DYFED ARCHAEOLOGICAL TRUST ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION POLICY



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DYFED ARCHAEOLOGICAL TRUST ("DAT")

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION POLICY

Conscientious protection of the environment is an integral part of DAT's working practices.

It is an objective of DAT to ensure that all its work is carried out in accordance with relevant environmental legislation and that all reasonably practicable measures are taken to minimise waste and avoid and/or ameliorate damage or nuisance to the environment.

DAT's management and supervisory staff shall ensure that they are aware at all times of the need for effective protection of the environment when carrying out DAT operations (subject to requirements of Health and Safety), and when planning day-to-day supervision of work.

All employees and sub-contractors shall (and visitors shall be requested to) observe this Policy and ensure that their own work, so far as is reasonably practicable, is undertaken without risk or nuisance to the environment.

In particular DAT will:

- minimise waste by evaluating operations and ensuring that they are as efficient as possible;
- minimise toxic emissions through the selection and use of its vehicles and the source of power supply to its offices;
- actively promote recycling both internally and amongst its subcontractors and suppliers;
- implement a training programme for staff to raise awareness of environmental issues;
- comply in any other way in relation to its operations with relevant environmental legislation.

DAT's Chief Executive has particular responsibility for environmental matters, and reference should be made to that person in the event of any difficulty arising in the implementation of this Policy. Appropriate external advice will be sought where necessary.

The operation of this Policy will be monitored by the management and supervisory staff of DAT at all permanent and temporary workplaces.

This statement of DAT Policy will be displayed prominently at all sites and work places and all staff will be issued with a copy.