

## **ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY**

Aiming to express its interest in the ever-increasing environmental demands of our times, MEL Macedonian Paper Mills S.A. has developed an Environmental Management System in line with International Standard ISO 14001:2015, thus improving its overall environmental policy and taking into account the importance of protecting the environment, the better management of its natural resources and continuous environmental control over its activities.

The company's environmental policy covers the entire range of its production processes and sets the foundation for reducing the environmental impact of its activities and promoting a global corporate environmental culture. MEL's Management has adopted and applies this environmental policy as part of its continuous effort to improve its environmental footprint through the Environmental Management System it has established and applies to its cartonboard production and sales. In planning the necessary actions, MEL ensures that:

- It provides the framework for setting, monitoring and reviewing its environmental objectives and targets
- It protects the environment and prevents environmental accidents
- It complies with applicable legal and other requirements relating to the Environmental Management System
- It continually improves its Environmental Management System with the aim of improving its environmental performance.

By identifying risks and opportunities relating to environmental aspects, its compliance obligations and the needs and expectations of stakeholders, MEL ensures that the Environmental Management System in accordance with ISO 14001:2015 can achieve the desired results and improve continuously.

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