



Drax Group Environment Policy Statement

This statement sets out our commitment to zero incidents, zero permit breaches and to be an environmental leader: Our climate future at our strategies heart.

We at Drax have always recognised and took responsibility for the environmental impact for our business operations and have always strived to operate in a way that manages these effectively. Often being the innovative leader in environmental management we have developed several aims to help us deliver our vision.

<p>Zero incidents:</p> <p>We are all empowered and expected to ensure that the environmental aspects of our work are understood and managed to prevent any incidents.</p>	<p>Zero Permit Breaches:</p> <p>We ensure our operations are in full compliance with environmental legislation and other compliance obligations.</p>	<p>Environmental Leader:</p> <p>We recognise our responsibilities to society and the environment and is committed to be an innovative leader in the management of the environment across all our activities and business decisions</p>
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Leadership

Strong vision, lead from the front

We will promote good leadership behaviour through clearly communicating expectations and responsibilities, and by listening to our stakeholders in support of continually improving of our systems.

We will recognise and reward excellence and will encourage everyone to make a positive contribution when it comes to enhancing our environmental performance.

Competence

Skills to do the job

We will provide training and instructions so that everyone is able to understand the environmental aspects of their working environment and how to mitigate these. We will make sure that everyone has the appropriate skills to carry out the job that they are expected to do reducing where practicable the environmental impacts.

Managing our Assets

Investing in the future

We will operate our assets in a manner that respects the environmental impacts of our operations and the biodiversity of their respective locations and surroundings.

We will evaluate all commercial opportunities and developments environmentally to ensure that the decisions maintain or improve the Groups environmental performance.

Engagement

Active engagement with all stakeholders

We will discuss our activities with our stakeholders, engaging them to help refine and broaden our understanding, taking note of their views and investigating any concerns promptly.

We will work collaboratively and in consultation with our colleagues, stakeholders and contractors, to deliver effective environmental management across all aspects of work, including planning, design, construction and maintenance of our assets.

Compliance

The minimum standard

We regard compliance with legislation as the minimum achievable standard.

We are committed to managing, monitoring and reducing where practicable the environmental impacts caused by our business through the continual improvement of our operations.

We will maintain a reputation for effective environmental management in part by setting the goal that all our operations achieve certification to ISO 14001.

Performance and improvement

Always striving to be better

We will drive continual improvement in our operations through the development of objectives and targets and robust audits based on the associated risks and opportunities of our strategy across all levels and businesses.

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