

# ENVIRONMENT POLICY

## OUR BELIEF

Northern Territory Airports Pty. Ltd. (NTAPL) recognises the importance of maintaining and enhancing the quality of the environment for the benefit of all Australians, present and future. We seek to incorporate sustainability principles in all that we do.

We strive to be valued corporate citizens in our communities. We respect the values and cultural heritage of the local people.

We are guided in the development and implementation of our management systems by the company's Vision, Purpose and Values. These are available on our website. New staff are provided both the Vision, Purpose and Values and a copy of this policy on induction.

## SCOPE

This Policy statement covers all operations at Darwin International Airport (DIA) and our use of the Joint User areas, Alice Springs Airport (ASA), and Tennant Creek Airport (TCA). It covers both aviation and non-aviation related activities carried out by NTAPL staff, tenants, and contractors. Our environment management systems cover key environmental attributes detailed in the 2009 Final DIA and ASA Environment Strategies, the DIA (2010) and ASA (2009) Final Master Plans, and the TCA Development Manual. Key environmental issues addressed at these sites include water, soils, air, biodiversity, waste and pollution, social/cultural heritage, and people. Our systems cover both routine and emergency operating conditions at the Airports.

## OUR COMMITMENT

We are committed to:

- the highest standards in our environmental performance
- zero harm to the environment
- prevention of pollution
- efficient use of resources
- compliance with all our legal obligations and other requirements
- continual improvement of our systems and processes

## OUR ACTIONS

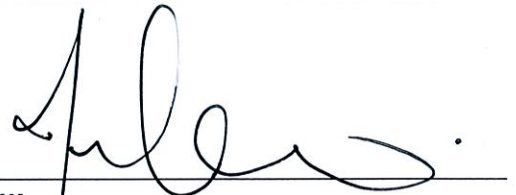
In order to meet our commitments, we will:

- Ensure that all staff and other people working for, or on behalf of the Northern Territory Airports are aware of this Policy
- Make this Policy publicly available
- Ensure that safety of the environment are key priorities
- Minimise our environmental impacts
- Identify and manage all significant environmental risks/impacts

- Consult with relevant authorities and the community, and set specific environmental objectives and targets to minimise our environmental impact
- Operate Management Systems that strive for best practice in environment and sustainability
- Develop and review measurable objectives, and targets that promote continual improvement of our environment performance
- Prevent pollution through targeted purchasing, operational controls and thorough emergency planning
- Promote the Company's commitment to the environment and neighbours
- Ensure environment roles and responsibilities are documented, clearly communicated, understood and accepted by all staff
- Ensure personnel and contractors have the necessary information, training and supervision to meet regulatory and corporate requirements
- Empower our people with quality training and resources, ensuring they are "environment leaders" within our business
- Lead and encourage stakeholders to improve the environment, resources and communities in the regions in which we operate.

We are all responsible for achieving a sustainable environment. By embedding a comprehensive and responsible culture throughout our business, we will meet our environmental goals.

To ensure the fulfilment of these commitments, we will develop, implement and maintain management systems consistent with the Australian and International Standards (AS/NZS ISO 14001: 2004 and AS/NZS ISO 9001: 2008). We will review this policy statement annually (as part of our Management Review), in order to assess its' on-going relevance and to ensure it is being maintained and implemented.



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