

# BDO ENVIROMENTAL POLICY

## **BDO Slovakia - Our Commitment**

BDO is committed to work with all those who have an interest in our business to actively decrease the impact that our operations have on the environment.

We will achieve our commitments through setting targets that ensure we continually improve our performance, prevent pollution and as a minimum comply with all enviromental regulations, legislation and other relevant requirments. In addition, we will make efforts to go beyond compliance, identifying key enviromental issues and seeking solutions that enhance our enviromental performance further.

#### **Enviromental impacts**

Our most significant enviromental impacts are:

Electricity	Lighting, aircondition and energy to power office equipment
Gas	Heating
Water	Used in our offices for a variety of purposes
Waste	Paper, plastic, glass, etc.
IT equipment	Toners and other IT waste
Travel	Road and rail transport to visit our clients

### Our commitments

To achieve the above areas BDO has adopted the following commitments:	
Management	Develop our environmental management according standards
Targets	Set and regularly review commitments to ensure continual
	improvement in our environmental policy and our wider approach
	internally and externally
Communication	Engage staff to promote good environmental awareness and
	behaviour, communicate environmental policy and our wider
	approach internally and externally
Energy use	Regularly evaluate current and future energy use to identify potential
	firm wide reductions
Procurement	Include enviromental criteria when choosing services and goods to
	Purchase



## Engaging employess

To achieve our environmental commitments we need the full support of our employees. We commit to promoting an environmentally aware culture and providing necessary tools for staff to support us in achieving our environmental goals in the following areas:

- WasteEnsure that all our employees separate the waste / recyclingTravelAvoiding unnecessary business travel or choosing the most environmentally
  - friendly mode of transport
- Office Reducing the energy and other resources used, maximize utilization of paper by avoiding unnecessary printing, recycling draft prints and using both sides printing option whenever possible. At the same time we use FSC Mixed Source certified paper for all our office stationary. This paper is certified that it has been a product from well-managed forests and recycled wood or fiber.

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