



Transforming our Workplaces

Buildings account for approximately 36% of global final energy consumption and nearly 40% of total direct and indirect CO₂ emissions. With the global trend towards urbanization and ever-increasing demands for building stock, these numbers are only set to rise. As well as a challenge, there is significant opportunity—UNEP estimates that the building sector has the greatest opportunity to reduce greenhouse gas emissions compared to other sectors⁸, with potential savings estimated to be as much as eighty-five Gt of CO₂ and energy savings of 50% or more by 2050⁹. All of this puts JLL in a strong position to

create a significant impact through the work we do with our clients and people as well as in our workplaces and communities.

In our global operations we strive to limit our environmental impact whenever possible. At JLL, we recognize that the systemic nature of global warming requires that change be introduced across all levels of our organization, which is why our sustainability program supports the overall aims of Beyond and our broader efforts to be a more sustainable organization.

⁸ UNEP, Buildings and Climate Change. <https://www.uncclearn.org/sites/default/files/inventory/unep207.pdf/>

⁹ Global Alliance for Buildings and Construction, Global Status Report 2016.

https://www.worldgbc.org/sites/default/files/GABC_Global_Status_Report_V09_november_FINAL.pdf