

Environmental and Energy Policy

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As a leading company in the sector of flexible metallic elements, we see ourselves as being particularly responsible for the protection and preservation of the nature, environment and natural livelihood. At an early stage, we committed ourselves to a corporate management that is oriented towards the careful use of resources. It is always our goal to avoid impairments and burdens on the environment caused by the production, distribution, use and disposal of our products and, where not possible, to reduce them to a minimum and to use resources, including all energy sources, efficiently and carefully. For us, compliance with applicable legal obligations and other requirements is a matter of course. We ensure that all requirements of the DIN EN ISO 50001 and DIN EN ISO 14001 standards are correctly implemented and that the processes within the management systems are continuously improved.



The following guidelines apply to the implementation of the environmental and energy policy:

- We consider the preservation of the natural livelihood for future generations as an important part of our social and environmental responsibility.
- We consider the protection of the natural environment and the improvement of our energy-related performance to be important parts of our corporate management and define concrete targets and rules of conduct for their implementation.
- We are committed to provide all necessary information and resources to achieve our defined targets.
- We recognize and understand the importance of each individual employee in the implementation of environmental
 protection measures and improvement of our energy-related performance and create appropriate qualification
 offers as well as adequate working conditions.
- We identify and evaluate the environmental impacts of our operational processes through continuous analysis. New processes and materials are examined for their environmental compatibility before their use.
- We will prioritize, wherever possible, purchased products and services and design or construction operations that will improve our energy-related performance.
- We are committed to continuously improve our environmental and energy performance and take all necessary measures to avoid, eliminate or at least minimise environmental impacts and energy consumption.
- We inform our customers, the public and the relevant regulatory authorities about our social and environmental commitment in an annual sustainability report.

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