

Topic: Environmental Friendly

Global Asia awarded 1st Project Acorn Completion Certification

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Global Asia has been awarded 1st Project Acorn Completion Certification since May 2004 by HKPC and BEC. Project Acorn is a support programmed to assist us to improve our environmental performance, with the aim of ultimately achieving ISO 14001 certification. Global Asia also has planned to achieve ISO14001 certification in coming September, 2004.

By introducing EMS guidelines into Global Asia's own environmental policy, which has increased its operating efficiency as well as helped improve the environment.



Implementing the EMS guidelines has delivered practical benefits including lowering operating costs through such measures as reducing waste paper and using energy more efficiently. But more importantly, working to meet EMS standards has helped Global Asia develop a clear-cut environmental policy and raise awareness of green issues and Global Asia 's commitment to improving the environment among staff, contractors and customers. Global Asia has answered government calls to reduce pollution and wastage by measures as varied as collecting waste paper for recycling.

Environmental culture has been developed across Global Asia at all levels and has been a way of life in Global Asia. Successful initiatives include Health, Safety and Environment (HSE) Year, Through these on-going communication, training and education, all Global Asia employees have been equipped to be environmental ambassadors who will embrace the environmental protection concept into their day-to-day activities


OUR ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY

The Global Asia Commitment to Environment. Our vision, enjoys an environment that is both healthy and pleasant, in which the community places a premium on sustaining such an environment for both themselves and future generations.

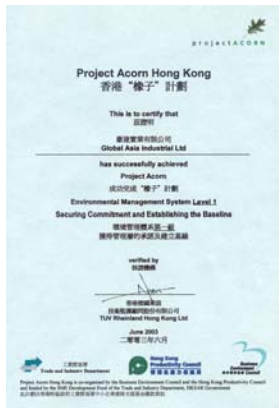
We are all committed to

- Obey environmental law and other requirement
- Pollution Prevention, reduce pollution and wastage, effectively resources of usage.
- Improvement continually, we will implement ISO14001 environmental management systems to improve continually the environmental performance of our major facilities
- Training, we will ensure through appropriate training and professional development, that every member of our staff has the knowledge and competency to assume his/her environmental responsibilities and to participate constructively in environmental activities..
- Management Review, the Management will review regularly and seek continual improvement in this Policy in order to ensure it is adjusted to reflect changing internal and external factors.
- Ensure that all our staff, contractors and customers are aware of our Environmental Policy

Our Environmental Policy in Chinese

<p>豪達實業有限公司</p>	<p>編號：1.3.1</p>
	<p>版次：3.0</p>
<p>標題： Environmental Policy ISO14001 環境管理體系</p>	<p>生效日期：2004年2月2日</p>
	<p>頁碼：1-1 頁</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">環 境 方 針</p> <p>豪達實業有限公司主要以生產汽車上各式太陽擋為主的專業企業，為保護地球，人人參與，以保護環境，防止污染及減少資源的耗用為目標，我們會不斷檢討，並改善日常工作對環境的影響，從而提升公司各員工環保的意識，亦願意公開環境方針，藉以宣導環保理念。</p> <p>我們承諾：</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 遵守有關的環保法例，其他有關的法例，及其他有關的要求，確實做好防治污染的工作 - 防止污染，減少廢物及善用資源 - 教育培訓各員工以環保的態度執行其日常工作 - 定期檢討，持續改善我們的環保表現，並因應環境影響程度及變化，建立或調整環境目標。 - 確保員工及供應商清楚環保的認知 <p style="text-align: right;">執行董事： </p> <p style="text-align: right;">2004年2月2日</p>	

Project Acorn comprises 5 levels providing a step-by-step framework for EMS development and implementation.



Level 1



Level 2



Level 3



Level 4



Level 5

Programme Highlights

Launching Ceremony of 1st Project Acorn

Date : 5 July, 2003 (Saturday)

Time : 11.00 a.m

Venue: Atrium Room, 39/F., Island Shangri-La Hong Kong Pacific Place, Supreme Court Road, Hong Kong



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Director MR ANDY KU

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Environmental Initiatives

An increasing number of large organisations now expect their suppliers – often small and medium sized enterprises (SMEs) – to be able to demonstrate some commitment to environmental protection and improvement in performance, often through the implementation of an environmental management system (EMS). Many SMEs want to improve their environmental performance but don't know where to start or where they can get reliable and good quality advice. In addition they face barriers to developing such systems due to lack of resources and awareness. Project Acorn addresses these needs.

As the programme brings together large organisations (customers) with their suppliers (SMEs) to develop environmental management systems, Hong Kong Business investigates the relationship between these companies and exactly how the project will be implemented. In the following pages, we examine some of the participating "mentor" organisations, and how the nominated SMEs will benefit from their efforts to adapt EMS principles by being involved with the project. By doing so, we find out exactly how these companies are taking this opportunity to "green" the supply chain. By DAVID MACFARLANE.

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Andrew Long, chairman of Business Environment Council, states: "Project Acorn is a membership programme in which large companies with environmental management experience assist SMEs to implement environmental management systems as part of a shared approach. Essentially supporting them to take one bite of the EMS apple at a time."

Chen Wing Kuo, chairman of Small and Medium Enterprise's Committee of Trade and Industry Department, emphasises that successful implementation of the environmental management system is the basic requirement for increasing businesses' competitiveness.

Project Acorn has been jointly organised by Business Environment Council and the Hong Kong Productivity Council, with funding from the SME Development Fund of the Small Business Development Corporation, Government Trade and Industry Department. There are two corporations (Shell HK Ltd, NPL Power, EMS, Haskin Polymer Ltd and Green Best Consulting Management Ltd) identifying and mentoring a total of eight SME suppliers in implementing a sound environmental management system. The photo was taken during the launching ceremony in July.

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Celebration Ceremony on the Successful Completion of the first Project Acorn

Date : 12 May, 2004 (Wednesday)

Time : 10:30 a.m.

Venue: Auditorium, G/F, Jockey Club Environmental Building, 77 Tat Chee Avenue, Kowloon , Hong Kong





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