



EFFECTIVE ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT

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Environmental Policy

I have a mission to make environmental management THE business norm. So Eshcon was established in 2006 to help organisations manage their impacts and find commercial benefits.

Although as a one-person consultancy Eshcon's impacts are minor and low risk, I am committed to excellent environmental management and the prevention of pollution. I have implemented an ISO 14001 Environmental Management System (EMS) to fulfil the company's compliance obligations, striving for continual improvement to enhance environmental performance.

Eshcon is a business with purpose, an ethical organisation, where possible choosing suppliers, investments and partners that have a good environmental and social principles. Importantly, I have opportunity for positive change, supporting clients in their environmental activities through my main consultancy services.

Eshcon supports the UN's Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), indirectly promoting them to others and directly, linking to many of the goals such as sustainable consumption and climate action. Eshcon has signed the Pledge to Net Zero, setting a science-based target to align with a 1.5° scenario, reducing emissions by 63% over a 15-year period and using carbon offsets to compensate for unavoidable emissions.

This Environmental Management System provides the framework for setting and reviewing environmental objectives, as follows:

- Minimise greenhouse gas (carbon) emissions
- Reduce the impact of transport, by reducing the need to travel and choosing alternative transport options
- Improve energy and water efficiency, and use renewable energy
- Promote waste minimisation and recycling, with good waste management
- Consider the use of materials and products with a lower environmental impact
- Reduce single-use plastics
- Protect wildlife and biodiversity
- Work with clients, contractors and partners to help them understand and reduce their own environmental impacts.

I seek absolute reductions in environmental impacts, as well as relative improvements.

This policy, progress of the Environmental Management System and achievements will be regularly reviewed and communicated to interested parties.

It is an exciting time to be involved in delivering my mission to make environmental management THE business norm.

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Director

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Reducing impacts, cutting costs, saving time and winning business - this is Effective Environmental Management