

## **ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY STATEMENT**

VolkerFitzpatrick is a multi-disciplinary construction contractor operating in the United Kingdom. We are committed to maintaining high standards throughout our operations, with particular regard to avoiding and minimising adverse environmental impacts of all company operations.

VolkerFitzpatrick will strive to continually improve our environmental performance through the reduction and control of waste, reusing and recycling materials, prevention of pollution, protection of local environmentally sensitive locations, and conserving natural resources.

Specifically we are committed to:

- Maintaining an Environmental Management System (EMS) compliant with the requirements of BS EN ISO 14001:2015 and implementing this EMS throughout our project activities and fixed office locations
- Complying with relevant environmental legislation, corporate and other requirements to which VolkerFitzpatrick subscribes, e.g. client environmental requirements, Considerate Constructors Scheme, construction codes of practice, or trade associations
- Establishing and reviewing quantifiable environmental objectives and targets according to the nature of our activities, business and other legal requirements, including the reduction of waste, energy consumption and our carbon footprint, seeking year on year improvements
- Developing site-specific Environmental Management Plans to mitigate adverse environmental impacts such as noise, dust, odour, waste and emergency situations, and taking into consideration local community concerns and the control of hazardous substances
- Wherever possible influencing project design by offering solutions to reduce environmental impact, or provide an overall positive impact
- Considering sustainable and / or recycled products during material selection and procurement for a project wherever we have an influence
- Minimising the adverse impacts of our operations on local communities, wherever we have an influence
- Working with our suppliers and subcontractors to improve both parties' environmental performance
- Providing appropriate environmental information and guidance to employees and others working on behalf of VolkerFitzpatrick

All employees and others working for VolkerFitzpatrick are required to comply with this policy. In particular, by cooperating and carrying out activities in such a manner that does not endanger the environment. It is the responsibility of VolkerFitzpatrick management and supervisory staff to ensure that this policy and its arrangements are implemented.

This policy will be reviewed annually and revised as often as may be deemed appropriate by VolkerFitzpatrick, and then brought to the attention of all employees. It is accessible to interested parties via the VolkerFitzpatrick website, Workspace, noticeboards and reception areas or is available on request.

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