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## Environmental Policy Statement

It is the principle aim of our Environmental Management Policy to achieve working processes and behaviours which are free of impact to the environment so far as is reasonably practicable, and to this end we will pursue continuing improvements from year-to-year. As a company we continually strive to improve our performance to minimise the impact on the environment be it air, water and land through our constant monitoring and audits of our procedures.

Ensuring our clients are provided with an environmentally responsible joinery product that complies with the International Standard ISO 14001: 2015 is an integral part of our service. We will operate in compliance with all relevant environmental legislations and we will strive to use pollution prevention and environmental best practices in all we do. The application of the base principles of using the best available technology not entailing excessive cost (BATNEEC) shape the business operations and decisions in regard to predicting and managing potential environmental impacts.

To this end we will:

- Integrate the consideration of environmental concerns and impacts into all of our decision making and activities.
- Promote environmental awareness training and information among our employees and encourage them to work in an environmentally responsible manner.
- Minimise waste through a strategy of reducing raw material use, re-use or materials and recycling wherever reasonably practicable and further by purchasing recycled, recyclable or re-furbished products and materials where these alternatives are available, economical and suitable.
- All timber products used in our joinery manufacture process either solid or sheet and throughout our supply chain are either FSC or PEFC certified where economically viable and technically possible.
- Promote efficient use of utilities and resources throughout our operations including water, electricity, raw materials and other resources, particularly those that are non-renewable.
- Avoid unnecessary use of hazardous materials and products, seek substitutions when feasible, and take all reasonable steps to protect the environment when such materials must be used, stored and disposed of.
- Where required by legislation or where significant environmental hazards exist, develop and maintain appropriate emergency and spill response programmes.
- Communicate our environmental commitment to clients, customers and the public and encourage them to support it.
- Strive to continually improve our environmental performance by periodically reviewing our environmental policy in light of our current and planned future activities.
- Measurable objectives are set in striving to implement this policy statement.

This policy forms the framework for the development of our ongoing system objectives with regard to 14001.

Signed

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