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Suppliers environmental requirements

Introduction

LaboTest AB has established a management system for the environment in accordance with ISO 14001: 2015. The environmental work is based on an established environmental policy and goals for own environmental work. We conduct our own environmental work to meet the policy and goals. We follow up our own environmental work in relation to the policy and goals as well as applicable laws and regulations. We decide on continuous improvements within the framework of our own environmental work.

Business concept

LaboTest AB markets and maintains equipment in Sweden for labs and production departments within environmental resistance and testing. This is done with:

- high-quality products from leading suppliers
- Competitive prices
- knowledgeable and competent staff

Vision

LaboTest AB will remain the leading complete supplier of products and services for Sampling & Testing of products within the environmental resistance area in Sweden. We achieve this through competent and committed staff and with market-leading suppliers.

Environmental policy

Our operations must be guided by active environmental commitment and continuous improvement. The goal of our environmental work is that environmental considerations are taken into account in all decisions in the organization and that the business is focused on the least possible environmental impact and prevention of pollution. We must be well acquainted with applicable environmental legislation and ensure that it is complied with. It is the joint responsibility of company management and all employees that this environmental policy is followed.

This means that:

1. We replace or offer an environmentally friendly alternative to all environmentally impacting products when possible

2. We use packaging materials that are recyclable and that have as little environmental impact as possible during production

3. We improve the management of materials and energy and ensure that all residual products are left for recycling when possible

4. We primarily use partners who actively invest in the environment and influence our suppliers to use packaging materials that are environmentally friendly and recyclable

5. We increase the staff's competence in environmental issues through training

6. We work for a work environment that promotes well-being, influence, personal development and safety for us and our surroundings.

Scope

All LaboTest AB's suppliers are covered by the environmental requirements in this document. Suppliers refer to suppliers of goods, service providers, carriers, contractors and sales and service consultants.

Environmental management

Suppliers who work on our behalf are included in our environmental work. When the supplier works on our assignment, the supplier must comply with current legislation, local rules of procedure and LaboTest AB's environmental management system. Suppliers who deliver goods, services, transport and contracts must conduct their own systematic environmental work.

Environmental audit

LaboTest AB reserves the right to perform environmental audits at the supplier. The supplier shall participate in the environmental audit and provide the necessary documentation. All information that arises during the environmental audit is treated confidentially by LaboTest AB.

Restriction of chemicals

LaboTest AB strives to limit the use of chemicals that are harmful to health and the environment. Only chemicals included in LaboTest AB's list of chemicals may be used when working on our assignment.

Product information and security

The supplier who works on our behalf must always carry safety data sheets, use suitable protective equipment, have equipment for collecting waste and arrange for the removal of waste. The supplier of chemical goods shall continuously provide updated safety data sheets.

Waste

The supplier arranges for the removal of its waste in accordance with applicable laws and local regulations. Waste must be sorted at source and reported on how it has been handled. The supplier must have routines for identification and handling of hazardous waste.

Transporter

Transport and deliveries must be carried out so that the climate and environmental impact is limited.

Wood material

Wood materials, such as pallets and collars used in deliveries, must not originate from illegally harvested timber and not come from protected areas or forests with a high conservation value other than credibly certified.

IT equipment

The supplier must submit an IT environmental declaration in connection with the quotation.

Climate impact

Upon request, the supplier shall provide information on carbon dioxide emissions from its operations. The supplier must have an action plan for reduced climate and environmental impact.

Goal

The supplier must participate in the goal of constantly reducing the environmental impact of the goods and services they deliver. The supplier shall inform about alternative goods and services with better environmental performance.