PUBLIC DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

DAIKIN AUSTRALIA PTY LTD
DEALER CONVENTION
25TH AUGUST – 2ND SEPTEMBER 2023

POST-EVENT REPORT

Australian Government

Climate Active
Public Disclosure Statement

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RESPONSIBLE ENTITY NAME	Daikin Australia Pty. Limited
NAME OF EVENT	Dealer Convention CY2023
EVENT DATE(S)	25 August – 2 September 2023
DECLARATION	*To the best of my knowledge, the information provided in this public disclosure statement is true and correct and meets the requirements of the Climate Active Carbon Neutral Standard.* Kathryn Joseph Director 8 May 2024

Australian Government
Department of Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water

Version: August 2023

1.CERTIFICATION SUMMARY

TOTAL EMISSIONS OFFSET	796 tCO_2-e
OFFSETS USED	100% VCUs
RENEWABLE ELECTRICITY	N/A
CARBON ACCOUNT	Prepared by: Pangolin Associates
TECHNICAL ASSESSMENT	7th August 2023 Pangolin Associates Next technical assessment due: N/A
THIRD PARTY VALIDATION	Type 1 21st December 2023 GPP Audit Pty Ltd

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2. CARBON NEUTRAL INFORMATION

Description of certification

The Climate Active event calculator was used to prepare this carbon inventory, which is based on the *Climate Active Carbon Neutral Standard for Events*.

Activity data collected from previous occurrences of this event has informed the preparation of this carbon inventory.

- Event name – Daikin Dealer Convention 2023
- Event date(s) – 25 August – 2 September 2023
- Event location(s) – A number of locations in New Zealand:
    - The Lodge at Kauri Cliffs – Northland 0478
    - Huka Lodge – Taupo 3377
    - The Farm at Cape Kidnappers – Hawke's Bay 4180
    - Matakauri Lodge – Queenstown 9348
    - Blanket Bay – Glenorchy 9372
    - Sofitel Queenstown – Queenstown
    - Auckland
- Attendees – 364

Event description

Daikin Dealer Convention is an event held annually at a different location throughout the world, in the past they have travelled to:

- 2018 – New York
- 2019 – Stockholm & St Petersburg
- 2020 & 2021 – Cancelled
- 2022 – Hayman Island & Sydney

It is a prestigious reward within the Daikin network, sales targets need to be achieved to be eligible to attend, this event is a thank you and acts as an incentive trip. Each dealership (if qualified to attend) can bring a partner and or other family members to enjoy this experience. There is no conference element to this event and is purely a leisure trip where people can relax, sightsee, join activities, and attend group dinners and network with fellow Dealers in the industry. This is a celebration event.

Due to the size of the program, this trip is split into two groups, one group will arrive in New Zealand and stay at a 5* luxury lodge for three nights, they will then travel to Auckland where the second group will join. This will be the main hub of the event and where all Dealers come together to celebrate with a Welcome Dinner & Gala Dinner. Following a two night stay the Dealers from group 1 will head home and the Dealers for group 2 will head to the lodges for three nights as per the first group.

An overview of the event can be found below:

Group One

	Friday 25 August	Saturday 26 August	Sunday 27 August	Monday 28 August	Tuesday 29 August	Wednesday 30 August
BREAKFAST		Lodge Breakfast	Lodge Breakfast	Lodge Breakfast	Hotel Breakfast	Hotel Breakfast
MORNING & AFTERNOON	**Group 1 Dealers depart home port and arrive at Luxury Lodges**	Lodge Activities	Lodge Activities	**Group 1 Dealers depart Luxury Lodges** **All Dealers arrive Auckland**	Auckland Activities	**Group 1 Dealers depart for home**
EVENING	Fine Dining Lodge Experience**	Fine Dining Lodge Experience**	Fine Dining Lodge Experience**	Welcome Function Auckland	Gala Awards Dinner Auckland	
OVERNIGHT	Lodge	Lodge	Lodge	Auckland	Auckland	

Group Two

	Monday 28 August	Tuesday 29 August	Wednesday 30 August	Thursday 31 August	Friday 1 September	Saturday 2 September
BREAKFAST		Hotel Breakfast	Hotel Breakfast	Lodge Breakfast	Lodge Breakfast	Lodge Breakfast
MORNING & AFTERNOON	**Group 2 Dealers depart home port and arrive in Auckland** **All Dealers arrive Auckland**	Auckland Activities	**Group 2 Dealers depart for Luxury Lodges**	Lodge Activities	Lodge Activities	**Group 2 Dealers depart for home**
EVENING	Welcome Function Auckland	Gala Awards Dinner Auckland	Fine Dining Lodge Experience**	Fine Dining Lodge Experience**	Fine Dining Lodge Experience**	
OVERNIGHT	Auckland	Auckland	Lodge	Lodge	Lodge	

A range of activities will be provided for the group to take part at leisure (these are not mandatory), such activities will include:

- Waiheke Island tours
- Skywalk
- All Blacks tour
- Golf
- Fishing
- Walks
- Jet Boating

Evenings will be spend dining in the lodge restaurant during this stage and the two evenings in Auckland are planned group dinners, one of which a 3hr cocktail function and the other a seated gala awards dinner to recogise the high achievers.

Veritas Events have been managing this program since 2018 on behalf of Daikin Australia. Veritas Events are a full service event management company based in Australia that is a subsidy of BI Worldwide.

The following components are to be covered in the Carbon Neutral certification:

- Flights
- Accommodation
- Evening functions (Food & beverage)
- Gifts
- Transfers

3.EMISSIONS BOUNDARY

Inside the emissions boundary

All emission sources listed in the emissions boundary are part of the carbon neutral claim.

Quantified emissions have been assessed as relevant and are quantified in the carbon inventory. This may include emissions that are not identified as arising due to the operations of the event, however are **optionally included**.

Non-quantified emissions have been assessed as relevant and are captured within the emissions boundary, but are not measured (quantified) in the carbon inventory. All material emissions are accounted for through an uplift factor. Further detail is available at Appendix C.

Outside the emissions boundary

Excluded emissions are those that have been assessed as not relevant to the event's operations and are outside of its emissions boundary or are outside of the scope of the certification. These emissions are not part of the carbon neutral claim. Further detail is available at Appendix D.

Inside emissions boundary

Quantified

Electricity

Attendee travel

Food & drink

Accommodation

Products

Non-quantified

N/A

Outside emission boundary

Excluded

N/A

Data collection – changes since the pre-event report

Emission source	Data collection method	Assumptions / conservative approach taken
Attendee travel	Meeting and email correspondence between Daikin and Pangolin Associates. Daikin was able to provide assumptions based on estimated origin destination of attendees prior to the event. Post-event we had more accurate data in the form of a flight summary.	• Commute to and from airport: assumption that all attendees are 20km from their closest airport and all delegates and their partners carpool together • Internal travels: assumptions where made on what vehicles where used for internal travel including capacity of vehicles.
Attendee accommodation	Meeting and email correspondence between Daikin and Pangolin Associates. Daikin was able to provide an assumption on how many people will be attending, with assumed ticket sales. Post-event we had actual nights spent in each hotel.	
Food and drinks	Meeting and email correspondence between Daikin and Pangolin Associates. Daikin was able to provide an assumption on how many people will be attending, with the assumed ticket sales. Post-event actual number of attendees was used to calculate emissions associated with food.	Climate Active event calculator was used to calculate the emissions associated with food and drinks.
Electricity	Meeting and email correspondence between Daikin and Pangolin Associates. Daikin was able to provide event duration, activities and location. Electricity for post-event was the same as the pre-event as Daikin was unable to provide any more data.	Room size was assumed to be 246 m2 by using a conference size calculator with the assumption that it is a banquet style seating, additionally, to calculate the electricity usage for the conference it is assumed that the room is used for 12 hours each day

4. EMISSIONS REDUCTIONS

Emissions reduction measures

Daikin aims to reduce emissions associated with their events by:

- Using sustainably sourced materials where possible
- Reducing and removing print and packaging across the event where possible
- Procuring venues with responsible treatment of waste options (e.g. minimising food waste).
- Securing multi-venue sites that are near in proximity to limit ground transport emissions
- Limiting flight paths to the most direct route
- Securing 5-star accommodation with strong sustainability credentials

5.EMISSIONS SUMMARY

Significant changes in emissions – pre-event vs post-event

Emission source name	Pre-event emissions (t CO_2-e)	Post-event emissions (t CO_2-e)	Detailed reason for change
Short business class flights (>400km, ≤3,700km)	170.98	693.39	Pre-event was all assumptions, it was vastly unknown how many people would fly business and how many legs they would need to fly. Post event has actual data that shows all legs and how class travel

Use of Climate Active carbon neutral products and services

N/A

Emissions summary

Emission category	Pre-event emissions totals (tCO_2-e)	Sum of scope 1 (tCO_2-e)	Sum of scope 2 (tCO_2-e)	Sum of scope 3 (tCO_2-e)	Sum of total emissions (t CO_2-e)
Accommodation and facilities	7.91	0.00	0.00	9.07	9.07
Electricity	5.31	0.00	5.30	0.00	5.30
Food	8.44	0.00	0.00	7.17	7.17
Products	22.81	0.00	0.00	22.32	22.32
Transport (air)	189.62	0.00	0.00	749.37	749.37
Transport (land and sea)	0.02	1.50	0.00	0.38	1.88
NZ Transport (Land and Sea)	0.03	0.00	0.00	0.56	0.56
Total emissions	**234.13**	**1.50**	**5.30**	**788.87**	**795.66**
Difference between pre-event and post-event emissions	561.53 tCO_2-e				

Uplift factors

N/A

6. CARBON OFFSETS

Eligible offsets retirement summary

The total emission to offset for this certification is 796 t CO_2-e. The total number of eligible offsets used in this report is 796. Of the total eligible offsets used, 235 were previously banked and 561 were newly purchased and retired. 0 are remaining and have been banked for future use.

Offsets retired for Climate Active Carbon Neutral Certification											
Project description	**Type of offset units**	**Registry**	**Date retired**	**Serial number (and hyperlink to registry transaction record)**	**Vintage**	**Stapled quantity**	**Eligible quantity retired (tCO_2-e)**	**Eligible quantity used for previous reporting periods**	**Eligible quantity banked for future reporting periods**	**Eligible quantity used for this reporting period**	**Percentage of total (%)**
KRISSANA WIND POWER IN THAILAND	VCU	Verra	3/7/2023	14612-612725043-612725277-VCS-VCU-1491-VER-TH-1-1999-01012021-31122021-0	2021	0	235	0	0	235	30%
Allain Duhangan Hydroelectric Project (ADHP)	VCU	Verra	15/1/2024	9566-108987031-108987591-VCS-VCU-997-VER-IN-1-2026-01012018-31122018-0	2018	0	561	0	0	561	70%
									Total offsets retired this report and used in this report	796	
									Total offsets retired this report and banked for future reports	0	

Type of offset units	Eligible quantity (used for this reporting period)	Percentage of total
Verified Carbon Units (VCUs)	796	100%

Co-benefits

KRISSANA WIND POWER IN THAILAND and TROPICAL WIND IN THAILAND

Social wellbeing: The project helps in generating employment opportunities during the construction and operation phases. The project activity leads to development in infrastructure in the region like development of roads and also may promote locals business with improved power generation.

Economic wellbeing: The project is a clean technology investment in the region, which would not have been taken place in the absence of the VCS benefits. The project activity will also help to reduce the demand supply gap in Thailand.

7. RENEWABLE ENERGY CERTIFICATE (REC) SUMMARY

Renewable Energy Certificate (REC) summary

N/A

APPENDIX A: ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

N/A

APPENDIX B: ELECTRICITY SUMMARY

Due to this event being overseas, Climate Active Electricity Calculator was not used, therefore the following tables have not been completed.

APPENDIX C: INSIDE EMISSIONS BOUNDARY

Non-quantified emission sources

The following emissions sources have been assessed as relevant, are captured within the emissions boundary, but are not measured (quantified) in the carbon inventory. These emissions are accounted for through an uplift factor. They have been non-quantified due to one of the following reasons:

1. **Immaterial** <1% for individual items and no more than 5% collectively
2. **Cost effective** Quantification is not cost effective relative to the size of the emission but uplift applied.

Relevant non-quantified emission sources	Justification reason
N/A	

APPENDIX D: OUTSIDE EMISSIONS BOUNDARY

Excluded emission sources

Those which only meet one condition of the relevance test can be excluded from the certification boundary.

Emissions tested for relevance are detailed below against each of the following criteria:

1. **Size** The emissions from a particular source are likely to be large relative to the event's electricity.
2. **Influence** The responsible entity has the potential to influence the reduction of emissions from a particular source.
3. **Risk** The emissions from a particular source contribute to the event's greenhouse gas risk exposure.
4. **Stakeholders** The emissions from a particular source are deemed relevant by key stakeholders.
5. **Outsourcing** The emissions are from outsourced activities that were previously undertaken within the event's boundary or from outsourced activities that are typically undertaken within the boundary for comparable events.

Excluded emissions sources summary

Emission sources tested for relevance	Size	Influence	Risk	Stakeholders	Outsourcing	Justification
N/A						

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