

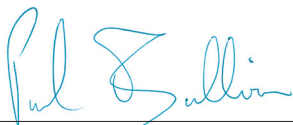
# Optus Energy Policy

Optus is committed to best practice for energy efficient consumption, in providing telecommunications and ICT services.

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## To achieve this Vision, Optus is committed to:

- ✓ Establish and maintain systematic procedures and clear responsibilities for monitoring and targeting energy efficiency with a planned approach to the overall improvement of energy management;
  - ✓ Continual development of control mechanisms, ensuring that the correct operating and maintenance procedures of all plant and equipment focus on increased energy efficient consumption and reduction of CO<sub>2</sub> equivalent emissions;
  - ✓ Develop staff awareness and provide training that emphasises the benefits of energy efficiency and where practicable develop staff incentive schemes to encourage active staff involvement;
  - ✓ Provide this policy to our suppliers of goods and ensure that energy efficiency is a measurable and controllable consideration in the selection process;
  - ✓ Developing cost-effective energy efficiency projects in our services and supporting infrastructure. Where appropriate, energy efficiency measures will be incorporated in new services, buildings and when property is being refurbished or renovated;
  - ✓ Purchasing equipment based on whole of life (capital and operating) costs which includes energy efficiency measures;
  - ✓ Incorporating into business measures a stretch target of improving our energy efficiency by 20% from base year 2008, by 2015;
  - ✓ Publicly report annually in the Optus Sustainability Report on the extent of our energy consumption and translate these data to greenhouse gas emissions.
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Paul O'Sullivan, CEO, SingTel Optus Pty Ltd

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