

Background

Ansell and its affiliates (Ansell) form a leading global corporation to provide innovative solutions for safety, well-being and peace of mind, no matter who or where you are. We operate our Industrial Global Business Unit and Healthcare Global Business Unit in the 828 markets around the world. Millions of workers and professionals rely on Ansell solutions for optimal protection against the risks to which they are exposed.

Ansell is an environmentally responsible company. We recognize that environmental stewardship is an essential part of good corporate citizenship and fundamental to Corporate Risk Management and Sustainability.

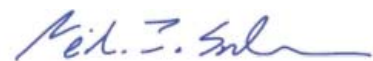
Purpose

Ansell is committed to protecting the environment and minimizing any impact of our operations on the environment by adopting sound environmental practices in all our activities, products and services. To meet our environmental objectives, Ansell will:

- Ensure that this Policy is communicated to all persons working for, or on behalf, of the Company.
- Sponsor programs and provide training to increase environmental awareness to ensure that all employees understand their obligations and responsibilities.
- Manage operations in a cost-effective manner, making efficient use of resources and minimizing potentially adverse environmental impacts.
- Meet or exceed all applicable environmental laws and regulations and other environmental requirements.
- Set objectives and targets for emissions, energy, water withdrawals and waste that strive for pollution prevention and industry best practice environmental stewardship standards while driving continual improvement. These goals and related performance will be monitored, and reports will be made available to all stakeholders periodically.
- Minimize the use of all resources and drive our Zero Waste to Landfill goal in our in-house Manufacturing facilities
- Maintain a reporting system that advises senior executives immediately of any serious incident detrimental to the environment.
- Promote information exchange and the adoption of similar environmental protection policies by suppliers, vendors and contractors.

It is Ansell's aim to manage our business whereby growth, commercial objectives and the protection of the environment are appropriately balanced to optimize benefits for present and future generations *while living by our ethos of start clean, run clean and leave clean.*

To learn more about Ansell's Environmental programs and developments, please refer to Ansell's most recent Sustainability Report found on our website www.ansell.com.



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