

## **Environmental Policy**

For us, environmentally conscious action is not only a corporate duty, but also an important prerequisite for maintaining natural resources and thus our profitability and competitiveness in the long term. We behave towards the environment in such a way that the use of resources and a negative impact on our environment are minimized. To achieve our goal, we take the following measures, among others:

- Prevention of environmental pollution
- Strict waste separation and reduction of waste, also through reuse
- of materials used, if possible
- Economical water consumption and waste water protection
- Efficient process design to avoid waste of resources
- Promotion of environmental awareness among employees and business partners
- Effective and efficient monitoring of environmental indicators

Occupational safety has the highest priority at Novoplast Schlauchtechnik GmbH. In order to avoid health hazards, occupational safety and health and safety regulations must be observed. Occupational safety is not a minor matter, but an obligatory task for each individual. The management staff have an important role model function. We plan and operate our plants in strict compliance with safety regulations. In this way we reduce the risk of accidents and ensure trouble-free plant operation.

In addition, we have established an environmental management system in accordance with DIN EN ISO 14001 to improve our environmental performance. Within the framework of this management system, all necessary measures are defined and implemented to achieve our environmental requirements, taking into account the applicable statutory and official regulations.

## **Energy Policy**

Energy-conscious action and the continuous improvement of our energy-related performance are important prerequisites for us to preserve natural resources and thus our economic efficiency and competitiveness in the long term. To achieve our goal, we take the following measures, among others:

- Avoiding waste of energy
- Promotion of energy awareness among employees
- Energy-efficient procurement and design of products/services and manufacture of our products, if technically feasible and economically reasonable
- Effective and efficient monitoring of energy consumption
- Determination and regular evaluation of energy key figures

In addition, an energy management system in accordance with DIN EN ISO 50001 has been established to monitor and optimise our energy consumption in order to continuously improve our energy-related performance. Within the framework of this management system, all necessary measures are defined and implemented and resources and information are made available that are necessary to achieve our energy requirements. The focus is on the obligation to comply with legal and statutory requirements.

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