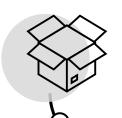
Key sustainability milestones of the FDFA



2019

Federal Council decision:

- · Climate package for Federal Administration: -50% CO₂ by 2030
- · Air travel action plan: -30% CO₂ caused by air travel by 2030



07/2019

Launch of Sustainable Embassies website



2021

FDFA target: reduce carbon footprint of air travel by average of 3% per year



01/2022

Launch of pilot project CO₂ footprint in external network

Offsetting CO₂ emissions of locally booked flights in external network



11/2022



Publication of FDFA **Environmental Report** 2021 in new, modern and attractive layout

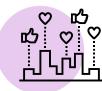


10/2022

Digitalisation of process for offsetting CO₂ emissions of flights of external network booked via local providers



06/2022 Swiss embassies in Poland, Germany, Austria, Kyrgyzstan and India establish FDFA Sustainable Embassy Working



03/2022

FDFA calls on representations to share their best practice and ideas for reducing CO₂ emissions



11/2022

Launch of FDFA Sustainability Platform



12/2022

Group

Letter to Federal Councillor Ignazio Cassis signed by 26 Swiss ambassadors abroad regarding Sustainable **Embassies**



01/2023

Launch of Sustainable Embassies series in the Bulletin



08/2023

Workshop at 2023 Ambassadors' Conference: From sustainable embassies to sustainability in foreign policy



06/2023

Adoption of Climate and Innovation Act: net-zero emissions by 2040 for central Federal Administration



02/2023

Sustainability goal added to MbO of heads of representations



01/2023

10 representations are participating in pilot project CO₂ footprint in external network



08/2023

Communication on implementing the 'Digital First' principle and cutting back on paper publications



10/2023

Launch of platform for visualising environmental and energy impact of representations in pilot project



11/2023

Launch of 'procurement' on FDFA Sustainability Platform



06/2024

Publication of an appeal and factsheet from the FDFA Sustainable Embassy Working Group



03/2024

The FDFA building in Zollikofen receives 3 sustainability awards



01/2024

30 representations are participating in project CO₂ footprint in external network



01/2024

Launch of 'milestones' on FDFA Sustainability Platform



07/2024

Launch of Sustainable Embassies summer series on FDFA Instagram



08/2024



Directorates are sent a summary of costs and CO₂ emissions for FDFA publications in 2023



09/2024

Application of 'economy only' principle to all FDFA flights



05/2025

40 representations are participating in project CO₂ footprint in external network



01/2025

'Digital First': FDFA's Bulletin is available only in digital



12/2024

Adoption of directive on sustainability in the external network

Legend

- Objectives
 - Communication and information
- Collaboration and exchange
- Project CO₂-footprint in external network