



Hutchison Telecom
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ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY

1. Policy Statement

Hutchison Telecommunications Hong Kong Holdings Limited (“**HTHKH**”, together with its subsidiaries and controlled affiliates the “**Group**”) is conscious of the environmental impact associated with its operations. It is committed to protecting the environment and supporting sustainable development by managing its environmental footprint across its network of operating markets.

This Policy applies to all business units within the Group and represents a key part of the ongoing efforts of the Group to achieve efficient processes across its operations and manage its environmental impact. The Group also encourages its suppliers, business partners, and where applicable, its customers, to respect the practices outlined in this Policy, with a goal of furthering their own efforts at environmental stewardship.

This Policy will be reviewed regularly or as required to ensure its relevance and effectiveness.

2. Approach

To reduce any adverse environmental impact arising from day-to-day operations, the Group strives to adopt behavioural change as well as the use of innovative and efficient technology, processes and systems to drive and monitor reduction initiatives. Central to these efforts are:

- Complying with relevant environmental legislations and regulations in all markets where the Group operates.
- Handling environmental complaints and responding to environmental inquiries in a timely manner, taking necessary actions to resolve any problems or concerns as soon as possible, and adopting preventive measures to avoid the recurrence of similar incidents.
- Implementing environmental management systems to embed and standardise good practices to both managing and reducing the environmental impact arising from its operations.
- Promoting and stimulating behavioural change amongst existing and potential employees through internal communication, training and other means.
- Cultivating a greater internal awareness on environmental issues to spearhead the reduction of energy consumption.

- Reporting on the environmental impact and performance of the Group through platforms such as the corporate website and, on an annual basis, the Sustainability Report contained in annual report of HTHKH.
- Continuing to engage and consult with the stakeholders of the Group to improve its environmental performance and mitigate any adverse environmental impact from its operations.

2.1 Managing Direct Impact

The Group strives to further strengthen its resilience to climate change by identifying and addressing the challenges presented by climate change and the opportunities to resolve those challenges, as well as by developing strategies in line with global best practices with a view to adapting to and mitigating the impact of climate change on its operations. It assesses climate change and the associated risks and opportunities as part of its enterprise risk management in order to ensure appropriate strategies and responsible actions are taken to address the causes and effects of climate change on its operations.

The Group also endeavours to implement measures to protect natural resources and adopt circular business model approaches.

The following outlines the position of the Group on managing its direct environmental impacts :

2.1.1 Take Action on Climate Change

- Address climate change risks as part of the risk management process of the Group.
- Set long-term targets to reduce carbon emissions as appropriate, while enacting processes and systems to monitor the carbon footprint of the Group.
- Incorporate climate change considerations into its business strategies.
- Establish appropriate procedures and processes to prevent or minimise the damage that climate change may cause and make use of the opportunities that may arise.
- Reduce, where feasible, the production of greenhouse gases, ozone depleting emissions and other air pollutants within the operations of the Group.
- Increase the usage of innovative and energy efficient technology in the operations of the Group to reduce energy consumption arising from day-to-day operations, such as the use of renewable energy, green fleet programmes or video conferencing technology to minimise the need for business travel.
- Track and monitor the use of energy and emissions across the operations of the Group.

2.1.2 Protect Natural Resources

- Streamline procedures and processes to increase efficiency and reduce consumption of day-to-day operational inputs such as paper, electronic equipment and the like.

- Minimise the waste footprint (hazardous and non-hazardous) of the Group by recycling and reusing materials where possible, and setting waste reduction and/or recycling targets where viable.
- Implement water conservation measures.
- Implement initiatives to manage or reduce effluents.
- Reduce non-greenhouse gas emissions such as Nitrogen Oxide (NO), Nitrogen Dioxide (NO₂), Sulphur Dioxide (SO₂) and Volatile Organic Compounds (VOCs).
- Protect, conserve and restore local biodiversity and undertake biodiversity assessments where relevant to operations.

2.1.3 Promote a Circular Economy

- Integrate circular thinking into business strategies through responsible raw material sourcing, efficient production processes and product design, and inspiring sustainable consumer behaviours.

2.2 Managing Indirect Impact

2.2.1 Supplier and Community Engagement

The Group is also aware of the indirect impact arising from its ability to influence environmental performance within its value chain and through its investments. The Group endeavours to embed sustainability considerations in how it engages with suppliers and communities. These include:

- Influencing its suppliers by raising awareness on environmental issues and adopting the considerations as outlined in this Policy, as well as the Supplier Code of Conduct of the Group. Suppliers should also be engaged to improve their environmental performance wherever possible.
- Continuing to raise awareness of environmental issues and promote environmentally-sustainable practices among the communities in which the Group operates by partnering with industry groups and environmental organisations as appropriate.

2.2.2 Green Procurement

The Group is committed to green procurement. It supports and promotes environmental practices in the supply chain by implementing the following guidelines during the procurement process.

Where suitable options exist, the Group seeks to:

- Reduce the use of virgin material.
- Avoid single-use disposable items and replace them with durable and reusable and/or recyclable alternatives.
- Minimise the use of packaging.
- Reduce the use of hazardous substances.

- Adopt specifications for greater energy efficiency, water efficiency and clean technology.
- Regarding office-related products, opt for recyclable toner and ink cartridges and procure paper from responsibly-managed forests including post-consumer recycled content as demonstrated through sustainability certifications.

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