible decarbonization in your transportation system—available for you to retire and include in this year's inventory or working towards using in your next year of operations.



We encourage you to get one step closer before the end of *this* reporting year. It's still possible.

You could partner with a carrier or initiate an internal leadership conversation. If you haven't had an introductory conversation with a registry, carrier, or fuel provider, we invite you to better understand how you use their book and claim tools to secure low emission transportation attributes.

When considering action today (or tomorrow), give yourself and any colleagues or managers a similar pep talk!

1. Yes, the future status of GHGp and SBTi are, *under construction*, and talking about twenty twenty-six sounds hard. However, we see great things coming from these processes and are optimistic! Meanwhile, if they see more quality activity, there is a greater chance they can develop quality rules.
2. We know that uptake of high-quality book and claim activities drive *real* decarbonization. Lower carbon intensity transport = fewer emissions... it's

science and math.

3. Reported booked and claimed activity is increasing! Book and claim inventory inclusion is increasing in other industries too—power sector continues to mature, and use in others like agriculture, steel, concrete are growing.

“There is already a practice of reporting on emissions from book and claim, and despite the lack of formal acknowledgement, it is already possible. All of these examples we’ve seen have undergone verification... showing that reporting on this is already possible.” ([LINK to VIDEO](#))

Stay in touch -- via this newsletter, or send us a note with questions or comments Secretariat@bookandclaimcommunity.org.

A Holiday Sing-a-Long: 12 Days of Heavy Transport Decarbonization



♪♪ “On the Twelfth Day of Thinking about Heavy Transport Decarbonization, the Book and Claim Community Told Me:” ♪♪

12% of global emissions come from heavy transport
“There are:”

11 Principles and Best Practices for Book and Claim

10 Governing Board Members

9 Low carbon maritime fuel pathways

8 Truck weight classifications

7 Launched SAF certificate registries¹

6 Key book and claim system stakeholders²

5 years ‘til twenty-thirtyyy

4(0) Operating SAF plants ³

3 Heavy transport sectors using book and claim

2 Buyers alliances

And a push for global EAC recognition and adoption!

¹ Avelia, RSB, ISCC, 4AIR Assure Registry, SAFc Registry, Fly-i, 123Carbon

² designer, registry operator, fuel and/or transport service provider, buyer, market intermediary, auditors

³<https://www2.smartfreightcentre.org/e/1042481/mpp-global-projects-map-/57fzg/477252670/h/4yk8rRRLPaW4jncLHxsgmMaN0isQcJhKrpQ9Q8nm5Zw>

COMMUNITY “Watch List”—what we’re following:

- COP29
 - Call to Action ([Maritime Hydrogen](#))
 - Summary, “[Climate finance, carbon markets and more: 4 key takeaways from COP29](#)”
- [Katalist](#) launched a maritime registry
- [ZEMBA webinar](#) (and eFuel announcement)
- Maritime Policy Position Paper on *additionality* in deep sea shipping - GMF/MMMC ([article link](#))
- Norden signs offtake agreement with Meta ([link](#))
- RSB Annual Meeting ([program link](#))
- GMA RFP ([December](#))
- Market Actions (GHGp) process Document Repository ([link](#))
- SAF Futures, MENA edition, Abu Dhabi Feb 10-12
- Smart Freight Week, SFC, March 18-20 ([link](#))

What else is on your radar? Send us a note: Secretariat@bookandclaimcommunity.org

THANKS!

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