

## **Board Meeting in Public Tuesday, 30 September 2025**

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<b>Executive Summary</b>				
This paper is to advise the Board that there have been no significant changes to NHSBT's compliance obligations or environmental risks. However, a minor change is recommended to the employee training requirements, as highlighted in Purple within the attached draft document.  It is anticipated that on approval of the Net Zero 2040 Strategic Plan, that further changes will be needed to reference the strategy, therefore, any changes will be completed at that time.				
Previously Considered by				
NHSBT Board in September 2024, upon creation of BLP6/1.				
Recommendation	It is recommended that:  1. The Board review BLP6/1 and accept the minor revision recommendation on employee training.			
Risk(s) identified (Link to Board Assurance Framework Risks)				
BLP6/1 processes link to several of our BAF risks, particularly the risk to our reputation with external stakeholders, donors and staff if we fail to have a credible approach to contributing to the government's commitment to Net Zero. Specifically, there could be an indirect risk to the following risks:  • P04 – Donor numbers / diversity  • P07 – Staff capacity and capability				
Strategic Objective(s) this paper relates to: [Click on all that apply]				
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