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Introduction and Objectives

Nationwide Hygiene Group is committed to conducting its business in a responsible way and to continually improving its environmental management performance.

The objectives of this Environmental Policy are to:

- Set principal guidelines and a base for associated policies, environmental performance and operations
- Deliver sustainable business while satisfying moral, legal and contractual obligations
- Integrate our environmental aspirations into our core business operations and our working community
- Commit to the protection of the environment and encourage peers to be more engaged in environmental protection
- Constantly improve the environmental performance of our facilities and our products
- Align objectives and create a strategy to improve our efficiency and effectiveness where the environment is concerned

Scope of Application

The Group will take account of this policy throughout the organisation including within:

- Policies & procedures
- Administration of the supply of products from suppliers
- Distribution of hygiene products
- Management of the Group's Chesterfield facilities

Related Policies

Corporate Social Responsibility Policy

Code of Conduct

Ethical and Environmental Procurement Policy

Sustainability Policy

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Policy Guidelines

The Group will:

- Comply with all relevant legal and other environmental legislative requirements - this will be controlled through the operation of our Environmental Management System
- Advise and guide its staff in the environmental impacts of its business, and ways in which to minimise the elements under their control
- Communicate this policy to all employees and others working for or on behalf of the Group
- Systematically examine its own activities and take steps to minimize the environmental impact of its operations in the most effective way
- Provide support for Environmental charities where appropriate
- Aim to minimize the use of paper and energy in its offices, progressively seeking to utilise modern technology for communication and for archive storage

Environmental aspects will be taken into consideration in supplier relationships:

- The Group will expect our suppliers to follow a responsible environmental policy
- The Group will seek to identify the attitude of potential suppliers towards the environment when considering their suitability for appointment and encourage environmental performance improvements in the supply chain
- The Group will attempt to take into account the environmental impact of the products sold, through audits and supplementary discussions with product manufacturers
- The Group will maintain and propagate a strong environmental ethos, through open dialogue with Nationwide Hygiene Group Members

In order to continually improve, the Group will set environmental targets, which will be endorsed and regularly reviewed at the most senior level.

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Ownership, Approval Process, Changes and Deviations

This Policy was approved by the Board of Directors of Nationwide Hygiene Group and is reviewed annually. The policy is owned by the Chief Executive, and all updates, changes, deviations and supplements will be authorised by this role.



Darren Broad
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