



Environmental Policy

Swiftcure Limited is a well established company, which has provided a highly professional damp proofing and timber treatment service for over 30 years.

Swiftcure recognises that its operations impact upon the environment and endeavours to prevent pollution and ensure that any potential harmful effects are minimised where possible.

As an organisation and employer we aim to set a good example by carrying out our functions in an environmentally responsible manner and remain committed to considering and conserving the environment during the course of our activities. To support these concepts, the senior management team will implement this Environmental Policy to achieve the following environmental objectives.

- Ensuring that the company's activities are carried out in a safe manner for all employees, contractors, and other visitors to the site.
- Meet and aim to exceed the requirements of all relevant environmental legislation and Codes of Practice relating to the business.
- Promoting environmental awareness through training and communicating our environmental business objectives to all of our employees.
- Endeavouring to source materials from sustainable resources wherever this is practicable and use suppliers who are willing to take away packaging for reuse or recycling and will consider the environmental impact of any purchases.
- Reducing energy, water and fuel consumption where this is practicable. We will invest in the improved energy efficiency of products we use and investigate environmentally safe and sustainable energy sources.
- Reducing the amount of waste produced, and ensuring that all waste is disposed of in a reasonable manner, ensuring that we always comply with the Duty of Care Regulations. Any services used for the storage and disposal of waste will be checked to ensure that appropriate licences are held.
- In the office environment, paper will be used sensibly, with measures to re-use and recycle waste paper, and the increased use of electronic communication to reduce the need for paper use.
- Developing relationships with suppliers, customers, contractors and relevant third parties to discuss and promote improvements in environmental performance.
- Seeking to incorporate environmental considerations into future decision-making at all levels to maintain improvements in the company's environmental performance.
- Formally reviewing and updating this Policy on an annual basis.
- Attempt to reduce or eliminate the use of ozone depleting chemicals (CFC, Halon, 1.1.1 Trichloroethane, HCFC), tropical hardwood from forests which have not been independently certified as sustainable, pesticides on the U.K. 'red list' or EC 'black list, and peat for soil amelioration purposes.
- Making this Policy available to the public and communicating with interested parties on Environmental issues.

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