

## **GENERAL ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY STATEMENT**

The Company acknowledges that our day-to-day business practices do have some environmental impact and are committed to managing these. We aim to lead by example when it comes to protecting the environment & pledge to implement and operate an Environmental Management System (EMS) to ISO 14001 standards.

We are committed to the prevention of pollution, we will fulfil our compliance obligations and strive for continual improvement of the EMS to enhance environmental performance.

Our Environmental Policy provides the framework for setting and reviewing environmental objectives. It is documented, regularly reviewed, maintained and communicated to interested parties.

We recognise our responsibility to ensure that staff and any sub-contractors carrying out work on our behalf, are aware of the harm that could potentially arise from their undertakings and that they take appropriate measures to minimise damage to the environment while at work.

The Company expects its office and site-based teams to actively seek to improve environmental performance through enthusiastic leadership and by encouraging the use of new techniques and technologies.

To enable the Company policy to be carried out, responsibility for environmental issues has been assigned to and accepted by members of staff at all levels within the organisation. Our main environmental objectives are to:

- Assess environmental risks at every workplace before work commences.
- Control noise levels at every workplace.
- Ensure dust is reduced to the lowest level practicable through the use of dust cubes, shadow vacuuming, good housekeeping and, where possible, low velocity exhausts systems.
- Replace hazardous materials with non or less hazardous alternatives.
- Ensure that all waste is disposed of by licensed waste carriers and that hazardous waste is separated out before removal.
- Promote waste minimisation, recycling and reuse, over and above disposal to landfill.
- Protect against deliberate and accidental release of materials into water courses and supplies.
- Reduce energy & water consumption, minimising our greenhouse gas emissions
- Promote the purchase of materials from sustainable sources where possible.
- Encourage clients to make environmental considerations in the choice of materials & equipment to be used in projects.



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