



Sustainable Procurement Policy

1.1 Overall Aim

Streetwise Couriers is committed to ensuring the goods and services it purchases:

- are manufactured, delivered, used and disposed of in an environmentally and socially responsible manner and
- deliver long term value for money for the Company

1.2 Key sustainability objectives

Buying more sustainably offers:

- potential whole life cost savings
- supports our commitment to Good Corporate Citizenship
- safeguards our reputation as a responsible company and
- protects the health of staff, and the public at large.

The key objectives addressed by this policy are:

- Optimising fossil fuel usage to minimise climate change
- Reducing usage of hazardous materials
- Reducing waste /recycling waste
- Complying with current (and anticipating future) legislation

1.3 Scope

This policy applies to all purchasing activities within the company.

1.4. Demand Review

Prior to any proposed procurement, buyers will review the aggregate requirement to minimise volume, scale, costs and environmental impact.

Buyers will establish that:

- there is a genuine operational need for the purchase,
- all cost effective opportunities for products to be shared, upgraded, refurbished, leased or delivered as a service have been exploited,
- the product will be used efficiently, minimising waste

Where relevant, Streetwise Couriers will evaluate all procurement on the basis of long term value for money, using whole life costing

1.5 Innovation & Supplier Development

Streetwise Couriers will encourage suppliers to propose innovations which improve the sustainability of their product.