

Environmental Policy - Vinum

Date	October 2011
General description of the business	<p>For example:</p> <p>Vinum is a wine merchant based in Twickenham selling many award-winning wines and mainly Italian wines.</p>
Environmental Policy Statement	<p>We believe that businesses are responsible for achieving good environmental practice and operating in a sustainable manner.</p> <p>We are therefore committed to continually improving our environmental performance, making cost savings by decreasing water, waste and energy use and improving environmental protection as an integral and fundamental part of our operating methods.</p>
Policy Aims	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Improving business efficiency ▪ Improve environmental protection and prove credentials to customers and staff ▪ Reduce impacts of activities, products and services ▪ Reduce greenhouse gas emissions and hence impact on global climate change
Policy Objectives and Achievements	<p><u>Achievements:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Installed new lighting to improve energy efficiency - Regular monitoring of the gas, electricity and water bills are taking place - Changed to a green electricity supplier - All waste is segregated and recycled - Refurbishing the bathrooms and improve water efficiency - Installed a new efficient boiler system in 2011 to save gas - Equipment is turned off when not in use <p><u>Future Objectives:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Considering green procurement including recycled office suppliers - Insulation of the roof area will be improved - Reducing transport emissions and considering carbon offsets - Receiving the Richmond Go Green Award AND Go Green Plus Certificate
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