



Independent Communication Solutions

Policy

Sustainability

Independent Communication Solutions was founded in 1997 and, in the UK, is a provider of command, control and communication products and services to companies operating in the fibre optic, communications, CCTV/security and intelligent building market places. We undertake a range of activities including surveying, design, pre-building, installation commissioning and maintenance.

Independent Communication Solutions is committed to protecting and enhancing local and global environments and ensuring that its activities are carried out in a sustainable way.

To meet this aims of this policy we will endeavour to:

- Be aware of all new environmental legislation and regulations.
- Comply with all environmental legislation and regulation.

- Minimise our energy use and the associated CO₂ emissions.
- Minimise polluting emissions to air, land and water.
- Minimise the use of polluting forms of transport.
- Maximise the use of renewable energy sources.

- Minimise raw material consumption.
- Minimise the use of water.
- Minimise the generation of waste.
- Maximise the use of material from renewable sources.
- Maximise the use of local products and local workforce.
- Maximise the re-use of materials and products.
- Maximise the use of recycled materials and products.
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- Assess the environmental impact of all our working practices.
- Assess the environmental impact of all our designs and products.
- Assess the whole life environmental performance of all materials and equipment we purchase.
- Ensure that project design, procurement, pre-build, construction and maintenance is undertaken in a manner compatible with sustainable development.

To further the aims of this policy we will:

- Provide adequate environmental training for all staff.
- Assess the environmental performance of all suppliers.
- Develop a set of environmental targets and action plans.
- Review this environmental policy and its action plans periodically with a view to continuous improvement.
- Work towards the adoption of an Environmental Management System.

Signed,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Alan Ogden'.

**Alan Ogden,
Director.**

Date: 3rd January 2005