

Corporate Environmental Policy













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The Environmental Policy is the declaration of overall intentions and principles related with the general environmental behaviour of the company, and provides the framework for its action and for the establishment of its environmental objectives and goals.

The Environmental Policy of MAXAM, aim to ensure agreement with the ISO-14001:2004 standard, and it's focused specifically on the commitment of compliance with the applicable legislation and regulations, and continuous improvement in this sphere of industrial management.

The bases of the Environmental Policy of MAXAM were set out in 1993 in the following Principles, established by the Chairman-Managing Director:

-  MAXAM considers the protection of the environment to be a basic principle for the progress of its business activity and an essential contribution to sustainable development.
-  MAXAM considers that environment is a function of Management that should be assumed, led and managed by each executive line in its area of responsibility.
-  MAXAM provides all the means at its disposal to achieve a systematic and continuous reduction of the risks which its business may produce, through the use of the most appropriate prevention techniques anytime.
-  MAXAM informs and trains its employees about all the risks which its products and productive activity might produce. It also informs the competent authority about those risks and actively collaborates in their prevention.
-  MAXAM is committed to a continual improvement in the use of resources and the progressive reduction of the environmental impact which its business activity might produce.
-  MAXAM informs its clients about the characteristics and risks of its products and advises on their transport, storage and proper use.
-  MAXAM undertakes to require its contractors and subcontractors to apply, in the deployment of their activities, environmental standards equivalent to its own.
-  MAXAM evaluates and takes into account in all its new projects and industrial developments their effects on the environment, introducing all the necessary systems for an effective protection of persons, facilities and environment.
-  MAXAM, through the whole of its chain of command, has the obligation of observing all the legislation, policies and internal procedures related with the environment.
-  MAXAM ensures that these Environment Principles are known by all the employees and applied in all their industrial and commercial activities.

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