

Environmental policy statement

Deca Packaging Group and all its subsidiaries, in short DECA, is very aware of the increasing pressure on our planet regarding the environment. This is why Deca is committed to limiting the impact its activities have on the environment to a minimum. A sustainable society that takes account of the future is now needed more than ever.

For these reasons, we will always do everything in our power to treat our world sustainably. We want to base all our activities on, but not limit them to, the applicable legislation and the international environmental standard ISO14001. Continuous improvement in the area of environment is therefore a priority.

1. Protecting the environment, including the prevention of pollution

All waste is stored safely until it is collected by licensed waste processing companies. Wastewater, which may contain oil or other contamination, is treated internally so dangerous substances are always separated. Before it flows back to the sewer system, this water is filtered again by a hydrocarbon separator.

2. The sustainable use of raw materials, reducing climate change, protecting biodiversity and ecosystems

By choosing raw materials with the best technical properties, we succeed in limiting the use of raw materials to a minimum, without affecting the strong quality requirements of our packaging.

To reduce the impact on climate change, a photovoltaic solar panel installation has been built on the roofs of our industrial building. Because of this, we can generate part of the electricity we use ourselves.

DECA has a rainwater collecting area on its company premises. This rainwater collecting area is a reservoir with the objective of improving the biodiversity around the company premises. The rainwater is also used to flush the toilets and thus reduce the use of drinking water.

3. Complying with all local and European legislation

DECA undertakes to consider the applicable legislation as a minimum, and exceed this where possible.

4. The continuous improvement of our environmental protection system

All above-mentioned measures will be continuously evaluated, adapted and improved where necessary.

We laid down environmental protection measures related to this policy statement. These measures can be found in document ER04 Environmental Protection Objectives.

This policy is communicated to all parties concerned and is made available to interested parties on our bulletin boards and intranet.



Signed : Patrik De Cat- Managing director

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