



BAT Zimbabwe Water Stewardship Policy

Introduction

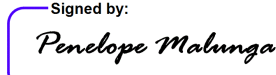
BAT Zimbabwe understands that water is a key, yet scarce resource and should be used efficiently and used responsibly with equitable sharing by all end users. Protecting and conserving water through good water management practices and governance systems, is therefore important in our operations and footprint across the country. Direct water impacts in our operations result from the use of water in our factory processing activities. Indirect water impacts come from use of water for supply chain and other suppliers.

Mission

To be responsible water stewards by leading and engaging with our stakeholders in understanding our collective water challenges, risks, and opportunities, which contribute to achieving Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) on Clean Water and Sanitation. The company will achieve this by

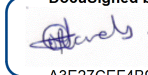
- Reduction on water withdrawn by 45% and a 15% increase in water recycled by 2030 from the baseline year.
- Proactive engagement with stakeholders on water related issues.
- Drive efficient use of water, leading to cost savings and overall improvement of the site and catchment water balance.
- Develop and implement water conservation through strategic planning, with set targets to improve water efficiency throughout the entire product life cycle.
- Share and promote best water stewardship practices that support good water governance and quality, as well as Water, Sanitation and Hygiene Practices (WASH).
- Comply with all applicable legal and regulatory requirements.
- Promote sustainable afforestation initiatives.
- Collaborate and share relevant information with our suppliers and stakeholders, assisting them to understand their impact on water use, hence reducing our impact throughout the supply chain.
- To publicly communicate and disclose our Water Stewardship Policy
- Support existing catchment sustainability plans.
- Provision of resources to support sustainable water initiatives.
- The site will implement and disclose progress on water stewardship program(s) to achieve improvements in AWS outcomes.
- The site implementation will be aligned to and in support of existing catchment sustainability plans.
- The site will allocate resources to implement the Standard.

This policy statement, its commitment and implementation measures, shall be reviewed and updated periodically to ensure our objectives are achieved. Any revision will be published by the company and brought to the notice of all employees and other relevant personnel.

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