

## **Environmental and Social Sustainability Policy**

Since December 2006, the West Plaza Hotel has made a commitment to conduct its business operation to contribute to the ideal of a clean and green New Zealand.

An environmental committee has been established which meets monthly to discuss and address the environmental awareness action plan.

The action plan addresses the following key performance indicators:

- To encourage and measure the progress of the hotel in obtaining the relevant Green Globe key performance areas such as waste minimisation, reuse and recycling along with energy efficiency including water, gas and electricity
- To review current suppliers. Evaluation of their products, services and business environmental policy to match our own or willingness to compromise with a friendly environmental policy similar to our own
- Responsible use of hazardous substances complying with our health and safety policy and safe storage of these chemicals
- Encouragement of walking and use of public transport by all staff during all aspects of their lives including to/from work

The West Plaza Hotel will display their environmental policy with other key policies in the hotel and the environmental action plan will be available upon request to any interested parties.

The West Plaza Hotel wishes to illustrate its responsibility as a good employer by showing its commitment and complying to environmental, public and occupational health and safety, hygiene and employment legislation.