

ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY

Avantgarde Tiling Ltd recognises that our activities have an impact on the environment in terms of the use of raw materials, emissions to air and water and waste generation, and seeks to minimise the effect of its business operations on climate change through efficient use of natural and renewable resources, responsible procurement, and development of effective operational processes to promote sustainable outcomes. Our responsibility to the environment extends beyond regulatory requirements.

Avantgarde Tiling Ltd is committed to:

- A proactive approach to make continuous improvement and regular monitoring of our environmental performance including our company set objectives and targets, reducing environmental impacts where possible
- Conduct our activities with due consideration of the environment and prevent pollution
- Comply with and exceed environmental legislation, regulations and codes of practice relevant to the industry sector in which it operates.
- Retain our ISO 14001:2015 certification
- Ensure our staff have a good understanding of the environmental impacts of our business and the actions to be taken to minimise these
- Ensure our suppliers and contractors are aware of and comply with our policies and procedures and apply similar standards to their own activities

It is the policy of Avantgarde Tiling Ltd to:

- Develop and promote procedures that enhance environmental performance such as efficient use of natural resources, conserving energy and water, minimising waste and recycling where possible
- Assess and minimise any activities that create negative environmental impact
- Meet its duty of care requirements in relation to waste by ensuring the safe keeping, transportation and subsequent recovery or disposal of waste
- Use recycled construction materials whenever these can be commercially justified
- Keep transport use to a minimum and regularly service vehicles to maintain their efficiency
- Work with the suppliers to ensure they recognise and reduce the environmental impact of their products and transportation.
- Regularly review this Environmental policy and associated procedures to progress towards reducing carbon footprint of business activities.

Avantgarde Tiling Ltd will review this policy at minimum on an annual basis, taking account of any changes within the legislation and our organisation, and other factors.

We will communicate this policy to all our employees and ensure they are given appropriate training to raise awareness of environmental issues both internally and extending to business interactions.

Avantgarde Tiling Ltd will make this policy available when requested to interested parties, including members of the public.

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