

## Nippon Gases Environmental Policy



## **Environmental Policy**

We address the reinforcement of sustainability management and contribute as the Gas Professionals to both the development of globally sustainable society and the resolution of global challenges. We will technically contribute to the resource recycling society and to the development of sustainable society by harmonizing with environment and endeavoring to reduce environmental impact in our business activities under the direction of top management.

- 1. We reduce environmental impact through our products, services, and business activities toward the resolution of environmental challenges including mitigation of and adaptation to climate change, effective use and prevention of pollution of resources, preservation of water resources, and preservation of biodiversity.
  - (1) Mitigation of and Adaptation to Climate Change
    - We endeavor to reduce greenhouse gas emissions in the entire supply chain through actions such as improvement of energy efficiency and use of renewable energy. We will implement processes to identify, evaluate, and respond to climate-related risks.
  - (2) Effective Use and Prevention of Pollution of Resources
    - We endeavor to reduce volume of resource usage and waste and to prevent pollution by chemical substances. We endeavor to prevent marine pollution by 3R (Reduce, Reuse, and Recycle) especially for plastics.
  - (3) Preservation of Water Resources
    - We grasp volume of water intake and endeavor to reduce usage volume and to prevent water pollution, including with improvement of water use efficiency.
  - (4) Preservation of Biodiversity
    - We promote business activities conducive to preservation of biodiversity and endeavor to avoid any negative impact on biodiversity.
- 2. We promote environmental education and enlightenment activities, raise the environmental awareness of all the officers and employees of our group (including temporary employees and contract employees), and engage in environmental activities.
- 3. We establish and operate an environmental management system with environmental goals being set and continue to improve the system with periodic review.



4. We comply with the laws and regulations related to environment and the requirements of stakeholders that our group companies have agreed to.

This Environmental European policy reflects our values and principles on this matter and may be supplemented by further European and/or local guidelines, standards, procedures.

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