Directors' report (continued)

Streamlined energy and carbon reporting (SECR)

As it falls within the definition of a large unquoted company, the group's surface freight subsidiary Davies Turner & Co. Ltd is required to provide an annual SECR report covering mandatory data. However, the Annual Energy Efficiency Statement covers actions taken across the whole group.

Registered number: 4402085

SECR Data and Intensi	ty Ratio Performance	2020/2021	2019/2020
kWh Energy	Electricity	3,121,323	2,875,091
Consumed	Natural Gas	1,085,691	1,276,417
	Transport	7,357,531	7,964,861
	Other combustible fuel	779,415	781,328
	Total	12,343,960	12,897,697
tCO2e Emitted	Scope 1 Direct emissions: e.g. from combustion of gas and fuel for transport use	2,144	2,279
	Scope 2 Indirect emissions: e.g. from purchased electricity	728	735
	Scope 3 Other indirect consequences i.e. not owned or controlled by the Company and not falling within Scope 2	-	-
	Scope 1 + 2	2,872	3,014
Intensity Ratio tCO2e/£million turnover		19.96	22.10

tCO2e is tonnes of carbon dioxide equivalent.

The scope of emissions included in this report include electricity, burning oil (28-sec kerosene), LPG, natural gas, direct diesel and direct petrol. No mandatory emissions were excluded.

This report is aligned with the Greenhouse Gas (GHG) Protocol methodology. The GHG Protocol establishes comprehensive global standardised frameworks to measure and manage GHG emissions from private and public sector operations, value chains and mitigation actions. The framework has been in use since 2001, and forms a recognised structured format to calculate a carbon footprint.

The emissions factors applied are in accordance with DEFRA 2020.

Annual Energy Efficiency Statement

In the year to 31 March 2021, in line with identified key business performance indicators, the group has continued with its programme of energy efficiency measures across its branch sites designed to reduce energy consumption and improve energy efficiency.

Monthly monitoring and targeting is used to report on these key performance indicators within regular health, safety, environment, property and energy management meetings.