



I'd like to make a freedom of information request on behalf of a client for the below information.

Please could you respond to the questions below by way of reply to me, before Friday 7th March 2025. Please feel free to either highlight your answers from the options provided, or to provide written answers.

1. What percentage of your current suppliers possess B Corp certification, ESGmark or a similar certification or award that recognises a commitment to ESG or sustainability-focused initiatives? *[None / 0-10% / 11-20% / 21-30% / 31-40% / 41-50% / 51-60% / 61-70% / 71-80% / 81-90 / 91-100%]* 0-10%
2. Is B Corp certification (or similar) a requirement / consideration for suppliers as part of your current tender process? *[Yes / No]* No
3. Are you considering adding B Corp certification (or similar) as a requirement / consideration for suppliers as part of your tender process in the future? *[Yes / No]* No
4. If so, within what timeframe? *[In the next month / In the next 3 months / In the next 6 months / In the next 12 months]* Not applicable.
5. On a scale of 1 to 10, how confident would you feel about knowing how to prioritise B-Corp companies (or similar) in your tender process? *[1 being extremely unconfident and 10 being very confident]* 1
6. Do you feel you would benefit from guidance as to how to prioritise B-Corp companies (or similar) in your tender process? *[No, we wouldn't benefit / Yes, we would somewhat benefit / Yes, we would significantly benefit]* Yes. This would be of benefit.
Please share guidance with
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