

KENT HOLDCO LTD

DIRECTORS' REPORT (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2021

GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS, ENERGY CONSUMPTION AND ENERGY EFFICIENCY ACTION

The Companies (Directors' Report) and Limited Liability Partnership (Energy and Carbon) Regulations 2018, implements the government's policy on Streamlined Energy and Carbon Reporting (SECR).

Under these regulations, Kent Holdco Ltd is required to disclose their UK energy use, associated greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions and related information. This report covers the financial year to 31 March 2021.

The required intensity ratios selected for reporting are; 'emissions per full time employee' and 'emissions per £1 million of turnover'. In the Company's view these are judged to be the most appropriate measures by which to demonstrate energy efficiency and emission reduction over time.

Energy Efficiency Action

We recognise that our business activities have environmental risks associated with them and that we have an obligation to manage these in a responsible manner.

In May 2019, Kent County Council declared a 'Climate Emergency', recognising the need for urgent action to address the climate crisis. Over the last year, Kent Holdco group of companies has been closely working with the Council to identify opportunities for the reduction of emissions.

Calculation Methodology

To ensure we achieve the transparency required and deliver effective emissions management, we have implemented and utilised robust and accepted methods when calculating our disclosures.

Whilst the Regulations provide no prescribed methodology, energy use and associated GHG data was collected and assessed in accordance with the Government's 'Environmental Reporting Guidelines: Including Streamlined Energy and Carbon Reporting Guidance' and the 2019 version of 'Greenhouse Gas Reporting: Conversion Factors'. The following data relates to the Kent Holdco group of companies.

Energy consumption	2021	2020
Total energy consumed (k Wh)	1,702,171	1,636,091
Greenhouse gas emissions		
Scope 1		
Emissions from combustion of gas (kgCO ₂ e)	447,306	486,024
Emissions from combustion of fuel for transport (kgCO ₂ e)	-	-
Scope 2		
Emissions from purchased electricity (kgCO ₂ e)	244,721	302,553
Scope 3		
Emissions from business travel only (kgCO ₂ e)	38,287	138,221
Gross emissions	730,314	926,797
Intensity ratio		
Total kgCO ₂ e per £1m of revenue	5,979	7,933
Emissions per full time employee	433	580