

Some ISO Definitions

Environmental Aspect

Those activities which have the potential for an adverse environmental impact

Environmental Objective

An environmental goal established by PW which is derived from the environmental policy and significant aspects

EMS (Environmental Management System)

PW's system for implementing the environmental policy

Environmental Management Programs

Programs to achieve PW's objectives and targets

In Case of an Emergency

Call 911

If a spill remember the key word SWIM

- S - Stop the spill
- W - Warn others
- I - Isolate the area
- M - Minimize exposure

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Key items in the Environmental Policy Letter

- Environmental compliance
- Pollution prevention
- Minimize environmental impacts
- Continual improvement

Support the Environmental Policy

- Know how your job relates to the policy
- Do those things contained in the policy

PW Significant Aspects

- Air emissions
- Accidental spills and discharges
- Impacts on historical sites
- Material and energy conservation and consumption

PW Objectives

- Reduce use and consumption of paper
- Reduce air emissions
- Reduce accidental spills and discharges
- Reduce losses to historical sites

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ISO 14001 Basics

Use a PCAR (Preventive/Corrective Action Request) to report problems concerning:

- Environmental management system
- Environmental compliance
- Process improvement and safety issues

Know how your job can impact the Environment

All jobs are different and the way your job can impact the environment may be different from your co-workers

Work Procedures

Documented procedures that conform to policy, objectives and targets, are up to date, easily understood and locatable

Emergency Response Procedures

Know what to do in the event of an emergency

Where to find more information on EMS (ISO14001)

- PW Intranet
- Supervisor
- EMS Representative - Susan Schieche

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