

WATER STEWARDSHIP POLICY

Usha Martin Limited ("the Company") endeavours for sustainable water management and are focused to minimize water footprint of its products, processes and services. We emphasize on efficient and optimum water utilization, risk reduction, and responsible waste discharge. This policy delineates for responsible use of water, rainwater harvesting, water recycle & reuse to address challenges of water scarcity. Water stewardship is a priority for the Company and is integral to our commitment towards the Responsible Stewardship of our operations.

SCOPE

This Policy is applicable to Usha Martin Limited and its affiliated entities. Integral to our core values, the primary objective of this policy is to articulate the comprehensive scope of our commitments for enhancing water utilization efficiency and become water positive. This policy extends its application to encompass all employees, contractors, and associated value chain partners.

COMMITMENTS

The Company is committed to:

1. Implement a comprehensive water monitoring system to monitor, measure, and report on water performance effectively.
2. Define specific water consumption targets and formulate suitable strategies for accomplishment.
3. Recognize potential water-related risks and develop suitable protection and conservation strategies to preserve current freshwater resources, action to curb water demand and losses.
4. Mitigate any adverse effects on receiving bodies due to wastewater discharge.
5. Reduce freshwater consumption via reuse, recycle and sustainable sourcing, including rainwater harvesting.
6. Ensure access to safe water, sanitation, and hygiene (WASH) in all our facilities and operations.
7. Involve employees and contract workers in water conservation and engage stakeholders and communities in responsible water use.
8. Communicate progress in water conservation efforts to all stakeholders.
9. Uphold legal compliances with water-related laws.

AMENDMENT

This Policy may be updated/ amended by the Company from time to time.

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