

Sustainability Policy Statement

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Review and Amendments

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CID Trading Limited are committed to promoting an ethical and sustainable operation and supply chain. We will achieve this by thorough scrutiny and analysis of all of our operations and those of our suppliers taking into account all of the following:

- Political implications
- Economic implications
- Social implications
- Technological implications
- Legal implications
- Environmental implications

CID Trading Ltd undertake to do the following:

- Give preference opportunities, where practicable, to local SME's who actively manage sustainability in the supply chain.
- Be constantly on the lookout for manufacturing partners in the UK or Europe to reduce our carbon footprint and have a source closer to our domestic market.
- Detailed aspects of our policy we also constantly kept in focus are:
 - 1. **Payment** Pay on time to agreed payment terms.
 - 2. **Sustainable Supply Chain Development** Improve our combined capability to deliver sustainable outcomes.
 - 3. **Encourage Supplier Diversity** Offer small and medium enterprises, social enterprises and local businesses the opportunity to participate in our supply chain and to work with suppliers who actively manage diversity & inclusion in their workforce.
 - 4. **Developing Skills and Talent** Recruit locally and provide opportunities for graduates, trainees, apprenticeships and work experience.
 - 5. **Labour Standards** Implement a proactive approach to tackling modern slavery and labour exploitation and work to eliminate these practices in our wider supply chain.
 - 6. **Community Engagement** Engage positively with the local community and work to avoid disruption to local people.
 - 7. **Social Value** Quantify the local social, environmental and economic impact of our supply chain.
 - 8. **Environmental Management** Work to reduce the key environmental impacts of our operations and work with suppliers and subcontractors to minimise and manage these impacts and ensure legal compliance.
 - 9. **Energy & Carbon** Reduce our operational energy use and scope 3 emissions and quantify the embodied carbon of key materials.
 - 10. Vehicle Fleet CID Trading have a target of operating a green/hybrid/electric vehicle fleet by 2030.
 - 11. Air Quality Reduce impacts on air quality by controlling dust and harmful emissions.
 - 12. Biodiversity Protect biodiversity and, where possible, deliver measurable net gains in biodiversity.
 - 13. **Water** Reduce the operational water use of our projects and quantify the embodied water of key materials.
 - 14. **Ethical Sourcing** Source products, materials and services ethically through recognised and credible standards.
 - 15. **Circular Economy & Resource Efficiency** Minimise waste and use of materials and give preference to materials, products and services with greatest circular-economy benefits.

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