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Daily News: New Zealand oil drilling postponed, Bhopal disaster cu fund 2012 Olympics

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#Oil: In New Zealand, American oil giant [Anadarko has announced that it is to postpone offshore exploration](#) for a year, claiming the time to start drilling later this year. However, Greenpeace climate campaigner Steve Abel argues "this is another major nail in the coffin Government's programme of deep-sea oil drilling".

#Green energy: Hong Kong Council for Sustainable Development has launched a four-month public consultation on [how to reduce carb buildings](#). Greenpeace campaigner Koo Wai-muk said "ordinary households are paying more than commercial users for each unit of consume. With reform, ordinary households could pay less".

#Bhopal: [Dow Chemical Company](#) has come under fire after 2012 Olympics organisers announced that [the company will fund a "spe artwork "wrap" around the London stadium](#). Dow Chemical is the owner of Union Carbide, which is responsible for the deaths of 25,C the 1984 chemical leak from its factory in Bhopal, India. Greenpeace's Arundhati Muthu said "this crass attempt by Dow to detoxify the with the victims of the Bhopal disaster".

