

Thursday, 7 April 2022

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Re: Official Information Act Request – Carbon Neutral Accountability

Kia ora [REDACTED]

Thank you for your request for information under the Official Information Act 1982.

The Hauora Tairāwhiti response is as follows:

1. *Do you have a carbon neutral plan by 2025, and if so, what is the official wording of it?*

We have a series of priority actions.

2. *Do you have a carbon neutral team or committee? If so, how many are in this team, and are they trained/experts?*

We have a small team working on this led by our CFO. We are using external expertise for advice.

3. *How much carbon do you emit/how are your carbon emissions measured?*

2,740T Energy NZ assessment.

4. *If coal is still in use at your facilities, when do you plan to phase it out?*

N/A

5. *Have you transitioned to EVs and or/hybrids? Have you begun to downsize your fleet size?*

We are transitioning to EVs and Hybrids. We have also begun to downsize our fleet.

If you are not satisfied with this response you may contact the Office of the Ombudsmen, phone 0800 802 602.

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Ngā mihi

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