

## Eni re petition with Philippines Human Rights Commission on human rights & climate change impacts

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*Business & Human Rights Resource Centre invited Eni to respond to the following items:*

- "World's largest carbon producers ordered to respond to allegations of human rights abuses from climate change", Greenpeace Philippines, 27 Jul 2016, <http://www.greenpeace.org/seasia/ph/press/releases/Worlds-largest-carbon-producers-ordered-to-respond-to-allegations-of-human-rights--abuses-from-climate-change/>
- "Full petition: Requesting for Investigation of the Responsibility of the Carbon Majors for Human Rights Violations or Threats of Violations Resulting from the Impacts of Climate Change", [http://www.greenpeace.org/seasia/ph/PageFiles/735232/Climate\\_Change\\_and\\_Human\\_Rights\\_Petition.pdf](http://www.greenpeace.org/seasia/ph/PageFiles/735232/Climate_Change_and_Human_Rights_Petition.pdf)

*Eni sent us the following response:*

"Eni does not comment on legal matters.

With regards to climate change, Eni acknowledges the challenge posed by climate change and the need to limit this century the temperature increase to 2°C above the level of the pre-industrial era. However demand for energy will continue to grow in the coming decades, driven by demographic and economic growth in emerging economies. Renewable energy, while having an increasingly important role in the energy supply, can not, in the medium term, replace hydrocarbons and natural gas, in particular, will continue to meet a key part of global energy demand, even in lower carbon intensity scenarios.

Below are the links to the companys official position and approach to Climate Change:

- [the Statement on Decarbonisation Strategies presented by our CEO Claudio Descalzi at the 2016 AGM](#)
- [Our Sustainability Report "Eni for" 2015](#)
- The ESG presentation to the financial community (Paris, [Friday 30 September 2016](#))

Eni obtained the highest score in terms of disclosure (100/100) in the CDP2015 and was confirmed in the CDP Italy Climate Disclosure Leadership Index (CDLI) 2015, the index that brings together the best Italian listed companies that have distinguished themselves for the quality and completeness of information on issues of climate change and greenhouse gas emissions. The CDP is an international non-profit organisation that measures the commitment of international companies in addressing climate change."