

Environmental Policy Statement

The Financial Conduct Authority (FCA) and the Payment Systems Regulator (PSR) recognise that our activities can have a negative impact on the environment and that we also have opportunities to have a positive impact.

This policy statement summarises our commitments and signposts the methods we adopt through our Environmental Management System.

We are committed to:

- Protecting the environment through the operation of an Environmental Management System (EMS) that meets the requirements of the management system standard ISO 14001:2015.
- Certification of our EMS to ISO 14001 through a UKAS accredited third party.
- Complying with all applicable legislation and regulation.
- Complying with all other requirements relevant to us and/or defined by us.
- Setting objectives and targets to both drive improvement and monitor our performance.
- Managing the negative environmental impact of our operations, including but not limited to:
 - Sustainable resource use.
 - Reducing our Greenhouse Gas (GHG) emissions, directly and with our suppliers, to achieve our goal of Net Zero by 2045.
 - Eliminating waste wherever possible.
 - Preventing pollution.
- Communicating to relevant stakeholders on our significant environmental impacts.
- Identifying opportunities for positive environmental impacts and managing these as far as practicable.
- Working with upstream and downstream suppliers to deliver our environmental commitments.
- Promoting awareness of environmental sustainability with our employees.
- Using our influence to promote and role model environmental sustainability.
- Monitoring, and reporting our environmental performance.
- Continually improving our EMS and environmental performance.

This policy statement applies to all FCA and PSR employees and any person or organisation working on our behalf.

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