

## **ENVIRONMENTAL & QUALITY MANUAL**

## **Environmental and Quality Policy**

The Lawton Tube Company is committed to maintaining an effectively managed Environmental & Quality Management System (EQMS) which complies with the requirements of the BS EN ISO 9001:2015 & ISO 14001:2015 Standards and to continually strive to improve its performance and effectiveness in line with its compliance obligations and the purpose, context and strategic direction of the organisation.

The Lawton's EQMS is a framework and system established with the aim of guiding our management, employees and supply chain in identifying and meeting customer, statutory and regulatory requirements balanced with the need to protect and where necessary respond to changes in the social and environmental ecosystems in which we operate. This includes the aim of continually improving our environmental performance, the efficient use of resources and effective management of operational pollution and waste streams.

Organisational performance improvement is achieved by the use of appropriate decision-making tools in order to establish, analyse and improve our services through the monitoring of agreed quality and environmental objectives.

The Company will ensure that resources required for the effective operation of its business processes are provided, adequately maintained and improved as necessary to meet customer and environmental requirements. In the interest of complying with this, Lawton Tubes also develops mutually beneficial relationships with suppliers of services and goods as deemed appropriate.

The company's representative is authorised to control, maintain and develop the EQMS in line with the requirements detailed above. In the event of business or organisational changes or risks which potentially could have an adverse effect on the effectiveness of the EQMS, this should be brought to the attention of the joint Managing Directors immediately for corrective action.

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