

Practice aid on environmental guidelines *Declaration of intent*

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1 Goal and intention of the factsheet

1.1 Background

PricewaterhouseCoopers AG Switzerland (PwC) seeks excellence in every aspect of our business and is committed to minimising the environmental impacts of our business operations. We comply as a minimum with all relevant environmental legislation as well as other environmental requirements to which the firm subscribes. As a member of the network of 21 of the biggest PwC firms, we have committed to PwC's global Environment Commitment.

1.2 Purpose and goal

These environmental guidelines reflect our general attitude to environmental matters and the principles and practices we apply in our business operations.

This factsheet contains PwC's declaration of intent in respect of the following environmental guidelines.

2 Scope

The present factsheet applies to all employees and partner of PwC.

3 Environmental guidelines

3.1 Management

Improving our environmental measures and building environmental management best practice into our business on an ongoing basis.

3.2 Carbon

Measuring and systematically reducing the carbon footprint associated with our business activities.

Offsetting all carbon emissions resulting from business-related air travel.

3.3 Waste

Striving for environmentally compatible management of the waste resulting from our business; in other words eliminating, reducing and recycling waste.

3.4 Resources/procurement

Taking appropriate account of environmental and energy efficiency considerations in the acquisition, design, renovation, location and use of buildings.

Considering the environmental and social implications in the procurement of goods and services.

Avoiding the use of disposable plastic tableware and packaging for food and beverages if reasonable and proportionally possible.

4 Measures to meet the commitment

Reviewing our main goals and performance in terms of managing environmental measures (at least once a year).

Communicating the importance and raising awareness of environmental matters. Helping our people understand their impact on the environment and change their behaviour accordingly.

Promoting greater environmental awareness in collaboration with our service partners and suppliers.

Encouraging people to take appropriate account of sustainability and environmental issues in the services we offer to our clients.

Reviewing our environmental guidelines (every three years).

5 Entry into force / amendments of this factsheet

5.1 Entry into force

This factsheet shall take effect on *1 July 2019*.

5.2 Amendments

This factsheet may be amended at any time by resolution of *CEO/TSP*.

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