

**DEPARTMENTAL PROCEDURE FOR  
GENERAL COMPANY PROCEDURE**



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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION POLICY

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1. **INTRODUCTION**

Brush Traction is an independent engineering company within the Melrose Group and whose origin dates back to 1879 and is today committed to the design, manufacture and supply of Rolling Stock and equipment for the Transport Industry throughout the World.

2. **ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION POLICY**

Brush Traction regard the promotion of measures preventing environmental pollution as a mutual objective for Management and Employees at all levels. It is, therefore, the policy to do all that is possible to protect the environment and local communities.

To this end, it is Brush Traction's intention to discharge its responsibility to:-

- a) Maintain an Environmental Management System compliant to ISO 14001.
- b) Raise the level of employee awareness of environmental issues and promote a responsible, accountable and environmentally aware culture throughout the Company. Train employees to manage the environmental impacts of their work. Encourage employee reporting of non-compliant practices to senior management wherever they believe it is appropriate.
- c) Provide all necessary equipment and devices to comply with statutory requirements and Brush Traction's policy with the BATNEEC (Best Available Techniques Not Entailing Excessive Costs) philosophy.
- d) Maintain a constant and continuing interest in environmental matters where applicable to Brush Traction and to keep reviewing objectives and targets.
- e) Brush Traction is committed to continuous improvement and the prevention of pollution.
- f) For all products, focus on product stewardship and identify ways of improving efficiency throughout the supply chain and manufacturing process to reduce consumption of materials (liquid and solid waste), energy (Co2) and other resources and to minimise harmful emissions (VOC). Sensitivity to environmental issues should be incorporated in the planning (Management Plan), design and operation of facilities and services, including the recycling and reuse of materials and reduction in the use, or replacement where possible, of substances which may be harmful to the environment.
- g) Develop and market products and services to meet current environmental legal requirements. Promote the environmental credentials of the Company and its products to customers and the public at large. Each successive product should be targeted to be produced more efficiently than its predecessor, and where appropriate, should be capable of being reused, recycled or safely disposed of.
- h) Minimise environmental impacts, for the life cycle; (including disposal) of plant, equipment and other assets.