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ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY

Blue Sky Environmental is committed to ensuring that all our operations comply with and, where possible, exceed environmental legislation and approved codes of good practice and ensure compliance with all statutory requirements in relation to Environmental Law.

The company is committed to the process of enhancing its environmental performance by installing working systems that feature good environmental practice and also allows for changing environmental conditions.

The company expects all employees and sub-contractors to comply with Environmental Legislation and codes of good practice. If any situation arises where these laws may be compromised then this situation must be communicated immediately and action taken to rectify the situation.

Blue Sky Environmental is committed to increasing the percentage of materials recycles and reducing the amount of waste being landfilled. All waste is sorted either before or upon reaching the recycling depot to ensure this is implemented.

Certification of appropriate disposal, in the form of a waste transfer note, is issued when collecting waste for disposal without exception.

Policy Aims:

Reduce waste produced – through purchasing, operational activity and by raising awareness, waste created for disposed is reduced.
Re-use: every avenue of re-use of items must be explored before being discarded as waste.
Recycle: where possible all waste that can be diverted from landfill is segregated and recycled

Definitions:

Waste

Waste includes any substance or object which the holder discards and any substance which constitutes a scrap material, an effluent or other unwanted surplus arising from the application of any process or any substance or article which requires to be disposed of which has been broken, worn out, contaminated or otherwise spoiled as per the Environmental Protection Act 1990 and amendments.

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General Waste

A form of Controlled Waste, with the exception of Hazardous Waste

Recycling

The diversion of waste away from landfill or incineration and the reprocessing of those wastes either into the same product or a different one. This mainly includes non-hazardous wastes (or non-hazardous components of other wastes) such as paper, glass, plastic and scrap metal.

Hazardous Waste

This term encompasses the term Special Waste as defined by Hazardous Waste Regulations 2005 and amendments. It includes waste that could, in certain circumstances, be harmful to human health or the environment in the short or long term due to its physical, chemical or biological properties of explosive, oxidizing, flammable or highly flammable, irritant, corrosive, toxic or very toxic, harmful, carcinogenic, mutagenic, infectious and ecotoxic.

Batteries, fluorescent tubes, photographic chemicals, paint, waste oils, solvents, acids, alkaline solutions, pesticides and electric equipment are all hazardous wastes.