

POLICY

SUSTAINABLE PROCUREMENT

Considering the context in which the Company operates, including its economic, environmental and social impacts, and inspired by the principles expressed in its **integrity code**, Top Management is committed to pursuing a sustainable business model, operating responsibly and transparently towards all stakeholders.

The achievement of economic, social and environmental sustainability objectives cannot disregard the collaboration and involvement of its supply chain: this is why the company is committed to disseminating the principles and rules of conduct in the social, environmental and governance spheres to its suppliers, sub-suppliers and other parties involved in the supply of goods and/or services to the company.

The procurement policy is guided by the following general principles:

- pursuit of high quality and technical standards and the best value for money for the product or service;
- selection of suppliers with high standards of good repute and reliability;
- preference, all other things being equal (quality, price and other commercial conditions, delivery times, guarantee and after-sales services, etc.), where possible, of **local suppliers in order to** fuel the socio-economic development of the territories and reduce the environmental impacts linked to transport;
- preference, with equal technical performance, for raw materials and products that generate better environmental and social impacts;
- utmost attention to the analysis and control of raw materials and products to protect the health and safety of people and the health of ecosystems;
- utmost attention to compliance with occupational health and safety, human rights and workers' rights regulations;
- raising suppliers' awareness of the importance of conducting their business in a sustainable manner, encouraging them to progressively **improve their environmental and social performance**.

The principles listed above are integrated into the procurement process in the Supplier Code of Conduct and the ESG Questionnaire.

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Group CEO