2015 CARBON NEUTRAL ACTION REPORT - SMALL EMITTERS FORM

DUE: May 31, 2016

This form is for the use of BC Public Sector Organizations whose GHG emissions were less than 600 tonnes CO_2e during the previous reporting year. Please fill in the required information below:

Organization Name:

Contact name:

Partnerships British Columbia Inc.

David Riecken

GHG Emissions and Offsets for 2015 (TCO2E)						
GHG Emissions created in Calendar Year 2015 (from SMARTTool Homepage):						
Total Emissions (tCO ₂ e)	4 tonnes					
Total Offsets (tCO ₂ e)	4 tonnes					
Adjustments to GHG Emissions Reported in Total Emissions (tCO ₂ e)	Prior Years (from SMARTTool Homepage):					
Total Offsets (tCO ₂ e)	0					
Grand Total Offsets for the 2015 Reporting Y (This is the total emissions that must be offset for Repo						
Grand Total Offsets (tCO ₂ e)	4 tonnes					

To enable comparisons with all B.C. public sector organizations, please provide the following data for your organization:

- 1. How many Full Time Equivalent (FTE) employees were part of your organization as of Dec 31, 2015? ____28.9____
- Crowns & Health Authorities only: What was the total amount of floorspace (m²) in your organization (including occupied and unoccupied space, owned or leased) as of Dec 31, 2015:
 _____1,141____ (m²)
- 3. What was the primary use of that space (office, education, warehousing, health services, lodging, arts and recreation, other)? ______
- 4. How many motor vehicles did your organization own or lease as of Dec 31, 2015? ____0____

List the top three actions taken by your organization in 2015 to reduce GHG emissions and/or improve sustainability:

Action

1. Reduced GHG emissions as a result of moving the Vancouver office to smaller premises in the Evergreen building.

2. Continued to use recycled paper for printers and copiers.

3. Continued to reduce travel costs by conducting meetings via video-conference whenever possible.

Describe plans your organization has for continuing to minimize your GHG emissions:

Partnerships British Columbia plans to continue with the actions it is currently undertaking to minimize its GHG emissions.

Describe any actions your organization took during 2015 to strengthen its ability to manage the likely effects of climate change in the coming years and decades (e.g., have assessed whether increased frequency of extreme weather events and/or long term changes in climate will affect your organization's infrastructure, its employees and/or its clients.)

Partnerships British Columbia considered implementing a policy of telecommuting to allow employees to work from home to reduce travel costs.

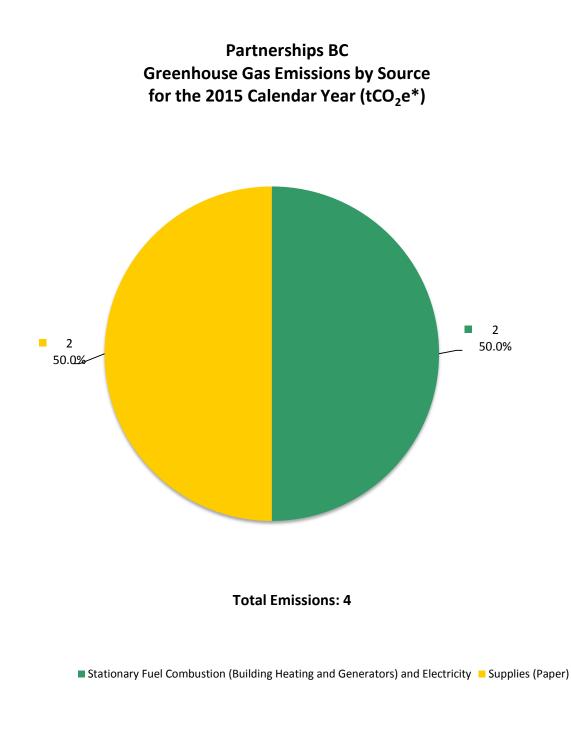
Retirement of Offsets:

In accordance with the requirements of the Greenhouse Gas Reduction Targets Act and Carbon Neutral Government Regulation, Partnerships British Columbia Inc. (the Organization) is responsible for arranging for the retirement of the offsets obligation reported above for the 2015 calendar year, together with any adjustments reported for past calendar years. The Organization hereby agrees that, in exchange for the Ministry of Environment ensuring that these offsets are retired on the Organization's behalf, the Organization will pay the associated invoice to be issued by the Ministry in an amount equal to \$25 per tonne of offsets retired on its behalf plus GST.

Executive Sign-off

Name: (print)	Chan-Seng Lee	Title:	VP, Finance and Administration
Signature:	Changtongla	Date: -	May 31, 2016

Please scan and email the completed form to climateactionsecretariat@gov.bc.ca



Offsets Applied to Become Carbon Neutral in 2015 (Generated May 25, 2016 8:50 AM)

Total offsets required: 4. Total offset investment: \$100. Emissions which do not require offsets: 0 **

*Tonnes of carbon dioxide equivalent (tCO_2e) is a standard unit of measure in which all types of greenhouse gases are expressed based on their global warming potential relative to carbon dioxide.

** Under the *Carbon Neutral Government Regulation* of the *Greenhouse Gas Reduction Targets Act,* all emissions from the sources listed above must be reported. As outlined in the regulation, some emissions do not require offsets.