



COMPANY ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY

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1 POLICY STATEMENT

1.1 Environmental Policy Statement – 21.08.06

The Company will:

- comply with the relevant requirements of the Environmental Protection Act 1990 and all other domestic legislation concerned with the protection of human and natural resources.
- minimise the risk to the public at large from any acts or omissions during its operations.
- have the necessary control measures in place to protect the natural environment and conserve resources.
- minimise emissions of noise, air pollution and waste products.
- ensure all employees have suitable and sufficient information, instruction, training and supervision to act with due consideration for the environment.
- require all contractors working on its behalf to meet with the equal standard of care for the environment.
- assess the environmental impact of any new development.
- liaise with the local authority on new projects.
- continually monitor the environmental impact of its operations.

2 ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT

The Company realises that its activities may impact on the environment and with this in mind the effects of those activities will be considered, so that any adverse effects may be identified, evaluated and actioned accordingly.

2.1 Environmentally Friendly Substances

Substances and materials used will whenever reasonably practicable be those compatible with maintaining the quality of the environment. Where this is not possible, care will be taken to ensure that, so far as reasonably practicable, any substance or material is used in such a way as to prevent or minimise harm to the environment.

3 CONSERVATION

At all times energy use will be kept to the minimum reasonably practicable and conservation measures will be utilised to best effect, whether these be by change in equipment, materials or by supervision.

3.1 Procedures With Equipment

Procedures to provide and maintain equipment to its best effect for conservation of energy will be drawn up and adherence monitored by supervision. Where reasonably practicable equipment, which is efficient in energy use will be utilised.

4 WASTE DISPOSAL PROCEDURES

Procedures will be continuously developed to ensure that all “controlled waste” produced or held as a broker is disposed of in accordance with legislation, codes of practice and guidance notes. Only registered or exempted waste carriers and managers will be used and regular monitoring will be maintained to ensure compliance with relevant legislation.

4.1 Waste Recycling

Arrangements will be made at each workplace, which will, as far as is reasonably practicable, provide for the recycling of waste or surplus materials. With this in mind the Company will where reasonably practicable, undertake separation of waste.

5 EMISSIONS

5.1 Emissions To Air

Where Company activities or premises require statutory registration this will be undertaken. In those premises monitoring regimes will be established to ensure that the strict limits relating to emissions are not exceeded and that process and plant are controlled and maintained to achieve this.

Fires will not be utilised to dispose of waste unless specifically authorised by the local enforcing body and any other airborne material e.g. dust, smoke, vapour etc. will be minimised to prevent secondary pollution of land or water.

5.2 Emissions To Water

Controlled entry of pollutants will only be permitted following written consent with the relevant enforcing authority.

Specific instructions will be produced for certain activities and in particular and where appropriate relating to:

- ◆ Pumping from excavations, sumps, pits, tanks, ditches, mineworkings etc.
- ◆ Bunding of tanks and bulk liquid storage.
- ◆ Use of flocculants.
- ◆ Bulk fuel storage and use.
- ◆ Use of concrete and cement.
- ◆ Sewage and effluent disposal.
- ◆ Material storage.

5.3 Emissions To Land

By strict control of waste, land pollution will be kept to the absolute minimum and any remaining wastes including pollutant litter and polluting substances will be controlled by supervision.

5.4 Noise

Noise is recognised as one of the major pollutants affecting, in particular, the relationship between Company and the public. Procedures will be prepared to ensure that noise is considered at the planning stage of any new location. Best practicable means will be used to ensure attenuation of noise.

5.5 Other Pollutant Nuisance

The best practicable means will be utilised as appropriate to counteract the effect of dust, odour, traffic, vibration, and other nuisance which may arise from the Company activities and which may affect the local community.

5.6 Control of Pollution from Diesel Equipment

Diesel spillages are a major cause of pollution and we must ensure that all necessary steps are taken to control pollution, particularly from machines with large capacity fuel tanks. In addition, some diesel powered equipment may be attached to an external fuel source such as an overnight tank or fuel bowser. In such cases the equipment's own bund is not big enough to contain the potential fuel leak. In order that the operator is fully aware of his requirement to protect against possible spillage or pollution, we must attach an environmental protection warning notice "speedyenviro01" to those categories of equipment below:-

- All diesel generators
- All diesel compressors and compressor generators
- All diesel welders and welder generators
- All lighting towers
- All fuel bowzers and IBCs (Abbi and Transcube)
- All static diesel tanks
- Dieselmate, Bunded Fuel Kaddi, and Wheeled Easycube
- All excavators
- All dumpers
- Pumps as listed in the following table:-

PRODUCT CODE	DESCRIPTION
300	GSP300 4" Liquidator Super Silenced Fully Bunded
305	GSP340 6" Liquidator Super Silenced Fully Bunded
307	GSP650 8" Liquidator Super Silenced Fully Bunded
309	GSP1200 12" Liquidator Super Silenced Fully Bunded
290	GSP115S 3" Silenced Diesel Open Set
12	GSP50 2" Silenced Diesel Pump
51	GHP80 3" Super Silent High Head Fully Bunded
52	GHP100 4" Super Silent High Head Fully Bunded
53	GHP150 6" Super Silent High Head
U/A	AL100 4" Silenced Open Set
305	QL150 6" Silenced Diesel Fully Bunded
300	QL100 4" Silenced Diesel Fully Bunded
51	QHH80 3" Super Silent High Head
59	HH150 8"x6" Super Silent High Head open set
307	QL200 8" Silenced Diesel Fully Bunded
57	GHP200 6" Super Silent

This list is not exhaustive, you should attach the environmental protection sticker to any equipment with a large capacity fuel tank or which could be connected to an external fuel source.

6 TRAINING

Suitable training courses will be arranged as necessary to deal with specific areas of environmental control. The Company will ensure that its employees take advantage of such training and put that teaching to best effect.

6.1 Instruction

Managers and those persons with a key role in implementing environmental controls will be provided with necessary training and instruction in order to discharge their responsibilities.

7 AUDIT

Audit/inspection of compliance with environmental law, codes of practice and company procedures will be undertaken at specified intervals by Company Managers who will report their findings and recommend change to the Company Director responsible for environmental matters.

7.1 Monitoring

Monitoring compliance with this Policy will be undertaken by Company Management who are expected to respond accordingly and if necessary discipline those failing to comply with codes of practice and procedure. Monitoring will also extend to sub contractors whose subsequent selection and employment will be dependent on their co-operation and compliance in environmental matters.

8 DESIGN

Design is not currently considered relevant to the activities of the Company.

9 CONTRACTORS

In all contracts with sub-contractors care of the environment will play an essential part. Only those sub-contractors who can demonstrate a commitment to environmental conservation as evidenced by policy and procedures, or by acknowledged reputation, will be invited to tender for work carried out on our behalf. Environmental requirements will be issued to contractors for compliance.

10 EMERGENCIES

Procedures to cope with an emergency likely to be environmentally damaging will be drawn up following risk analysis of potentially damaging situations.

11 LABELS AND STICKERS

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