

NEW AMBADI ESTATES PRIVATE LIMITED

Policy on management of operational waste generated

1. Objective

This Waste Management Policy aims to establish a framework for waste reduction, recycling, and proper disposal, ensuring compliance with applicable Indian laws and international regulations. The policy seeks to minimize environmental impact while promoting the sustainable use of resources at New Ambadi Estates Pvt Ltd.

2. Scope

This policy applies to all employees, contractors, vendors, and stakeholders involved in the operations of New Ambadi Estates Pvt Ltd, including but not limited to agricultural estates, factories, and offices. It covers the generation, handling, storage, transportation, treatment, and disposal of all types of waste.

3. Definitions

- **Waste:** Any material or substance that is discarded, rejected, or abandoned, including solid, liquid, and hazardous wastes.
- **Hazardous Waste:** Waste that poses substantial or potential threats to public health or the environment, as defined under applicable Indian and international laws. In NAE context, any substance that has come into contact with any chemicals comes under this category.
- **Biodegradable Waste:** Organic waste that can decompose naturally, such as food scraps, agricultural residues, and other similar waste.
- **Non-Biodegradable Waste:** Materials that cannot be broken down naturally, such as plastics, metals, and electronic waste (e-waste).

4. Applicable Laws and Regulations

4.1) Indian Laws

- **The Solid Waste Management Rules, 2016:** Regulates the segregation, transportation, and disposal of municipal solid waste in India.
- **The Hazardous and Other Wastes (Management and Transboundary Movement) Rules, 2016:** Controls the generation, storage, transportation, and disposal of hazardous wastes.
- **The Plastic Waste Management Rules, 2016:** Regulates the management of plastic waste to prevent environmental harm.
- **The E-Waste Management Rules, 2016:** Addresses the disposal and recycling of electronic waste.

- **The Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974:** Addresses the pollution of water bodies through waste discharge.
- **The Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981:** Regulates air pollution and emissions from waste management activities.

4.2) International Regulations

- **Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants (POPs):** Seeks to eliminate or restrict the production and use of persistent organic pollutants in waste.
- **UN Sustainable Development Goals (SDG 12 – Responsible Consumption and Production):** Aims to achieve sustainable management and efficient use of natural resources by reducing waste generation through prevention, reduction, recycling, and reuse.

5. Key Principles

New Ambadi Estates Pvt Ltd is committed to:

- **Waste Minimization:** Reduce waste generation through resource efficiency, reuse, and recycling wherever possible.
- **Segregation at Source:** Ensure proper segregation of waste at the point of generation into biodegradable, non-biodegradable, and hazardous waste.
- **Sustainable Disposal:** Implement methods for safe disposal of non-recyclable waste in an environmentally sound manner, ensuring minimal harm to the environment.
- **Pollution Prevention:** Prevent contamination of land, water, and air through proper waste handling and disposal techniques.
- **Compliance:** Ensure compliance with all relevant local, national, and international waste management regulations.

6. Waste Management Strategy

6.1) Waste Segregation

- All waste generated at New Ambadi Estates must be segregated into biodegradable, non-biodegradable, and hazardous categories at the point of origin.
- Dedicated bins shall be provided for each category to facilitate easy segregation.

6.2) Waste Collection and Storage

- Waste should be stored in appropriate containers with clear labelling and transported in accordance with regulatory requirements.
- Hazardous waste shall be stored separately to avoid contamination and handled only by trained personnel.

6.3) Waste Disposal

- Biodegradable waste shall be composted or sent to appropriate recycling facilities.
- Non-biodegradable waste such as plastics and metals shall be sent for recycling, where possible, or disposed of through authorized means.
- Hazardous waste shall be treated and disposed of in compliance with the Hazardous Waste Management Rules, ensuring that it does not pose risks to human health or the environment.

6.4) Electronic Waste

- E-waste shall be segregated from other waste streams and sent to authorized recyclers, as per the E-Waste Management Rules.

6.6) Recycling and Reuse

- The company will promote the reuse of materials wherever feasible, including recycling initiatives within the company premises.
- Paper, glass, metal and plastic shall be recycled through certified agencies to minimize environmental impact.

7. Roles and Responsibilities

7.1) Management

- Ensure the implementation and continuous improvement of the waste management policy.
- Allocate adequate resources for training, infrastructure, and compliance.
- Monitor compliance with local, national, and international waste management laws.

7.2) Employees

- Follow waste segregation guidelines at all times.
- Report any waste management concerns or incidents to the designated waste management officer.

7.3 Contractors and Vendors

- Comply with New Ambadi Estates Pvt Ltd.'s waste management policy.
- Ensure that waste generated through their activities is disposed of in an environmentally responsible manner, in line with applicable regulations.

8. Monitoring and Reporting

- **Waste Audits:** Regular waste audits shall be conducted to assess the effectiveness of the waste management system and identify areas for improvement.
- **Record-Keeping:** All waste handling, transportation, and disposal activities shall be documented and maintained for review by regulatory authorities.
- **Annual Reporting:** The company shall submit annual waste management reports to the relevant regulatory authorities, as required by law.

9. Training and Awareness

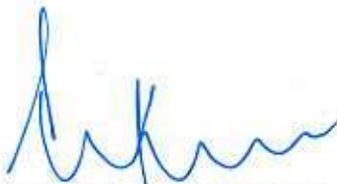
New Ambadi Estates Pvt Ltd will conduct regular training programs for employees, contractors, and vendors on proper waste management practices, regulatory compliance, and the environmental impact of waste. Awareness campaigns will be organized to foster a culture of sustainability and responsible waste handling.

10. Penalties for Non-Compliance

Failure to comply with this waste management policy or relevant waste management laws may result in disciplinary action, termination of contracts with vendors, or penalties as prescribed by applicable laws.

11. Review and Amendments

This policy shall be reviewed annually and updated in accordance with changes in applicable laws, regulations, or operational requirements.



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