

Environment & Sustainability Policy

WSUP is committed to protecting the environment and promoting sustainability in all of our activities.

We integrate environmental and sustainability considerations into all areas of corporate activity. Our policy is to:

- Understand and explicitly address the impact on the environment and sustainable development into all of our activities and our projects.
- Adopt practices and design principles that minimise impact and/or reverse environmental degradation.
- Avoid pollution, conserve energy, reduce consumption of raw materials and reduce waste.
- Implement sustainability principles in all of our activities.

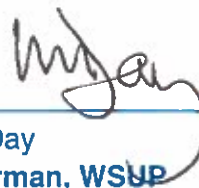
Responsibility for adherence to this policy is delegated by the WSUP Board to the CEO of WSUP.

To achieve our policy we will:

- Incorporate environmental dimensions into all our projects as part of the project development process including:
 - application of appropriate environmental assessment and monitoring procedures
 - building public consultations into environmental assessments.
 - ensuring compliance with national environmental legislation and standards while encouraging the adoption of more stringent criteria wherever appropriate
 - incorporating mitigation / enhancement measures into WSUP projects.
 - not participating in projects and programmes where impact on environmentally sensitive areas cannot be confidently mitigated against.
 - taking an environmental life-cycle view in procurement.
- Use our experience and ingenuity to achieve sustainable outcomes that are locally appropriate, economically viable, socially beneficial, durable, resilient and environmentally responsible.
- Avoid unnecessary movement of people and goods.
- Minimise waste and the consumption of energy and resources.
- Use renewable, sustainably managed and recycled materials where practical.
- Encourage partners, suppliers, sub-consultants and other stakeholders to adopt practices to improve their environmental performance and achieve sustainable outcomes
- Review and revise this policy as necessary at regular intervals (at least annually) in consultation with the Risk Committee of Board.



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