



Environmental Policy Statement

October 2012

Introduction

Michael Hadi Associates Ltd (MHA) is a practice of structural engineers based in Clerkenwell, London. We work with all construction materials and in all building sectors on a variety of projects ranging in value from £25k to £60m, both in the UK and overseas. Our clients range from individuals to multi-national corporations.

Impacts

The main impacts that MHA has on the environment are electricity and waste paper, waste water and transport. We keep electricity and water usage to a minimum, recycle all waste paper (as well as plastic and aluminium), and travel by public transport or bike to all site visits / meetings within the UK.

Responsibilities

To identify, manage and reduce the impact of MHA's office-based activities, an Environment Champion was established in 2005. The Environment Champion advises the directors on internal environmental policy, priorities and performances, and system effectiveness. It is also the responsibility of the Environment Champion to ensure that all new staff are aware of MHA's environmental policy and targets.

MHA is committed to improving its environmental performance in relation to both 'external' performance (the promotion of sustainable solutions for construction) and 'internal' performance (the minimization of the environmental impacts of day-to-day activities of the practice).

It is MHA's policy to comply fully with the requirements of environmental legislation and advisory codes of practice having official status.

Targets

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| Publish MHA Environmental Policy Statement on website. | Deadline: May 2013 |
| Advertise CarbonSmart Blue Certification on email footers and LinkedIn. | Deadline: October 2013 |
| Investigate switching to recycled paper and other stationery products. | Deadline: October 2013 |
| Investigate food waste recycling. | Deadline: October 2013 |
| Reduce energy consumption (electricity) by 5% | Deadline: October 2014 |
| Increase proportion of waste that is recycled by 10% | Deadline: October 2014 |
| Reduce the amount of waste paper produced by 10% | Deadline: October 2014 |
| Achieve CarbonSmart Silver Certification | Deadline: October 2014 |

Review

The MHA Environmental Policy Statement is reviewed annually to ensure that targets are being met and that the policy continues to be relevant. Review date: October 2013

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