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File Ref: OIA 41899

Tēnā koe

Official Information Act request

Thank you for your information request dated 07 July 2020. Your request has been considered in accordance with the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act).

Your questions and my responses are as follows:

- *What was the agency's total greenhouse gas footprint in the most recent year in which records exist (if such records exist)? Please provide a breakdown of those emissions if they are available.*

Answer: Te Puni Kōkiri does not record its greenhouse gas footprint. Therefore we are unable to supply you with any data.

- *Does the agency have a policy of requiring employees and/or contractors to offset work-related emissions, eg domestic or international flights?*

Answer: There is no policy on requiring employees and/or contractors to offset their work-related emissions.

- *Does the agency have an emissions reduction plan, or emissions reduction targets, either in place or in development? If so, please provide details of the plan and/or targets."*

Answer: Te Puni Kōkiri plans to purchase at least 10 electric vehicles in the 2020/21 financial year which will result in reducing some of our CO2 emissions.

I trust this response satisfies your request.

You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman of this response. Information about how to make a complaint is available at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or freephone 0800 802 602.



Please note that Te Puni Kōkiri publishes some of its OIA responses on its website, after the response is sent to the requester. The responses published are those that are considered to have a high level of public interest. We will not publish your name, address or contact details.

If you wish to discuss any aspect of your request with us, including this decision, please feel free to contact Madeline Smith, Senior Ministerials Advisor, Ministerials and Business Support via smitm@tpk.govt.nz.

Ngā mihi

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Fiona McBeath
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