

GREATER LONDON AUTHORITY

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(By email)

Our ref: MGLA240719-8466

Date: 12 August 2019

Dear [REDACTED],

Thank you for your request for information which the GLA received on 24 July 2019. Your request has been dealt with under the Environmental Information Regulations (EIR) 2004.

You asked for;

The Mayor declared a climate emergency in London after a series of scientific reports warned of the scale of the global ecological problem.

- 1. Will this lead to a concrete plan for mitigation actions?*
- 2. If yes, then who is involved and what is the timescale for draft and complete plan?*
- 3. If no, then what is the exact purpose of the 'declaration'?*

Our response to your request is as follows:

The declaration of climate emergency was supported by the launch of the Mayor's 1.5C Compatible Climate Action plan where the Mayor has set some of the most ambitious plans to tackle climate change in the world.

The 1.5C compatibility plan is based on independent analysis and is compliant with the highest ambition of the Paris Agreement. The role in delivering the actions of the Mayor and others are outlined in detail in our plan.

Further information can be found following this link: <https://www.london.gov.uk/what-we-do/environment/climate-change/climate-action-plan>

If you have any further questions relating to this matter, please contact me, quoting the reference at the top of this letter.

Yours sincerely

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Senior Policy and Programme Officer

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<https://www.london.gov.uk/about-us/governance-and-spending/sharing-our-information/freedom-information>