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Environmental Policy

General Statement on Environmental Policy

John Jenkins and Son (Scotland) Ltd   will comply with the requirement of current environmental legislation and approved codes of practice. The Company will train employees with regard to policy and will strive to adopt the highest environmental standard and expect similar environmental standards from suppliers and sub-contractors.

Responsibilities

- Environmental officer: Jonny Jenkins has overall responsibility for implementation of the company's environmental policy.

- Implementation of Policy: The Management Team have responsibility to ensure that the company's environmental policy is brought to the attention of all employees and that the requirements of the policy are complied with, wherever the company operates.

- Employees: All employees are expected to comply with the environmental policy.

Environmental Effects

- Environmental impact: Activities which may impact on the environment will be considered on each contract and risk assessments will be carried out to identify and evaluate as far as possible the risk to the environment, which may be occasioned by the activity, and steps shall be taken to minimise any environmental effects.

    Whenever clients have carried out an environmental assessment, this will be used by the management team in planning and programming their works.

- Emissions to air where activities require statutory registration (i.e. asbestos removal). This will be undertaken by suitably qualified and registered sub-contractors. Monitoring regimes will be established to ensure that limits relating to emissions are not exceeded.

Fires will not be used to dispose of waste unless specifically authorised by the local enforcing authority. Any airborne material e.g. dust, smoke, vapour etc. will be minimised to prevent secondary pollution of land or water.

- Contamination of Land waste resulting from our works will be disposed of by registered waste disposal carriers in accordance with:

The Control of Pollution (Amendment) Act 1989.
The Controlled Waste (Registration of Carriers and seizure of Vehicles) Regulation 1991.
Waste management Licencing (Scotland) Regulations 2011).
Special Waste amendment (Scotland) Regulations 2011

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Control of Noise.

Whenever possible attempts should be made to eliminate noise. If elimination of noise is not possible, noise levels should be reduced by making sure the exhausts of compressors, generators and other plant are directed away from the sensitive areas.

Screens faced with sound absorbent materials can be placed around plant.
Material or spoil heaps can act as noise barriers.

Breakers should be fitted with mufflers. Compressors should run with their covers closed and silencers should be maintained on mobile plant.

All equipment should be regularly maintained to prevent noise from loose bearings and leaky compressed air hoses and joints.

Training

Training and instruction will be given on compliance with this policy to all employees.

Audit and Monitoring

Regular audits will be carried out by a member of staff who has been trained on environmental auditing procedures.

Monitoring. Mark Brown will monitor compliance with our policy and report on a monthly basis. All audits will be reviewed by him/her and written confirmation of remedial action will be maintained on the relevant contract files in head office.

Signed: Date: 01/08/19

Position: Managing Director