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We are living **beyond our means**

Biocapacity consumed



1961
74%



1971
100%



6th NOV. 1985
118%



23rd AUG. 2012
155%



1st AUG. 2018
172%

Earth overshoot day



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Nature is sending **signals**



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2015, a tipping point



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Business is the **key to change**

A natural leader in the profound
transformation ahead



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It is board's duty to **take the lead**

Directors' duties

1. Act in the **interest of the company**

2. Exercise **due diligence / reasonable care**

3. Comply with **disclosure requirements**



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1. Act in **the interest of the company**
What is the
purpose of your corporation?



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Shareholders own shares...
Not the company



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2. Exercise **due diligence** / **reasonable care**

Boards can no longer claim
**to ignore climate change
and its risks**



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3. Duties to comply with **reporting and disclosure requirements**

Mainstreaming climate-related financial disclosures

TCFD

TASK FORCE ON
CLIMATE-RELATED
FINANCIAL
DISCLOSURES

Mark Carney & Michael R. Bloomberg



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We need
Earth Competent Boards



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Boards with **members** who are



- proficient in sustainability,
- with the right governance,
- asking management the right questions



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Recognise
the fundamental role
of the board in bringing
Sustainability to **the core
of the company's
strategy**



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Cambridge Earth on Board Programme

Customized programmes:

- 2-Hours Board level Briefing
- Full day Leadership Workshops
- Targeted ongoing support



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THE B TEAM



**WE MEAN
BUSINESS**



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We promote **Earth Competent Boards**

We work to **develop a community**
of Earth Competent Board members

We foster **legal, regulatory and institutional**
frameworks consistent with that goal



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Sectors:

Electric Utilities
Water Utilities
Chemicals
Metals & Mining
Construction Materials
Insurance
Banks



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