

## Asesoramiento Ambiental Estratégico Environmental Policy Statement

As an environmental consultancy company, Asesoramiento Ambiental Estratégico (AAE) is committed to managing environmental impact as an integral part of our operations at all times. Our commitment to the environment extends to our associated consultants, and the community in which we operate.

As such, we are adhering to the following principles:

- We comply with environmental regulations where we are operating and strive to follow best environmental, safety and health standards;
- We are an environmentally responsible neighbour in the community where we operate, and correct incidents or conditions that endanger health, safety, or the environment;
- We reduce waste going to the landfill by minimizing amount of waste produced, reusing materials when possible, and recycling other wastes;
- We are almost paper free and when we cannot avoid printing, we use recycled paper if available where we are operating;
- We ensure the responsible use of energy, including conserving energy, improving energy efficiency, and giving preference to renewable energy when feasible;
- We strive to reduce environmental impact of stakeholder events (workshops, consultations, trainings, etc.) happening as part of project implementation, to the extent possible;
- We make extensive use of conference calls and offset emissions from unavoidable air travel of permanent staff as well as associated consultants at the end of each year;
- We convey to our clients, associated consultants, the community in which we operate and the general public our strong environmental, safety and health commitment.

We will strive to improve our environmental performance over time and to initiate additional projects and activities that will further reduce our impacts on the environment.

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