



Sustainable Procurement Policy



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Why a sustainable procurement policy?

At Efficold we promote and incentivise a culture of integrity and responsibility for all Efficold workers and our suppliers and partners as a whole.

We are committed to continue working to drive ethics, transparency and accountability as differentiating elements of our sustainability model.

We support the UN 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development and contribute to the 17 Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), a responsibility shared by political, social, and economic agents that requires determined action.



SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS



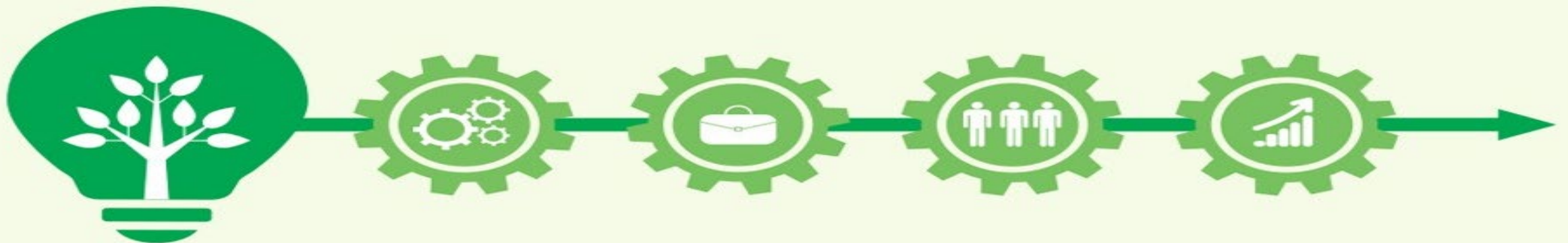
1. Introducing social, environmental and ethical criteria in the supply chain management and promoting its compliance.

- Implementing an approval and authorisation supplier process that assesses and ensures compliance with ethical conduct, respect to Human Rights and labour rights, as well as care for the environment. Having corrective measures in case of lack of compliance.
- Contributing to the development and improvement of the performance of suppliers in social and environmental areas by establishing corrective actions, training, or deadlines to introduce improvements.
- Participating in collaborative initiatives with other companies to improve the social and environmental impact of the supply chain.

2. Purposes of sustainable procurement policies.

2. Ensuring our purchases meet responsible criteria.

- Including good sustainability performance by the supplier as an inherent factor in the procurement policy.
- Driving responsible practices among suppliers and their supply chain through contractual clauses. Including social or environmental clauses in contracts with suppliers.
- Bearing in mind social or environmental criteria in procurement decision-making. Mapping the sustainability of products and services.



2. Purposes of sustainable procurement policies.

3. Driving dialogue and commitment with stakeholders.

- Full development of the goals in the Efficold Sustainability Plan 2021-20124. *

4. Improving the life conditions of the communities where we are present.

- Full development of the goals in the Efficold Sustainability Plan 2021-20124. *

5. Promoting social projects that contribute to reducing inequalities.

- Full development of the goals in the Efficold Sustainability Plan 2021-20124. *

* [Efficold Sustainability Plan 2021-20124.](#)

3. Commitments with our suppliers.

Efficold undertakes the following commitments:

1. To behave with integrity, avoiding possible conflicts of interest between the Procurement area of Efficold and its suppliers.
2. To promote sustainable business.
3. Equal opportunities and accurate information.
4. Confidentiality and personal data protection.
5. To favour the contracting of local suppliers provided there are similar competitiveness and sustainability conditions.
6. Transparency and information.

4. Commitments of our suppliers.

Just as Efficold undertakes certain commitments with its suppliers, Efficold expects from those suppliers and recognises in them the application of similar principles in their organisation.

Thus, we can mention as basic principles respect and collaboration, compliance with the basic standards of ethical behaviour, human rights, labour rights, occupational health and safety and respect for the environment.

Within these basic principles mentioned, it is expected that suppliers meet the legislation in force in the following areas.

1. To respect and apply the ten principles of the UN Global Pact. To fight against forced labour, banning inhuman treatment, eliminating child labour, non-discrimination, paying decent salaries.
2. To promote a safe and healthy work environment, taking effective measures to prevent accidents, giving information and training on health and safety, allocating PPEs,
3. To control their environmental footprint, meeting all the rules and laws applicable in the matter. To Acquire the commitment to preserve the environment, establishing a sustainable management and driving a low carbon economy.
4. Ethical behaviour based on integrity and professional ethics avoiding conflicts of interest and any kind of corruption.
5. Behaviour in agreement with the Efficold Code of Conduct for Suppliers. [Efficold Code of Conduct for Suppliers](#).



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