

Environmental Policy Statement

Management of Stonegate regards the promotion and preservation of the environment as a mutual objective for Management and Employees at all levels.

We are committed to protecting and continually improving the quality of our working and the local environments. We are committed to working pro-actively with, and communicating this policy to our employees, clients, contractors and all other external parties to achieve a safer, cleaner, healthier and sustainable environment. This will fulfil present and future human and legislative requirements.

The objectives of this policy are to:

- Reduce the production of waste and encourage wherever possible it's re-use or re-cycling.
- Encourage greater staff involvement through environmental awareness training, the understanding of environmental issues and continual environmental improvements.
- Encourage staff to become more efficient and sustainable in their use and the preservation of energy.
- Evaluate environmental impacts when considering new products, plant, equipment, buildings and processes.
- Prevent pollution and nuisance.
- Manage the correct, safe and effective disposal of waste materials and products through approved and qualified agencies and/or providers.
- Maintain the offices, barns, warehouses, packing centres, production facilities, farms, including rearing and milling, on-site installation work and surrounding areas, at all our locations in a clean and tidy condition to ensure minimum impact on our neighbours.

Stonegate will comply with environmental laws, regulations and other requirements relevant to our business. We will provide adequate resources and closely monitor our business administration and production processes to ensure that the company's operations are effectively managed, and risk are mitigated.

This policy will be communicated to all staff and any stakeholders and interested parties who may undertake work on our behalf to make the most effective and efficient use of all resources to develop an ecologically sound approach to their work, and will be available to the public via our website www.stongate.co.uk

The Directors will review this policy and formulate Environmental objectives during annual management reviews to ensure integrity, effectiveness and compatibility with the context and strategic direction of the organisation. The Directors will be held accountable for the success and failure or the Environmental management system.

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