



Environmental Policy

Policy Statement

ASL recognises as an employer and provider of services, it can have an impact on the environment. ASL will strive towards achieving a more sustainable future by seeking to minimise any adverse environmental impact in the way it operates/discharges its responsibilities.

Aims

The main aims, which ASL seek to achieve, encompassing the scope are

- To ensure that we comply with environmental legislation
- To minimise our adverse impact on the environment, in particular through the
 - (1) Reduction in pollutants/CO₂ emissions
 - (2) Conservation of energy and water
 - (3) Use of recycling
 - (4) Use of sustainable resources
- To improve employee environmental awareness
- To promote partnership working to improve the environment wherever possible

Principles

- ASL will monitor environmental legislation with a view to adopt and amend practices wherever practicable
- Reduction in pollutants/CO₂ emissions
ASL will ensure that policies and procedures are in place to minimise the release of pollutants into the environment including the use of EURO 5 engines in company vehicles where practicable and use of biodegradable products in its operations
- Conservation of energy and water
Steps will be taken to ensure that energy and water consumption are reduced by the use of energy efficient illumination and reduction of water through the latest use of technology where practicable
- Use of recycling

Wherever possible we will make use of recycled products and will seek to recycle waste

- Use of sustainable resources
ASL aims to use sustainable resources including the use of recycled paper
- Employee's awareness of environmental issues and their impact in the workplace through awareness training during induction sessions, publicised literature and ongoing training
- Wherever and whenever possible ASL will seek to support others, such as the Environment Agency and local authorities, by reporting instances that have, or might have, a detrimental impact on the environment.