

ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY

W.S. Wright is committed to ensuring compliance with all environmental legislation including site waste management. Our Environmental Management System (EMS) allows for a systematic approach to compliance management from planning and implementation to audits and reviews. Wherever possible, we strive to exceed the environmental requirements of all relevant legislation and are dedicated to the continual improvement of our environmental performance.

The Institute of Environmental Management and Assessment highlighted the key deliverables, identified by regulators, for an effective EMS in relation to legal compliance.

These are as follows:

- Policy Commitment
- Identification of legal and other environmental requirements
- Periodic evaluation of legal compliance
- Staff awareness, competencies and training
- Operational controls and emergency preparedness
- Monitoring, audits and management review
- Delivery of improvements

W.S. Wright is dedicated to upholding all of the above deliverables and our EMS ensures that all responsibilities are met. Greg Say is responsible for the management of the EMS and regularly meets with the management team to monitor and review the environmental policies. As part of the EMS, we ensure that W.S. Wright is always up to date with the latest environmental legislation.

We make certain that all staff are familiar and competent with all environmental policies and we provide training wherever needed.

We have a strategic approach for identifying and resolving non-conformance with the use of both corrective and preventative actions. This approach allows for the removal of the non-conformance whilst also ensuring that there is not a recurrence.

We recognise that to fully enforce our environmental policies, we must also engage our supply chain providers to ensure that they understand our aims and objectives. We then ensure that they align their own policies with ourselves.

W.S. Wright has developed a voluntary code of practice for site waste management in line with the Department of Trade and Industry (DTI) Guidance for Contractors and Clients. This is detailed below:

Step 1 – Identify who is responsible for producing the SWMP and ensuring that it is followed.

Step 2 – Identify the types and quantities of waste that will be produced at all stages of the work programme/plan.

Step 3 – Identify waste management options including reference to the waste hierarchy, on- and off-site options and pay particular attention to arrangements for identifying and managing any hazardous wastes produced.

Step 4 – Identify waste management sites for all wastes that require them and ensure that the contracts are in place, emphasising compliance with legal responsibilities such as the Duty of Care.

Step 5 - Carry out any necessary training of in-house and sub-contract staff so that everyone understands the requirements of the Site Waste Management Plan.

Step 6 – Plan for efficient materials and waste handling.

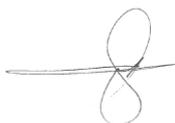
Step 7 – Measure how much waste and what types of waste are produced and compare these against the SWMP.

Step 8 – Monitor the implementation of the SWMP to make sure that all is going according to plan and update the plan if necessary.

Step 9 – Review how the SWMP worked at the end of the project and identify learning points for next time which is distributed to all relevant staff.

This policy will be continually monitored and reviewed at least annually.

Signed on behalf of W S Wright Ltd.



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Managing Director

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