

Group Environmental & Energy Policy Statement

PD Ports is an established port and logistics business offering marine and port operations, warehousing, transport, forwarding and chartering throughout the UK. We recognise environmental protection and improved energy performance as key components of sound business performance.

We will ensure availability of information and necessary resources to:

- Maintain our certification to ISO 14001 and ISO 50001 and operate as a minimum in compliance with all relevant legal and other requirements applicable to our business.
- Incorporate environmental issues and energy considerations into our decision making and operations, including in design and purchasing activities.
- Train, educate and inform our employees about environmental issues that may affect their work and promote environmental and energy awareness to all those working on our sites.
- Ensure there are adequately trained personnel and suitable equipment available to respond immediately to any environmental / pollution incident and to regularly exercise contingency plans.
- Promote efficient use of resources and reduction of waste throughout our operations including electricity, fuel, raw materials, water, and other resources, particularly those that are non-renewable, thereby reducing our carbon footprint.
- Work with our customers and suppliers to assess opportunities for the use of renewable and alternative energy sources.
- When dealing with any substances, especially hazardous substances, take all reasonable steps to prevent pollution during handling, transportation, storage, and disposal, including developing procedures for dealing with emergencies and spill response in consultation with our neighbours and tenants as appropriate.
- To plan for changing environmental conditions through, amongst other measures, the development and regular review of a climate change mitigation and adaptation plan.
- Minimise the impact of our activities on the local community and communicate proactively
 on the environment with interested parties, including customers, tenants. Local residents
 and public authorities.
- Minimise our impact on the ecology and the surrounding environment through the terrestrial and marine planning process. Undertake and regulate marine movements to minimise the impact on the surrounding environment and other stakeholders.
- Strive to continually improve our environment and energy performance by setting and periodically reviewing our environmental objectives and energy targets in light of new legislation and future plans.

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