



ArcelorMittal

ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY

OJSC "ArcelorMittal Kryviy Rih"

Environmental policy of the enterprise determines principles, targets, objectives and main directions of "ArcelorMittal" Company activities in environmental protection sphere and environmental safety ensuring for long-run period. It is aimed at formation of favourable conditions for business-strategy realization at domestic and international markets and ensuring of the Company's goodwill.

Liabilities for environmental protection and environmental safety ensuring apply to all productions of the enterprise. In our activities we undertake:

1. To realize our environmental strategy on the basis of best available technologies in environmental activity and methods of environmental safety management use.
2. To expand international cooperation in the area of environmentally friendly, efficient and economically sound technologies and equipment creation.
3. To make and implement decisions with obligatory account of environmental aspects of planned activity, manufactured products and provided services.
4. To develop and realize long-term environmental programmes and current environmental protection measures with taking into consideration of financial capacity of the Company.
5. To ensure priority ranking of energy saving and cost effective use of resources, efficient use of natural resources in our production activity.
6. To reduce pollutants emissions and discharges, to decrease volumes of wastes formation and disposal by improvement of industrial wastes management system and maximum incorporation of wastes in the raw material base of the enterprise due to new environmentally safe technologies, equipment and materials implementation, and increase the level of control automation over operating procedures.
7. To reclaim the territory of open cast mines, dumps and caving zones.
8. To manufacture environmentally friendly products focusing special attention on their use and subsequent recycling.
9. To introduce an environmental monitoring system on the major emission sources in the enterprise's influence area, increasing efficiency of production control and environmental monitoring on the basis of modern information technologies implementation.
10. To carry out a policy of environmental information openness, participation of community and local government bodies in preparation, discussion, making and realization of decisions in environmental protection sphere.
11. To comply with environmental legislation and statutory acts in the subdivisions of the enterprise.
12. To make management and investment decisions taking into consideration environmental priorities, ensuring of training and support of the personnel in the issues, concerning environmental protection, and also constant education of the collective in order to increase environmental liability, consciousness, competence and motivation.
13. To ensure uninterrupted operation of environmental fixed assets in order to minimize emergency situations, and in case of their occurrence to take measures on liquidation of negative influence on the environment.
14. To improve constantly the processes of environmental management system in order to increase general environmental performance as a component part of national security.
15. To acquaint suppliers, customers, associates and contractors of OJSC "ArcelorMittal Kryviy Rih" with the Environmental Policy of the enterprise and carrying-out of its requirements.

Continuous improvement of OJSC "ArcelorMittal Kryviy Rih" image as environmentally determined enterprise is based on the trust of international environmental organizations, associates, customers and inhabitants in the region where the enterprise is carrying out its activities.

OJSC "ArcelorMittal Kryviy Rih" regards observance of these obligations as guarantee of an optimum combination of environmental interests with the social and economic needs of the society and assistance to sustainable development of the enterprise.

General Director

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