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Bowmer + Kirkland is committed to promoting the conservation and sustainable use of natural resources, to preventing environmental pollution and to promote energy efficiency in all of its own construction activities and those of its sub-contractors and suppliers.

To achieve a high standard of environmental performance on our construction projects and related operations, we are committed to operating and maintaining a certified Environmental Management System that complies with ISO 14001: 2015. To promote efficiency this is part of an Integrated Management System which also complies with ISO 9001: 2015 (Quality) and ISO 45001:2018 (Health + Safety).

It is the general policy, therefore, to:

- Minimise any potential effects on the environment arising from site operations
- Liaise with our Clients on any potential environmental and sustainability issues and work with them to address issues and concerns
- Set clear environmental objectives and targets that are regularly reviewed to enable continual improvement in our overall environmental management performance
- Provide appropriate training for our employees
- Foster a constructive working environment through liaison with government and other interested parties, together with the communities in which we work.
- Conserve energy through minimising

consumption, maximising efficiency and monitoring our carbon emissions

- Develop management processes and operational procedures to prevent pollution and enable compliance with environmental laws, regulations, codes of practice and other relevant obligations
- Minimise the use of materials which may be harmful to the environment
- Promote efficient purchasing which will avoid waste, incorporate sustainable materials and allow for materials to be recycled at the end of building life.
- Employ sound waste management practices and encourage the efficient use of materials
- Promote prudent environmental practice in design
- Recognise and encourage the contribution every employee can make towards improving the Company's environmental performance

This Environmental Policy, together with our Management System, will be periodically reviewed to ensure their continued suitability within an ever-changing industry.

**Signed:**

**J A C Kirkland - Chairman**  
**Date 11th January 2021**