



Standing Committee on Planning, Transport and City Services

Inquiry into Annual and Financial Reports 2022-2023 **ANSWER TO QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE**

Asked by Ms Jo Clay MLA on 20 November 2023: Mr Chris Steel MLA took on notice the following question(s):

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In relation to: Reporting against Climate Change Strategy

THE CHAIR: There is the TCCS Strategic Plan 2021-2024—not the annual report, it is a separate plan—that one had a measure in there to undertake six monthly reporting against the ACT climate change strategy and performance data in the TCCS annual report. Has that reporting been occurring?

Mr Steel: We will have to take that on notice, I think.

THE CHAIR: Yes, take it on notice. Thank you, minister. Ms Orr?

Mr Chris Steel MLA: The answer to the Member's question is as follows: –

The relevant goal and measure under the Strategic Plan was set to align with whole of government internal reporting against the ACT Climate Change Strategy to the Chief Minister, Treasury and Economic Development Directorate (CMTEDD). This information is publicly reported annually through the Annual Report under the *Climate Change and Greenhouse Gas Reduction Act 2010*, which is publicly available.

TCCS continues to meet its reporting obligations under the Ecological and Sustainable Development section of the Annual Report, and also provides information for the Office of the Commissioner for Sustainability and the Environment Annual Report and the Annual Report under the *Climate Change and Greenhouse Gas Reduction Act 2010*.

Approved for circulation to the Standing Committee on Planning, Transport and City Services

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By the Minister for Transport and City Services, Mr Chris Steel MLA