



**Ecolaire  
España**  
Grupo OHL

## QUALITY AND ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY

Since its foundation, **OHL Industrial - Ecolaire** has regarded Quality and environmental protection as one of the basic pillars in the development of its activity, and a vital differential element for guaranteeing competitiveness, success and leadership within its field of action both on a national and an international level.

Improvements in the efficiency and efficacy of our processes in order to meet the needs of our clients – which is the main achievement of quality management and is what allows us to grow and progress in technological terms – are possible thanks to the commitment of OHL Industrial - Ecolaire staff, their high skill level, their great motivation, their satisfaction in work well done and their pride in feeling part of a business project at the head of the market.

The Quality and Environmental policy defined by OHL Industrial - Ecolaire management, as a general frame of reference for the performance of all our activities, is underpinned by the following principles:

- *Focusing of our processes on the continuous satisfaction of our clients, through the identification and acceptance of their current and future requirements and needs, and the deployment of great efforts in order to exceed their expectations.*
- *The permanent effort to avoid contamination and to minimise the environmental impact which may be generated by the performance of certain activities, in accordance with the description in the ENVIRONMENTAL ACTIONS which complement, and form an integral part of, this POLICY.*
- *The current and future legal and regulatory requirements that are relevant, both those of an environmental character and those related to Quality and defined contractually, are rigorously fulfilled, as are all other requirements that the organisation may sign.*
- *Guaranteeing the inclusion and development of the principle of continuous improvement in all of the organisation's activities, with a bias towards improvement of overall performance.*
- *Creation and maintenance of shared values at all levels of the organisation, with the aim of encouraging greater participation and involvement of all staff in the achievement of the organisation's goals.*
- *Constantly investing in employee knowledge, to ensure that they can meet changing market needs.*
- *Planning and carrying out our activities under controlled conditions, monitoring them suitably and taking the necessary actions to achieve the desired outcome.*
- *Encouraging our suppliers to be more integrated in and committed to the development of our processes, so as to enhance mutual benefits and both parties' capacity to create value, thereby improving our products and services.*

The OHL Industrial - Ecolaire management trusts that the entire organisation realises the importance of this document and incorporates it into their working life.

This POLICY is available to clients and the general public. Requests for information from interested parties are responded to and, when it is deemed necessary, information related to the impact of our activities on the Environment is provided.

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## **ENVIRONMENTAL ACTIONS**

OHL Industrial - Ecolaire, within the scope of its various lines of business, pays special attention to the following ENVIRONMENTAL ACTIONS:

- *Separation, storage and adequate handling of waste matter, particularly harmful and sanitary waste.*
- *Minimising or reusing inert waste and other waste such as wood, metal or plastic, throwing the least amount possible into the rubbish tip.*
- *Reducing the generation of harmful waste and of waste that can be processed as urban waste, by means of reuse, bulk or loose buying or the use of large packaging.*
- *Sensible management of national resources such as energy or raw materials. Preferable use of non-harmful or less harmful substances.*
- *Attempt to prevent contamination of water and soil, controlling the composition of liquid waste dumping, and correcting their parameters so as to achieve non-harmful levels.*
- *Attempt to reduce erosion and deterioration of the soil, protecting its quality and avoiding compacting, contamination by harmful substances and loss of fertility by deterioration or elimination of the vegetative layer.*
- *Attempt to reduce atmospheric contamination by controlling the emission of dust and particles from transport, circulation or combustion of equipment.*
- *Attempt to reduce disturbance caused by noise, vibrations or light emission to the social environment, flora and fauna which may lead to stress, changes in behaviour, physiological discomfort, etc.*
- *Controlling emissions of contaminating gases into the atmosphere in significant combustion centres, attempting to introduce measures to reduce either the amount emitted or their effects on flora, fauna or the social environment.*
- *Controlling activities in order to reduce harmful effects on flora and fauna and on biodiversity, particularly when felling, clearing scrubland, creating access and carrying out explosions.*
- *Execution of a follow-up study of the harmful effects on flora, fauna and biodiversity; attempt at conservation of the environment and in the case of deteriorated areas, these will be restored.*
- *Control of activities in order to avoid or minimise damage caused to Artistic, Historic and / or Archaeological Heritage, and Protected Areas for flora and fauna, Places of Communal Interest, Natural Parks and other areas subject to protection.*

These actions are considered to be of maximum relevance, in each and every activity, in accordance with their level of application.

In any case, possible emergency situations must be acknowledged as well as the potential environmental problems that could derive from them; the necessary preventative and/or minimising measures must be made available and corrective measures must be applied when an emergency occurs.

The application of these principles must be carried out within feasible technical and economic limits.

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