



Environmental Policy

Care of the environment is integral to a successful business

At Boots we know about care of the environment, having considered it in our business thinking and operations for many years. For us, good environmental management makes good business sense and goes beyond the essentials of pollution prevention and legislative compliance.

We will continually strive to minimise adverse environmental impacts of our business operations and promote ways of working which protect the environment and conserve important resources. We will ensure that potential environmental impacts are properly considered in our decision making processes and monitor key environmental impacts associated with our activities.

We endeavour to achieve this by:

- Ensuring responsible sourcing and efficient use of resources, including in products, packaging-materials, water and energy
- Minimising waste and promoting sustainable reuse and recycling
- Ensuring responsible management of waste that is unavoidable
- Maintaining an appropriate environmental management system, including management standards and auditing
- Setting objectives and targets where appropriate and report our progress at least annually

We will expect all our people and our suppliers of goods and services to play their part in supporting Boots in delivering against the aims of this Policy. By working together in this way we will continue to build on the core principles of the Boots brand, enhancing the ways in which we work to protect the earth's resources for future generations

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