



25 OCT 2022

Ref: PMO 2022

Tēnā koe

**Official Information Act request for correspondence with World Economic Forum contacts and various other individuals.**

I refer to your five Official Information Act 1982 (the Act) requests, received on 22 February 2022. You requested:

Request 1: *I am writing to formally request under the Official Information Act, dated copies of all contact and correspondence (written and oral) between Jacinda Ardern and the following individuals. I request copies of any correspondence whether it be in the form of gifts, letters, notes, cards, faxes, emails, and/or transcriptions of any conversations that have occurred.*

- Klaus Schwab
- Al gore
- Board of Trustees - World Economic Forum
- Christine Lagarde
- Board of Trustees - World Economic Forum
- President, European Central Bank
- Børge Brende
- President of the World Economic Forum
- Julien Gattonio Managing Director, CFO & Head of Technology and Operations - World Economic Forum
- Gim Huay Neo Managing Director, Centre for Nature and Climate - World Economic Forum
- Olivier M. Schwab Managing Director - World Economic Forum.

Request 2: *.... any official documents that have been (a) written by or (b) contributed to or (c) made available to the Prime Minister regarding the subject of "The Great Reset" as proposed by the World Economic Forum.*

Request 3: *... any and all copies of documents and transcriptions of conversations pertaining to the subject of "economic reset" or conversations otherwise operating under the banner of "The Great Reset" as proposed by Klaus Schwab*

Request 4: *... any and all copies of documents and transcriptions of conversations pertaining to COVID-19 with employees or directors of the World Economic Forum group.*

Request 5: (a) *whether or not the Prime Minister has received a copy of the book "COVID 19 The Great Reset" by Klaus Schwab.*  
(b) *The Prime Ministers official position on the comments Klaus Schwab makes in regards to the New Zealand taxpayers where he states that they will "own nothing and be happy."*

(c) *The Prime Ministers interpretation of the above comment.*

After extending the time limits for responding to your request to allow time for consultations needed to make a decision on your requests, we responded to you on 20 April 2022 refusing your requests under section 18(h) of the Act. I apologise to you for the delay of three working days in sending you the notification of the extension.

Your requests have been reassessed and I have now decided to release to you the correspondence identified as relevant to your request.

Please find **attached** a copy of all the correspondence identified as relevant to your request. A table setting out the date and each piece of correspondence has been provided as part of the release. We have decided to release the relevant parts of the documents, subject to information being withheld under one or more of the following sections of the Act, as applicable:

- section 9(2)(a), to protect the privacy of individuals;
- section 9(2)(g)(i), to maintain the effective conduct of public affairs through the free and frank expression of opinion;

You have the right to ask the Ombudsman to investigate and review my decision under section 28(3) of the Act.

Ngā mihi nui,



Raj Nahna  
**Chief of Staff**

**TABLE OF RELEVANT DOCUMENTS**

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27 October 2017	Invitation to 48 <sup>th</sup> World Economic Forum
20 December 2017	Response to invitation to 48 <sup>th</sup> World Economic Forum
23 March 2018	Invitation to 49 <sup>th</sup> World Economic Forum
5 June 2018	Response to invitation to 49 <sup>th</sup> World Economic Forum
5 October 2018	Confirmation of participation at 49 <sup>th</sup> World Economic Forum
3 April 2019	Invitation to World Economic Forum Annual Meeting
29 January 2020	Invitation to Global Technology Governance Summit
18 February 2020	Response to invitation to Global Technology Governance Summit
19 November 2020	Invitation to deliver State of the World Address
23 November 2020	Correspondence relating to the gift of a copy of Klaus Schwab's book "COVID-19: The Great Reset".
24 November 2020	Correspondence thanking Mr Schwab for a copy of the book "COVID-19: The Great Reset".
3 February 2021	Correspondence relating to the gift of a copy of Klaus Schwab's book "Stakeholder Capitalism"
10 February 2021	Correspondence thanking Mr Schwab for a copy of the book "Stakeholder Capitalism."
25 February 2021	Update on World Economic Forum Special Annual Meeting 2021
30 April 2021	Invitation to speak at World Economic Forum and Friends of Ocean Action Virtual Ocean Dialogues 2021
25 August 2021	Invitation to World Economic Forum Annual Meeting 2022
<b>Al Gore</b>	
15 December 2017	Correspondence following the Climate Reality Project's <i>24 Hours of Reality: Be the Voice of Reality</i> global broadcast.
21 June 2018	Congratulations correspondence from Al Gore for birth of Prime Minister's daughter.
17 July 2018	Correspondence thanking Al Gore for his congratulations.
<b>Christine Lagarde, International Monetary Fund</b>	
28 June 2018	Congratulations correspondence from Christine Lagarde for birth of Prime Minister's daughter.
10 July 2018	Correspondence thanking Christine Lagarde for his congratulations.

Professor Klaus Schwab  
Founder and Executive Chairman

H.E. Ms Jacinda Ardern  
Prime Minister  
New Zealand Government  
Wellington  
New Zealand

27 October 2017  
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Dear Prime Minister,

I would like to warmly congratulate you on your appointment as Prime Minister of New Zealand and wish you great success with your inclusive vision for the country.

In this context, I am pleased to invite you to the 48th World Economic Forum Annual Meeting, which will take place in Davos-Klosters, Switzerland, from 23-26 January, under the theme Creating a Shared Future in a Fractured World. The theme reflects the concerns of global leaders confronting multiple challenges, and reflects their willingness to cooperate on finding pragmatic solutions.

Interest in participating in the Annual Meeting is stronger than ever, with 3,000 influential leaders joining us in Davos. The meeting serves as an opportunity at the beginning of the year to shape the global agenda through an integrated and multistakeholder approach.

As a leader who has pioneered inclusive thinking, new approaches to indigenous equality, and the stewardship of natural resources, we look forward to deepening our partnership with you and with New Zealand, and to exploring how we can raise the profile and interest at Davos around these issues.

The Forum will work closely with your office to build a personalized agenda that has the greatest value for you. I very much look forward to welcoming you in Davos.

Yours sincerely,



# Prime Minister



MP for Mt Albert

Minister for Arts, Culture & Heritage

Minister for National Security & Intelligence

Minister for Child Poverty Reduction

20 DEC 2017

Professor Klaus Schwab  
Founder and Executive Chairman  
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**SWITZERLAND**

Dear Professor Schwab

Thank you for your warm letter of congratulations regarding my appointment as Prime Minister and invitation to attend the 48th World Economic Forum Annual meeting in Davos-Klosters.

While I regret that I am not able to attend the 2018 Annual Meeting in January, I look forward to actively participating in future years.

New Zealand remains strongly supportive of the work of the World Economic Forum which continues to make a valuable contribution to the global dialogue on issues of international importance, including for New Zealand and the wider Asia-Pacific region.

Yours sincerely

Rt Hon Jacinda Ardern  
**PRIME MINISTER**

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**Professor Klaus Schwab**  
Founder and Executive Chairman

Ms Jacinda Ardern  
Prime Minister of New Zealand  
New Zealand Government  
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23 March 2018  
lifo/arco

Dear Prime Minister,

I am pleased to invite you to the 49th World Economic Forum Annual Meeting, which will take place in Davos-Klosters, Switzerland, from 22 to 25 January 2019.

As demonstrated again at the Annual Meeting last January, there has never been a greater need for a true multistakeholder summit to shape the global agenda at the beginning of the year.

New Zealand is a leader on key global issues, such as indigenous rights, digital innovation, sustainability and fair trade. Your participation in Davos next year will therefore provide the leadership necessary to accelerate collaboration on these issues with a particular focus on the role of business.

On behalf of the 3,000 leaders from government, business and civil society who will take part in the meeting, I look forward to your participation and active engagement. We will work closely with your office over the next months to build a personalized agenda, in view of your evolving priorities.

Yours sincerely,



# Prime Minister

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MP for Mt Albert

Minister for Arts, Culture & Heritage

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Minister for Child Poverty Reduction



5 JUN 2018

Professor Klaus Schwab  
Founder and Executive Chairman  
World Economic Forum  
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**SWITZERLAND**


Dear Professor Schwab

Thank you for your letter of 23 March inviting me to the 49th World Economic Forum Annual Meeting.

New Zealand is highly supportive of the World Economic Forum, which continues to serve as a leading platform for the discussion of the most pressing issues of international significance. I have great memories from my engagement with the World Economic Forum at the Young Global Leaders Conference in 2015.

I am pleased to accept your invitation to attend, and hope to contribute to the agenda of next year's Forum. I would welcome the opportunity to offer my perspective on issues of global importance, such as sustainability, well-being and inclusive economic growth. I look forward to working with you to develop a personalised programme for my visit to Davos.

Yours sincerely



Rt Hon Jacinda Ardern  
**PRIME MINISTER**

Professor Klaus Schwab  
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H.E. Mrs Jacinda Ardern  
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5 October 2018  
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Dear Prime Minister,

I would like to thank you for confirming your participation in the World Economic Forum Annual Meeting in Davos, taking place from 22 to 25 January 2019.

This letter provides an update on the theme – Globalization 4.0: Shaping a Global Architecture in the Age of the Fourth Industrial Revolution.

The context for global cooperation has changed considerably. What is required is a strategic dialogue to reform and update the present collaboration system and to create new mechanisms to address, in particular, the challenges of the Fourth Industrial Revolution. Included you will find the "Davos 2019 Manifesto" background paper for your reference.

I can assure you that the Annual Meeting will once again assemble 3,000 leaders from government, business, civil society, academia and the media.

I truly look forward to engaging you in this effort and to welcoming you in Davos.

Yours sincerely,





Professor Klaus Schwab  
Founder and Executive Chairman

The Rt Hon. Jacinda Ardern  
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3 April 2019  
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Dear Prime Minister,

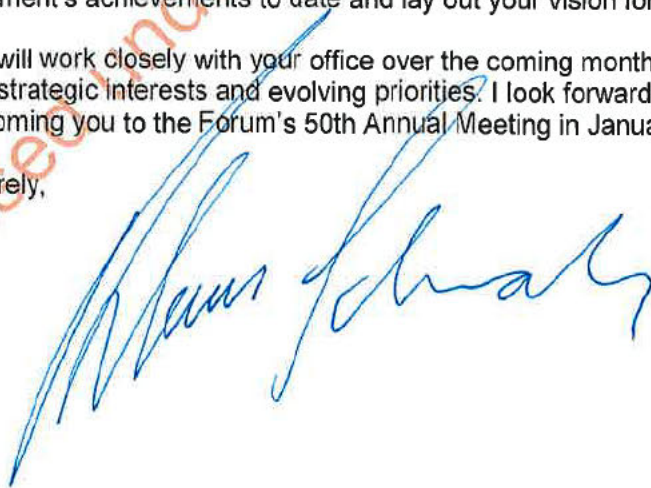
On behalf of the Board of Trustees of the World Economic Forum, the International Organization for Public-Private Cooperation, I am pleased to invite you to the World Economic Forum Annual Meeting, which will take place in Davos-Klosters, Switzerland, from 21 to 24 January 2020.

In the 50 years since its creation, the Annual Meeting has become the world's most impactful high-level gathering, bringing together leaders of government, international organizations, business and civil society to shape global, regional and industry agendas at the beginning of the year.

Your response to the deadly terrorist attacks in Christchurch was a powerful demonstration of the new type of leadership that is much needed in today's world. I therefore believe your personal presence in Davos in January will help to deliver a strong message of cooperation and tolerance in a changing world order. The Annual Meeting will also provide you with the platform to present your government's achievements to date and lay out your vision for a second term.

The Forum will work closely with your office over the coming months to build a special agenda that meets your strategic interests and evolving priorities. I look forward to your active engagement and to welcoming you to the Forum's 50th Annual Meeting in January.

Yours sincerely,



Professor Klaus Schwab  
Founder and Executive Chairman

The Rt Hon. Jacinda Ardern  
Prime Minister of New Zealand  
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29 January 2020  
sis/wmu

Dear Prime Minister,

We missed you greatly at the World Economic Forum Annual Meeting in Davos last week. Given your leadership, I am pleased to invite you to the inaugural World Economic Forum Global Technology Governance Summit, which will take place in San Francisco, USA, on 21 and 22 April 2020.

Building on the Forum's pioneering work on the Fourth Industrial Revolution, the meeting will bring together top decision-makers from government, business and civil society, as well as from start-ups and academia, to help scale human-centred approaches to technology governance at a pivotal time for global cooperation.

Participants would highly value your vision presented at a special address during the summit. It would be a unique opportunity to set out your thoughts on the impact of new technologies to underpin the transformation of industry and society, as well as the role of multistakeholder actors in shaping a positive and enriching trajectory for the Fourth Industrial Revolution worldwide.

Through your championing of the Christchurch Call, New Zealand has showcased how the international community can come together to form responsible approaches to ensuring the safety of society without comprising fundamental rights. Under your leadership, New Zealand has also taken on a pro-active role to develop new policies and protocols for artificial intelligence and data policy. I therefore believe such an address during the inaugural Global Technology Governance Summit would deliver a powerful message on the role of cooperation and tolerance in a world grappling with technological disruption. It would also give you the opportunity to showcase how countries can shape the architecture of the Fourth Industrial Revolution.

The Forum will work closely with your office over the coming months to build a personalized agenda that considers your evolving priorities.

Yours sincerely,



# Prime Minister



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Professor Klaus Schwab  
Executive Chair, World Economic Forum  
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SWITZERLAND

18 FEB 2020

Dear Professor Schwab

Thank you for the invitation to attend the inaugural Global Technology Governance Summit in San Francisco in April, and deliver a special address.

I am sorry that other commitments prevent me from taking up the opportunity. This new Summit is an exciting and important addition to the WEF calendar. Like you, I believe we need genuine and effective multistakeholder collaboration to shape the design and deployment of new technologies, so they reach potential in improving the well-being of people and communities.

New Zealand Ministers Hon Kris Faafoi and Hon James Shaw have recently jointly accepted a position on the WEF's Global AI Council. New Zealand is also working with the Centre for the Fourth Industrial Revolution and Salesforce on a project, "Reimagining Regulation for the Age of AI. New Zealand looks forward to showcasing that work at the Summit.

Yours sincerely

Rt Hon Jacinda Ardern  
PRIME MINISTER

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19 November 2020

Dear Prime Minister,

Congratulations on your re-election as Prime Minister of New Zealand. I believe this historic victory and electoral mandate present a unique opportunity for you chart an ambitious and progressive path to recovery, anchored in the values of respect, inclusivity and compassion.

It is my honour to personally invite you to deliver a State of the World special address at the World Economic Forum Davos Agenda Week: Critical Crossroads and Crucial Choices on 29 January 2021 from 08.00 to 09.00 CET, which the Forum will broadcast to a worldwide audience, followed by an interactive discussion with chief executives from the Forum community of over 1,000 leading global companies.

By convening this top-level gathering at the beginning of 2021, the Forum will build on its 50-year history of multistakeholder dialogue and its status as an International Organization for Public-Private Cooperation to provide clear signposts for finally overcoming the centennial challenge of COVID-19.

Under your leadership, New Zealand has become a powerful global example of responsible and responsive governance. The world needs such leadership more than ever to learn from the challenges that the pandemic has triggered and chart a different course for the global economy.

The Davos Agenda Week will set in motion the larger Great Reset process, an unprecedented mobilization of actionable ideas to build a more inclusive, sustainable and resilient future. This process will culminate in the World Economic Forum Annual Meeting 2021, which will take place (public health conditions permitting) in Lucerne-Bürgenstock, Switzerland, from 18 to 21 May 2021.

The Forum will work closely with your office to ensure your engagement in the Davos Agenda Week in January and the ensuing Great Reset process are of maximum value to your country and its role in shaping the post-COVID-19 world.

Yours sincerely,





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Professor Klaus Schwab  
Founder and Executive Chairman

Please find attached my  
latest book on the Covid  
crisis. I hope you will  
find it a useful tool  
in navigating your  
country through this  
crisis.  
With my best wishes,  
Klaus Schwab

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**From:** s9(2)(a)  
**Sent:** Tuesday, 24 November 2020 7:43 am  
**To:** s9(2)(a) - Klaus Schwab  
**Subject:** Acknowledgement from the Office of the Prime Minister

Good morning Klaus

The Prime Minister, Jacinda Ardern, has asked me to pass on her thanks for sending her a copy of your book "COVID-19: THE GREAT RESET". It was appreciated.

Thank you for taking the time and trouble to write.

Best wishes

s9(2)(a)

s9(2)(a) | Executive Assistant (Correspondence Unit)

**Office of the Prime Minister**

Authorised by Rt. Hon Jacinda Ardern MP, Parliament Buildings, Wellington

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Office of the Rt Hon Jacinda Ardern



Professor Klaus Schwab  
Founder and Executive Chairman

*Dear The Rt Hon. Jacinda Ardern*

*It is my great pleasure to send you my latest book, "Stakeholder Capitalism". It explores how governments and companies can build the future.*

*I've included also some personal perspectives, which I hope you will enjoy reading.*

*I look forward to seeing in person in Singapore at our Special Annual Meeting, which shall be the first in-person summit to shape the post-COVID era.*

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# Stakeholder Capitalism



A Global Economy  
that Works for Progress,  
People and Planet

**Klaus Schwab**

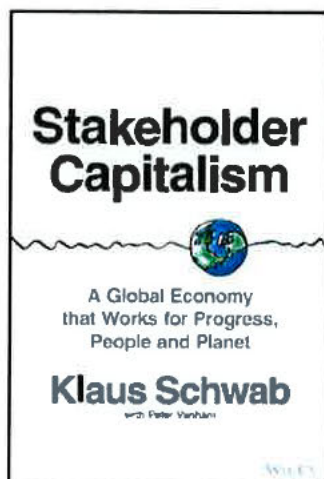
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## Publisher & Book info

*Stakeholder Capitalism: A Global Economy that Works for Progress, People and Planet. Published by John Wiley & Sons, 2021*



How can we build a global economy that works for progress, people and planet? Where does the economic system that prevailed in the post-war era succeed, and where does it need a reset? And how can we avoid the pitfalls posed by advances in technology and global trade, while harnessing their strengths?

World Economic Forum founder and Executive Chairman, **Klaus Schwab**, explores the answers to these questions in his latest book, "**Stakeholder Capitalism**". He shows how a more inclusive, sustainable, and resilient global economy post-COVID.

*Publication date:* January 27, 2021

*Availability (selected):*

- United States: Barnes & Noble, Powell's, Amazon.com
- Canada: Chapters (Indigo), Amazon.ca
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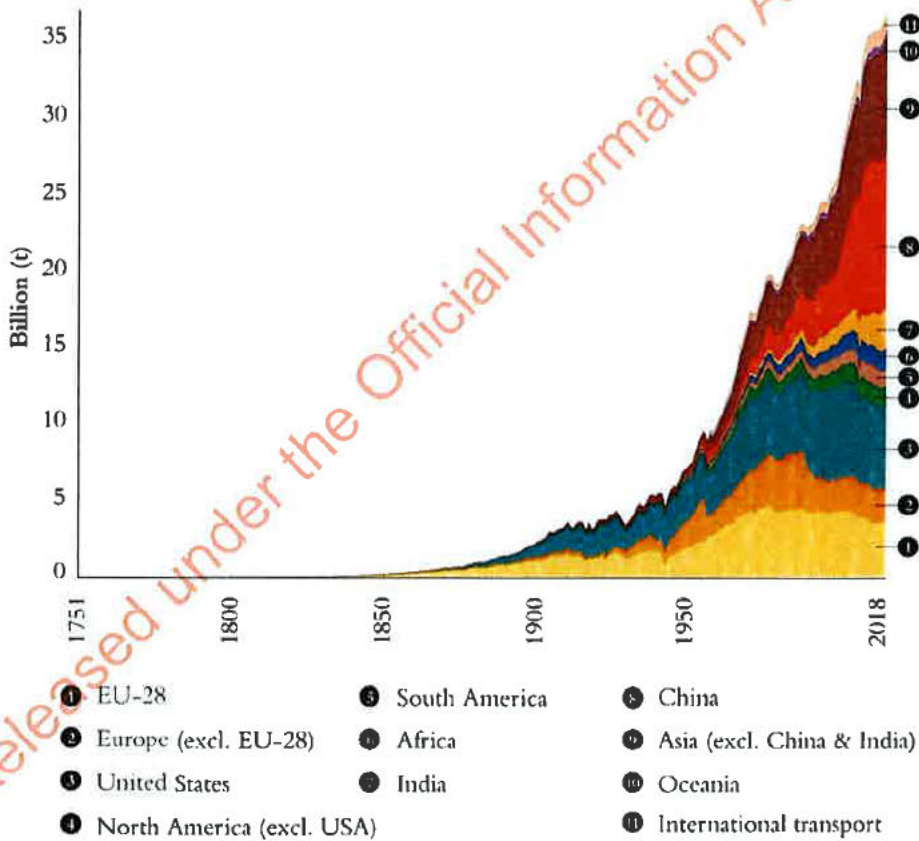


### Addendum

Erratum: the following graph contains additional data layers, colors and source information on the “Annual total CO<sub>2</sub> emission by world region” from the start of the Industrial Revolution to the present day (2018).

It replaces graph 7.1 printed in black and white on p. 151 of this book, which omitted India’s CO<sub>2</sub> emissions, and mislabelled China’s. The new graph also includes additional source credits for “Our World in Data”.

Annual total CO<sub>2</sub> emissions, by world region



Source: Our World in Data; Carbon Dioxide Information Analysis Center (CDIAC); Global Carbon Project (GCP)

Note: 'Statistical differences' included in the GCP dataset is not included here.

[OurWorldInData.org/co2-and-other-greenhouse-gas-emissions](https://OurWorldInData.org/co2-and-other-greenhouse-gas-emissions) • CC BY



**From:** [Rt Hon Jacinda Ardern](#)  
**To:** s9(2)(a)  
**Subject:** "Stakeholder Capitalism"  
**Date:** Wednesday, 10 February 2021 11:52:00 am

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Dear Klaus

I am writing on behalf of the Prime Minister, Jacinda Ardern, to thank you so much for your note and for enclosing a copy of your latest book *Stakeholder Capitalism*.

Your kind gesture is appreciated very much.

Best wishes

s9(2)(a)

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The Rt Hon Jacinda Ardern  
Prime Minister of New Zealand  
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25 February 2021  
anca/psa

Dear Prime Minister,

Following up on my earlier invitation, I would like to update you on the World Economic Forum Special Annual Meeting 2021, which will now take place in Singapore from 17 to 20 August 2021.

This will be the first global leadership summit to address the challenges of recovering from the pandemic and laying the basis for a more inclusive and sustainable world. It will once again bring leaders face-to-face to focus on shaping solutions to the most pressing challenges of our times.

The Forum is working closely with the Government of Singapore to ensure the necessary health, safety and protocol measures are in place at the Special Annual Meeting 2021. While local transmission of COVID-19 in Singapore remains at negligible levels, moving the meeting to August – a period when there is expected to be a significant reduction in coronavirus cases globally – will enable participants to avoid challenges related to international travel.

The pandemic has disrupted our ability to cooperate at the international level on some of the world's most pressing challenges. Convening key leaders in person in August will be essential to rebuild the mutual trust required to chart a common path to recovery. As the World Economic Forum's Annual Meeting moves to the Asia-Pacific region for the first time, this will also be an optimal platform for you to share and build on New Zealand's achievements as APEC's Host Economy.

In this context, the Forum will contact your office to ensure that this engagement is of maximum value to you and New Zealand.

I truly look forward to welcoming you personally in Singapore.

Yours sincerely,



Professor Klaus Schwab  
Founder and Executive Chairman

The Rt Hon. Jacinda Ardern  
Prime Minister of New Zealand  
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6160 Wellington  
New Zealand

30 April 2021  
anca/ps0

Dear Prime Minister,

It is my honour to invite you to share your perspectives during the session on Trade and the Environment: An Ocean of Opportunity taking place on 26 May from 08.00 to 09.15 (CEST) during the World Economic Forum and Friends of Ocean Action Virtual Ocean Dialogues 2021 on 25 and 26 May 2021.

Building on the success of the first-ever Virtual Ocean Dialogues last year, this virtual gathering will provide the global ocean community and beyond with an opportunity to maintain momentum in the face of the pandemic, in support of the Sustainable Development Goal for the ocean, SDG14. It will highlight the critical importance of mainstreaming the ocean in the international, multilateral, environment-focused forums and summits coming up soon – from climate and biodiversity to food and science. The Virtual Ocean Dialogues will further provide a space for advancing action ahead of these key international moments for the environment.

Most immediately, the event will bridge another World Economic Forum convening entitled Climate Breakthroughs: The Road to COP26 Virtual Summit taking place on 27 May 2021 and delivered in collaboration with the United Kingdom's presidency of the 26th Conference of the Parties (COP26) to the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC) and the High-Level Champions.

As a leader at the forefront of ocean issues and the sustainable development agenda, your contribution would be critical to the deliberations. The Forum will work closely with your office to ensure that this engagement is of maximum value to you and to New Zealand.

I would be grateful to receive your confirmation before 17 May in order to make the appropriate arrangements. I look forward to welcoming you.

Yours sincerely,



Professor Klaus Schwab  
Founder and Executive Chairman

The Rt Hon. Jacinda Ardern  
Prime Minister of New Zealand  
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25 August 2021  
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Dear Prime Minister,

It is my great pleasure to invite you to the World Economic Forum Annual Meeting 2022, which will take place in Davos-Klosters from 17 to 21 January.

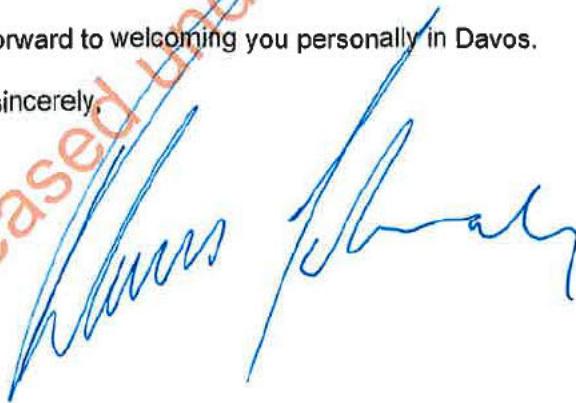
It is essential for the world's foremost political, business and civil society leaders to come together once again in order to restore trust in the ability to shape the future in collaborative ways.

Your pathbreaking approach to the most defining issues of our time, from measuring economic success to the responsible use of emerging technologies and protecting lives and livelihoods during the pandemic, serves as a powerful example to the rest of the world. Your leadership will be of critical value at the Annual Meeting in January, as leaders convene to chart a new course for the global economy.

The Forum will work closely with your office to ensure that your participation is of the greatest relevance for you and New Zealand.

I look forward to welcoming you personally in Davos.

Yours sincerely,



Received

16 JAN 2018

Office of Rt Hon Jacinda Ardern



## The Climate Reality Project

December 15, 2017

Dear Madam Prime Minister:

Thanks so much for joining us for The Climate Reality Project's *24 Hours of Reality: Be the Voice of Reality* global broadcast. Thanks in no small part to your participation, the event was an incredible success.

Together, we reached over half a billion households on television, in over 100 countries, and drew more than 32 million views online. With your assistance, we made *24 Hours of Reality* the largest social broadcast on a specific issue in the world--becoming the most-watched live streams on both Facebook and YouTube during the program.

Even as fossil fuel interests in the White House and across the Trump administration continue to deny reality, we showed that people around the world are united in their commitment to solving the climate crisis.

I hope that you feel as proud to have been part of this extraordinary event as I do, and I urge you to continue to speak up as a voice of reality in fighting for a sustainable future in the weeks, months, and years ahead. So much is at stake, but the solutions we need are in our hands, and momentum is with us.

Again, please accept my thanks for joining us. Now more than ever, the world needs bold voices like yours.

Sincerely,

Al Gore  
Chairman and Founder, The Climate Reality Project

Thank you!

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OFFICE OF AL GORE

June 21, 2018

The Honorable Jacinda Ardern  
Prime Minister  
Office of the Chief Executive  
Level 8 Executive Wing  
Parliament Buildings  
Wellington  
New Zealand

Dear Madam Prime Minister:

Congratulations on the birth of your baby girl.

I'm so happy for you, and hope that everyone is doing well.

Enjoy this wonderful time with the newest addition to your family, and again, my warmest congratulations and best wishes.

All the best,



Al Gore

*Very happy for you!  
Congratulations!*

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17 July 2018

Al Gore  
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Dear Mr Gore

Thank you so much for your very kind message, congratulating us on the birth of our daughter.

We are doing very well and appreciate your good wishes and support.

Best wishes

Jacinda Ardern  
Prime Minister

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June 28, 2018

The Right Honorable Jacinda Ardern  
Prime Minister  
Government of New Zealand  
Wellington, New Zealand

Dear Prime Minister:

I would like to extend my warmest congratulations on the birth of your daughter, and I am very happy to hear that you and Neve are in good health.

It was a pleasure to speak with you in Vietnam last year. I wish you and your family all the best during this special time.

Sincerely yours,  
*Christine Lagarde*

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cc: Mr. Jang, IMF Executive Director for New Zealand

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Minister for National Security & Intelligence

10 July 2018

Christine Lagarde  
Managing Director  
International Monetary Fund

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Dear Christine

Thank you so much for the kind message you sent us, congratulating us on Neve's birth. It was lovely of you to think of us!

We are doing very well and really appreciate the kind wishes and support we are getting.

Thank you again for writing – I look forward to meeting you again before too long.

Kind regards

Jacinda Ardern  
Prime Minister

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*emailed 12/7/18.*

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