



Environmental Policy

Purpose:

The purpose of this procedure is to describe the company environmental policy. Its intention is to ensure that the company complies with ISO 14001:2004.

Responsibilities/Control:

- The C.E.O is responsible for the approval and amendments of this policy.
- The document controller is responsible for all document control of this procedure
- Company environmental policy statements will be made available to the public by way of promotional material and the company website.
- Copies of policy statements will be visible in the office area and the original will be available on request.
- Staff will be introduced to the company environmental policy during staff induction and copies will be available in all staff rooms and in all company manuals.

Policy:

Mission Estate Environmental Policy

Continual Improvement and pollution prevention

Mission Estate is committed to the continual development of improved environmental performance; the prevention of environmental pollution and the reduction of the environmental impact of its activities. Where possible the company will strive to:

- Maintain the life supporting capacity of the soil, water and air.
- Maintain the planets biodiversity
- Seek to us non-chemical/environmentally friendly methods of production.
- Reduce the use of non-renewable resources
- Where appropriate apply a precautionary approach to the prevention of environmental degradation

Compliance with existing environmental legislation

Mission Estate Winery will comply with or exceed all relevant environmental legislation. Mission Estate Winery will make publicly available any resource consents, including consent conditions, relating to the above legislation. As part of the company management system, Mission Estate Winery will where appropriate monitor and record its compliance to the legislation mentioned above. Such records will be publicly available.

Review of the company environmental policy statements.

Mission Estate Winery will review its company environmental policy statements at least once a year. This will take place shortly after a management system review. An environmental report will be tabled at a company

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board meeting annually.

Review of the company environmental performance objectives and targets.

Mission Estate Winery will review its company environmental performance objectives and targets annually at management review. This will be conducted by EMS management at the time of the management systems review and will reflect statement of company intent pertaining to environmental policy.

Commitment and involvement of senior management.

The winemaker is appointed by Mission Estate senior management as the company EMS representative. The winemaker is directly responsible for the implementation of a number of environmental performance objectives and targets ensuring company commitment to continual environmental performance improvement etc. In addition, EMS management will conduct all environmental performance reviews and management system reviews.

Communication of policy statements to all staff.

Mission Estate Winery will ensure that the company environmental policy statements are communicated to all staff.

Company commitment to the resourcing of key staff.

The board of Mission Estate Winery will ensure that adequate resources are available for each of the key staff in the company in order to continue commitment to continual environmental performance improvement.

Public availability of the company environmental policy statements.

Mission Estate Winery will make its environmental policy statements available to the public at large.

Signed on behalf of company board

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