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WSI MAINTAINS OUR CLIMATE POSITIVE COMMITMENT

WSI's ongoing commitment to the environment has been sustained by remaining "carbon negative" in 2021.

"Carbon negative" means that WSI goes beyond achieving net-zero carbon emissions by actually removing from the atmosphere more carbon dioxide than we create.

Following our initial purchase of carbon credits in 2020, WSI once again has purchased from Carbon Footprint Ltd offsets equal to more than four times WSI's estimated carbon production. So for every tonne of carbon WSI's activities produce our offset programme removes over four tonnes of carbon.

The offsets WSI purchased are used to support high quality international carbon reduction projects, mostly in developing countries, that are independently certified as reducing carbon emissions and contributing to a healthy environment.

When WSI was founded in 2009 our application to the Department of Agriculture included processes to achieve, as much as possible, a paperless digital office. In 2020 WSI changed its electricity supplier to one that uses 100% renewable/green energy such as wind and solar, and we recently renewed that decision. Our ongoing commitment to being a carbon negative/ climate positive organisation takes WSI further down the path of corporate responsibility.

IRISH WARBLOODS IN THE NEWS SERVE. PROTECT. RESPECT.

Ballinamurra Emperor (Condios x Ekstein) is a newly-qualified member of the Mounted Section of the Avon and Somerset Police in the UK. Following police tradition, the Irish Warmblood gelding was re-named by Chief Constable Andy Marsh. The eight-year old bay, now known as PH Worlebury (with PH being the abbreviation for Police Horse), had his name chosen by Police

Constable (PC) Helen Watkins, who lives in Worlebury and is one of the force's most experienced riders.

PH Worlebury is in expert hands since his selection in May 2020. Currently the horse and an officer patrol all areas of Avon and Somerset, helping to educate and explain COVID-19 restrictions in the parks and on the beaches, areas that are harder to reach by other police units.

According to the an article in the Weston Mercury newspaper, "While PH Worlebury has the demeanour of a sporty horse and a physique built for eventing, he has shown a very laid back temperament since joining the team – perfect for training to be a police horse."

Ballinamurra Emperor was bred in County Clare by Claire Wood. "I have two directions in my breeding programme, showjumping and eventing," Claire explains. "But I find horses choose their own paths and I'm happy that Ballinamurra Emperor has found his own unique role." Before he left Ireland, Ballinamurra Emperor competed in showjumping. A full-brother, Ballinamurra Galaxy, recently was acquired by an Irish Olympic rider.

WSI sends best wishes to PH Worlebury and the Avon and Somerset Police as they serve, protect, and respect the citizens of Avon and Somerset.

