

Environmental Policy Statement

H Sweet & Sons Ltd provides a comprehensive building service offering construction excellence with a wealth of experience in the Commercial, Residential, Retail and Industrial sectors. This is complemented by a range of specialist businesses offering shopfitting and electrical installation.

In delivering our services we recognise that we will have an impact on the surrounding environment. We therefore accept as our moral duty the need to take all practical steps to prevent harm to the environment.

H Sweet & Sons will fully comply with the duties placed upon it within the requirements of Statutory Legislation, whilst at all times striving for best practice and the requirements and duties set out within Approved Guidance as issued by the Environment Agency and other organisations.

This policy forms the basis for setting environmental objectives that will continually improve the manner in which we operate our business.

It is therefore our aim and policy to:

- Review our activities and identify issues which could have a significant impact on the environment.
- Taking action to eliminate or reduce as far as practicable, any potential adverse environmental impact
- Prevent pollution, reduce waste and protect and preserve natural habitats, flora and fauna
- Where possible, use sustainable, reusable or recyclable products, and suggest changes to the design to improve the sustainability of the project. Minimise noise and vibration levels, traffic nuisance, emission of pollutants and disturbance to the public and local ecosystems, wildlife habitats and preservation of heritage.
- Minimise the risks of environmental accidents through the formulation and adoption of appropriate risk management
- Provide the necessary awareness and training to enable staff at all levels to understand and contribute to the implementation of this policy.
- Promoting environmental awareness amongst our suppliers, contractors and partners

All employees and sub-contractors are required to co-operate and assist in the implementation of this policy, whilst ensuring that their own works, so far as is reasonably practicable, are carried out to help improve environmental performance.

This policy statement has been endorsed by the Board and is on display at our premises and is made available on the internet at www.hsweetandsons.com and can also be made available to the public via request.

Signed: 

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Gareth Sweet
Director for Environmental Matters