Quintessa Environmental Policy

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The Environmental Policy of Quintessa Ltd is to ensure, so far as it is reasonably practicable, that its operations will be carried out in a sustainable manner with a commitment to protecting and enhancing the environment.

The Company recognises that our activities have an environmental impact and in developing this policy we seek to confirm our commitment to manage environmental issues properly. In implementing this commitment to manage our environmental impact properly, we will:

- ▲ fully comply with environmental regulations;
- ▲ ensure that environmental considerations are integrated into our business decisions;
- ▲ ensure that we use risk assessments in order to identify potential environmental risks to our business;
- ▲ pursue opportunities to minimise the environmental impact of our operations, concentrating particularly on the use of energy, waste disposal, and water;
- ▲ seek to understand our carbon footprint and identify practical ways of minimising it;

- ▲ share relevant environmental impact data with our clients to support them in assessing contributions from their supply chain;
- ▲ further a wider understanding of environmental issues among our employees and suppliers; and
- ▲ periodically review our procedures to ensure that they remain appropriately aligned to the need to reduce our waste and carbon footprint and encourage the sustainable utilisation of resources.