



Environmental Policy Statement

At Stone Group our vision is to create a sustainable growing business which makes a lasting and true impact on the way IT is sold by providing a full circular procurement cycle to our customers for the good of the environment and future generations.

Fundamental to sustainability is recognising our impact on the environment and together we are committed to meeting our environmental responsibilities, minimising impact, preventing pollution and protecting the environment. As part of this Stone is committed to achieving Carbon Net Zero by 2030, with interim goals to monitor and report on progress through our annual carbon reduction plan.

Stone will maintain a companywide environmental management system certified to ISO 14001 in order to monitor, control and continually improve environmental performance. Stone will maintain its Zero to Landfill certification as a demonstration of its commitment towards a circular economy.

Compliance with the requirements of the environmental management system is mandatory for all staff.

Prevention of pollution, reduction in environmental impact and protection of the environment will be achieved by:

- Clear and quantified understanding of Stone's environmental impact.
- Identification & understanding of all environmental legislation applicable to its activities, products & impacts.
- Implementation of defined controls to ensure environmental protection, legal compliance, pollution prevention and minimisation of impact.
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- Commitment of senior management to the development & progression of a programme of impact reductions.
- Working towards the Making a Digital Difference programme agreed by the board.
- Internal communication of environmental policy, controls & programme.
- Development of Stone's products & services to meet recognised standards, social responsibilities, and market demands. As part of our commitment and approach to broad and inclusive engagement, Stone supports a variety of charters and pledges that promote social and environmental sustainability including DEFRA Digital Sustainability Alliance and UN Race to Zero.
- Provision of IT recycling services to meet its producer obligations for the mitigation of impacts from end-of-life EEE.
- Continued review by senior management of environmental performance.

For and on behalf of the board of directors

Simon Harbridge – CEO
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