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# Environmental/Sustainability Policy of Killeshal Precast Concrete Limited

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The Environmental Policy of Killeshal Precast Concrete Limited sets out the policy and approach of the company to all aspects of environmental management falling within the scope of the company Environmental Management System and is as follows.

We (the company and all our staff) will not intentionally act in a manner which is harmful to the environment. We will always act and behave in a manner which provides maximum care and protection to the environment in which we live and work. To this end we will act as follows.

Seek and explore opportunities to reduce our consumption of all materials and components which are neither biodegradable nor recyclable in order to minimise the use of landfill.

Where they are available to identify alternatives to non-biodegradable or recyclable products or materials used in our processes.

As a matter of policy to where it is practicable to do so to source materials which are manufactured from sustainable sources of raw materials and which are fully recyclable at end of life.

To incorporate product sustainability in product design and manufacture to the greatest extent possible to minimise the use of non-sustainable raw materials and to maximise the end of life recycling of products manufactured and distributed by the company.

Seek and explore ways and means of reducing our use of all types of energy including electrical or from fossil fuels.

Pursue a policy of reuse and recycle where possible including the elimination of unnecessary printing in all areas of office and administration activity.

Apply strategies which minimise the use of energy at our premises.

Explore, identify and implement alternatives to fossil fuel based energy where possible.

Plan road transport activities in an efficient manner to minimise travel distance and use of energy.

Communicate this policy to all our staff, ensure they understand its content and purpose and are committed to its goals and objectives.

The features of this policy are underpinned by relevant goals and objectives which are communicated to all staff and which are monitored, measured, maintained and improved.

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**Water:** rain water from buildings is collected into holding tanks and used in our production. Waste water from production is collected in a series of silt traps and re-used in production. Water run-off from the yard is monitored by Offaly County Council on a quarterly basis under licence.

**Air:** Air is monitored on a bi-annual basis to ensure good air quality.

**Chemicals:** All chemicals and cleaning materials used at our premises are certified as environmentally friendly.

**Concrete:** The company holds a recycling licence from Offaly County Council to crush our own waste concrete and to separate steel from concrete. Concrete is recycled back into production and steel is sold to licenced steel recyclers.

**Oils:** Waste oils and batteries are removed by licenced recyclers.

This policy will be published in the workplace and will be maintained and updated as the need arises.

**Signed:** \_\_\_\_\_



**Frank Mulligan**

**Chief Executive Officer**

**Date:** 1<sup>st</sup> December 2020