Environmental & Waste Reduction Policy

This Environmental & Waste Reduction Policy applies to all companies under Actual Group Ltd to include the following;

- Actual Support Services Ltd
- Actual Removal Co. Ltd

Actual Group Ltd are committed to operating in a manner that minimises their impact on the environment. To this end we have an established environmental management system which has an accredited certification to BS EN ISO 14001:2015 and is continually monitored and implemented across all business units.

The Actual Group is committed to continual improvement and pollution prevention. Objectives and targets have been established and will be reviewed on a regular basis; these seek to address (amongst other issues) the following key aims:

- Reduce the average vehicle emissions of our own vehicles and those of our suppliers and sub-contractors.
- Take a responsible approach to procurement in which we use, transfer and dispose of work equipment, goods and materials in a manner which considers the environment.
- Take environmental performance into account when purchasing equipment and materials.
- Identify which aspects of the business have an impact on the environment, assess and control these to avoid or reduce environmental risks to as low as reasonably practicable.
- Promote recycling at our own sites and at client premises.
- Ensure employees and contractors are aware of our environmental policy aims and objectives.
- Co-ordination and co-operation with all relevant stakeholders including clients, enforcing authorities and members of the public, as appropriate
- We will seek to minimise the generation of waste and disposal to landfill, taking into account the nature of our work, through the reduction, reuse, or recycling of materials, equipment and consumables. We are committed to ensuring that the impact of emissions to the atmosphere, disposal of waste and waste water are minimised to reduce or prevent pollution.

The Environmental Purchasing aim is to prompt staff involved in the procurement of goods and services to use environmental responsibility as a factor in their purchasing decisions. In particular for them to:

- consider goods and services which can be manufactured, used and disposed of in an environmentally responsible way
- give preference, where items are of a similar cost, to those that are manufactured with a high recycled content
- specify items that can be recycled or reused
- consider the energy usage/cost of operating equipment prior to purchase
- favour suppliers that are committed to environmental improvement
- consider 'whole life' costs and impacts when assessing equipment for purchase.



Whilst the Directors take responsibility for monitoring the effectiveness of this policy and driving the company to achieve continual improvement in environmental performance, the successful implementation of this policy requires total commitment from all employees of the business.

Signed on behalf of Actual Group Ltd

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