

Environmental Policy

【Basic Philosophy】

The NST Group recognizes that contribution to a decarbonized society and environmental conservation is an issue of top priority for business management. Through a wide range of global business activities, we will strive to protect the global environment, aiming for the achievement of a sustainable society.

【Action Policy】

1. Compliance with Environment-related Laws and Regulations

We will observe domestic and overseas environment-related laws and regulations as well as other agreements we have signed.

2. Measures against Climate Change

To address climate change, we will strive to reduce greenhouse gas emissions. In addition, we will contribute to greenhouse gas reduction throughout the supply chain by selling eco-products and proposing eco-solutions.

3. Consideration for the Natural Environment

In our business activities, we will give full consideration to the effects on natural ecosystems and strive to maintain and conserve biodiversity.

4. Efficient Use of Resources and Energy

Based on our recognition that the Earth's resources and energy are finite, we will promote their efficient use. In addition, we will promote initiatives for the 4Rs (Reduce, Reuse, Recycle, and Renewable) of waste management and contribute to a recycling-oriented society and sustainable living.

5. Continual Improvement of the Environmental Management System

We will establish an environmental management system based on our Environmental Policy. To further increase our environmental performance, we will implement the PDCA (Plan-Do-Check-Act) cycle effectively and strive for a continual improvement and enhancement.

6. Communication of and Thorough Compliance with the Environmental Policy

We will communicate this Environmental Policy to all Group employees, conduct training activities, and enhance environmental awareness among all Group employees, aiming to develop corporate personnel who are able to understand the importance of protecting the global environment and take actions toward that goal.

7. Information Disclosure

We will disclose this Environmental Policy to the public and strive to actively disclose environment-related information, aiming to be a company trusted from society.

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