



Environmental Systems



Raising Standards: Environmental Management Systems

Statusus has developed environmental management systems for a vast range of companies and organisations. The most popular accolade is the ISO 14001 standard whilst another, which requires registration to 14001 and a couple of additional requirements, is EMAS (Eco Management and Audit Scheme). However, sometimes clients simply want to raise their internal standards and document them without any additional external verification. Statusus is happy to develop any environmental system in response to client needs.

Implementation

The process of implementing an environmental management system is undertaken in four stages:

- An initial environmental review, which leads to the
- Environmental policy, objectives and targets
- Implementing the environmental management system:
 - Implementing policy, developing environmental improvement projects and initiatives to ensure that objectives and targets are met, developing procedures, staff training and developing emergency plans
- Audit and review

As such, implementation would seek to ensure that the client is complying with the requirements of the law and then make a large number of small improvements across a wide range of business processes.

Continual improvement

Additionally, as an integral part of any management system programme, Statusus would take a select group of staff through the tools and techniques of continual improvement so that staff understand both the method and the process of ongoing improvement.

Benefits

The benefits of ISO 14000 are considerable and include:

- Significantly reduced risk of environmental litigation, fines and even imprisonment arising from the organisation's activities
- Improvements in productivity, waste management and pollution prevention, and decreased energy costs
- Enhancing the company's image amongst the public, its workforce, suppliers and customers
- A platform for making a difference and a route to sustainable development and/or carbon neutrality
- Continual improvement of the company's environmental performance

In one independent study, conducted by Aspects International Ltd, respondents confirmed that organisations implementing ISO 14001 had:

- Improved market share 80%
- Improved financial performance 60%
- Improved legal compliance 81%
- Improved product benefits 60%
- Improved customer satisfaction 78%
- Achieved pay back in 1 year 60%

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