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## **Environmental Policy**

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## Scope

The Company is committed to protecting and enhancing local and global environments and ensures that activities are carried out in a sustainable way as required by BS/EN/ISO 14001 Environmental Management System requirements.

## Our policy

To meet this policy aim, we endeavour to:

- Maintain a documented environmental system as part of the Posturite Integrated Management Systems (IMS)
- Be aware of all new environmental legislation and regulations.
- Comply with all environmental legislation and regulations.
- Comply with all our compliance obligations.
- Minimise energy use and its associated C02 emissions.
- Maximise the use of renewable energy sources where possible.
- Minimise the generation of waste.
- Maximise the re-use and recycling of materials and products.
- Maximise the use of recycling of materials and products.
- Maximise the use of material from renewable sources.
- Minimise polluting emissions to air, land and water.
- Minimise the use of polluting forms of transport.
- Assess the environmental impacts of all working practices and product manufacture.
- Assess the whole life environmental performance of all purchases.
- Maximise the use of local products and local workforce.
- Minimise the use of water.

## To further the aims of this policy the Company:

- Provides environmental training for all staff.
- Assesses the environmental performance of all suppliers ensuring that all timber products are sourced from FSC accredited companies.
- Maintain suitable objectives in order to drive the improvement of our management system and to review these for suitability each year and where necessary implement new objectives.
- Promote the protection of biodiversity and essential ecosystems (fauna and flora)
- Review and audits this environmental policy and its action plans periodically with a view to Continuous improvement.

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This procedure was approved by the MD on the date shown and is issued on a version-controlled basis under their signature.

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