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Environmental Policy and Guidelines

Diamond Fire Extinguishers

Diamond Fire and Security Ltd has never been prosecuted for breaking any UK or EU environment law or had any notice served upon it by an Environmental regulator or authority

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Environmental Policy

The aim of the Group Environmental Policy is to safeguard the organisations assets and reputation whilst encouraging the development of responsible business. Our corporate environmental objectives are as follows:

1. STRATEGY AND STAFF

- Diamond Fire and Security Ltd incorporates care of the environment as an integral part of business activity with all products designed for re-use. This supports the client focus of and the pro-active ethical strategy of Diamond Fire and Security Ltd.
- The involvement of all staff is encouraged by communication, and training to ensure continual improvement in performance.
- Monitoring arrangements provide information to indicate progress towards our objectives. Senior management will review the operation of our management system periodically in order to take account of new technology, best management practice and our commitment to continual improvement.
- Diamond Fire and Security Ltd complies with environmental legislation and other statutory instruments and aims to minimise waste, damage and pollution from our activities.

2. ENVIRONMENTAL BUSINESS ISSUES

Diamond Fire and Security Ltd:

- Values the contribution that every member of staff can make in improving our resource efficiency to reduce both operating costs and environmental effects;
- Encourages staff, clients and suppliers to consider the use of telecommunications and video conferencing to reduce the impact of travel and paper consumption;
- Adopts good practice to minimise waste of energy resources such as gas, electricity and vehicle fuel;
- Pursues the use of alternative fuels when there are cost and environmental benefits;
- Aims to select products whose life cycles have less impact on the environment taking account of material consumption, manufacturing, use, re-use, recycling and disposal.

3. CLIENTS & SUB-CONTRACTORS

Diamond Fire and Security Ltd:

- Supports our clients in improving environmental performance on-site by reducing damage to land, flora and fauna.

PART 2 - ORGANISATION

ENVIRONMENTAL RESPONSIBILITIES

- It is the policy of Diamond Fire and Security Ltd that all levels of management and employees meet their legal obligations under the **Environmental Protection Act 1995** relevant to our activities.
- It is the company's policy to ensure so far as is reasonably practicable and within the scope of known technology, to carry out its undertakings in such a manner so as to eliminate or reduce to the lowest possible level any actions that may lead to environmental damage.
- The company accepts its moral responsibilities and that the action that is taken today may affect the environmental working practise amongst its workforce.
- This part of the policy details those nominated individuals with specific responsibilities who have authority to implement the company's environmental policy.

Alex Brindle

Main responsibilities are to:


- Have overall responsibility for all environmental aspects within Diamond Fire and Security Ltd and to ensure that the Directors are aware, understand and accept responsibility and accountability for the environmental activities within the company.
- Make all employees aware of our environmental policy, whilst ensuring to provide suitable training to improve environmental awareness, where necessary and allocate clear responsibilities.
- Take the interests of the local community into account, with due regard for public perception and have a regular process of communication with the community where appropriate.
- Ensure that sufficient expertise is available to identify problems and provide solutions.
- Seek opportunities to turn waste into profitable by-products or to re-cycle and explore the possibility of more effective and economic methods for waste disposal.
- Be conversant with the requirements and apply as necessary the relevant parts of the Environmental Protection Acts.



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- Make all employees within their control aware of our environmental policy, whilst providing suitable training to improve environmental awareness and allocate clear responsibilities.
- Monitor all waste generated through company activities - via formal inspection procedures - ensure all the necessary steps are taken to prevent damage to the environment e.g. check that any substance with the potential to harm the environment does not enter surface water drains, contaminate land site or enter a water course.
- Will encourage, where possible the use of less hazardous substances on all sites under control.
- Inform the health and safety advisors immediately of any spillage or discharge.

Diamond Fire Directors undertake to review this policy at least annually to assure this policy continues to reflect the organisation's activities and environmental objectives.

<i>Date</i>	29.10.2016	<i>Name of Company</i>	Diamond Fire and Security Ltd
<i>Name</i>	Alex Brindle	<i>Signed</i>	

Next Review Date: October 2017