



# Epta

## Environmental Policy

Epta (Hereafter referred to as the company) is a Corporate leader in the development, design, manufacture, supply and installation of temperature controlled display cabinets (remote and plug in), control units, packs and cold rooms, as well as refrigeration systems required for a safe and efficient operation of all relevant equipment. The above services are supported by after sales teams for Customer support, spare parts, service & maintenance.

In the course of our business operations we recognize that our operations have an effect on the local, regional, and global environment. As a consequence of this, the management of Epta is committed to continuous improvements in environmental performance, to minimising its environmental impact and to prevent pollution.

### **Our Environmental Goals**

The company is committed to full compliance with all legal and other requirements. Compliance with relevant Geographic and International Environmental regulations, laws and codes of practice will be regarded as setting the minimum standards of environmental performance.. We will therefore implement our policies through a coordinated environmental management system, which is independently assessed and certificated to ISO 14001.

The company will work directly towards the use of environmentally safe and sustainable energy sources to meet our needs. We will invest resource and innovation towards improving the energy efficiency of products that we use and sell and the phasing out of HCFCs and ozone-depleting substances. The company considers the environmental impacts of its products at all stages of their life cycle - from design, to manufacturing, customer use, and finally disposal.

The company will seek to address its impact on the environment through the adoption of a sustainable procurement policy. We will conserve resources through efficient use and careful planning. We will work with our suppliers to ensure they recognise and reduce the environmental impact of their products and transportation.

The company maintains that a primary part of its corporate environmental strategy is sustainable waste management and as such recognises its responsibilities to ensure materials are recycled wherever possible. We will minimize waste, especially hazardous waste, and whenever possible recycle materials. We will dispose of all waste through safe and responsible methods.

The company will set environmental targets and goals designed to improve our environmental performance and through coordinating route planning and delivery schedules we will seek to realize the dual benefits of reduced energy consumption and lower exhaust emissions.

The company is committed to reducing emissions from industrial processes. We will conduct an annual self-evaluation of our performance in implementing these principles and in complying with all applicable laws and regulations.

It is an accepted responsibility of the Management to provide adequate and appropriate resources to implement this policy and associated goals ensure it is communicated and understood within the organisation and continually monitored and reviewed for suitability. This policy is openly available to the public.

**Ultimate responsibility for the Environmental Management System is of the Corporate Chief Executive Officer.**