

## Environmental Policy

The Directors of the Attwater Group recognise that, many of the activities undertaken by the Company in the course of its business impact on the environment. The Board of Directors is of the opinion that the Companies reputation in the future will be measured not only by the quality of its products and services, but also by the impact the business has upon on the shared environment. Additionally, energy usage and reduction and recycling / reuse of materials will have positive impact on the profitability of the business.

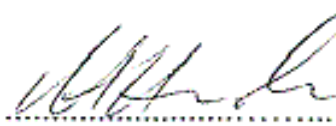
In order to translate this belief into business practice, the Company will provide the appropriate resources to enable Personnel to consider best practice when making decisions relating to all aspects of operations

The company will: -

- Comply with all environmental legislation affecting its business and aim to meet and exceed any industry environmental benchmarks as may be demanded by customers, Approved Codes of Practices (ACOP) or produced by the Environment Agency.
- Ensure that best practice and current environmental legislation are considered wherever manufacturing or business processes are developed or reviewed.
- Continually strive to improve environmental performance by measures such as the minimisation of waste byproducts, the minimisation of pollutant emissions to air and to landfill and the recycling and reuse of items such as packaging materials where it is feasible to do so.
- Ensure that hazardous materials are as far as practicable eliminated from processes and from products and that any hazardous waste or by-products of the operations are identified and as far as practicable eliminated, or disposed of as proscribed.
- Ensure that materials usage and energy consumption are minimised as far as practicable within the constraints of the operation.
- Ensure that information relating to the Companies environmental performance is available for review by stakeholders.
- Establish measures or indicators to facilitate monitoring, review and benchmarking of operations with the objective of reducing the environmental impact of the business.

Reduction in energy consumption and optimization of materials usage translates into increased business profitability and the company undertakes to:-

- Monitor key indicators designed to highlight environmental performance and areas for potential improvement.
- Adopt practices and procedures wherever practicable, so as to reduce energy consumption.
- Ensure future investment in plant and machinery takes into account energy efficiency so as to support savings in energy usage
- Ensure where improvements are made to building and infrastructure, due account is taken of environmental factors so as to reduce impact on the environment and maximize efficiency.
- Ensure that where new technologies are considered and introduced, due consideration of environmental performance is taken so as to minimise environmental impact and maximize efficiency as far as is practicable.



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