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Environmental Management Plan

**Policy Document
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1. Introduction

This is an Environmental Management Plan for use by Perisale Australia Pty Ltd (Perisale) cabling and installation teams working on customer sites. Customer sites may comprise residential houses and apartments, small business operations, retail environments and commercial premises. In addition to this document for new construction work sites please see the relevant site office for Environmental Management Policies.

1.1 Purpose of document

The purpose of this document is to provide guidance to Perisale staff and contractors in the absence of any site specific customer Environmental Management Plan.

1.2 Distribution

This document is for internal distribution to Perisale Staff, external distribution to Perisale contractors and for Perisale clients where requested.

1.3 Document Owner and Contact Details

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2. The Environmental Management Plan (EMP) components

This EMP has been developed specifically for use at worksites in use by Perisale Australia Pty Ltd (Perisale). The EMP has been produced to address potential issues based upon discussions, previous complaints and from site visits. The EMP is additional to and compliments the Perisale safety management system and any Customer EMP.

In the case of conflict between this EMP and any other EMP in place at a work site please refer to the Document Owner.

The following environmental issues that require environmental management are based upon the potential impacts of activities by Perisale. They are as follows:

- Air Quality management
- Energy management
- Noise management
- Waste management

To ensure the purpose of this EMP will be achieved, the environmental management plans will be established as follows:

- Objectives to be achieved
- Management strategies
- Tasks
- Responsibilities
- Frequency
- Monitoring and reporting
- Corrective actions

The federal Legislation observed will be The Environmental Protection and biodiversity Conservation Act 1999.

3. Air Quality Management Plan

The main source of pollution to be managed is dust produced from operating concrete and brick cutting and drilling machines.

3.1 Performance objectives:

To minimise the impact to air quality from site operations ensure the relevant provisions of the Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997 and the Interim Construction Guidelines are met.

3.2 Management Strategies:

The performance objectives above will be achieved by the use of improved technology where economically feasible, evaluation of the effect of air emissions where appropriate and employment of dust extraction equipment on equipment where appropriate.

3.3 Tasks:

The following actions will be undertaken to implement the above management strategies. EMS/EMP awareness training to be included as part of staff inductions and dust extraction and collection units to be maintained and repaired as required.

3.4 Responsibilities:

This EMP is the responsibility of the Directors of Perisale. The actions outlined in this plan are the responsibility of management, foremen and employees.

3.5 Performance Indicators:

Nil complaints relating to air quality management and extraction equipment maintained as per maintenance schedule.

3.6 Monitoring and reporting:

Any complaints as to the management of on site air quality will be directed to the Directors of Perisale as soon as practical. Complaints and any actions arising from a complaint will be recorded in a complaints register to be maintained by site management.

3.7 Corrective actions:

Maintain dust collection system following the reduced performance.

4. Energy Management Plan

This Energy Management Plan is aimed at minimizing electricity use. The main sources of use are site equipment and lighting.

4.1 Performance objectives:

To minimize electricity usage on site.

4.2 Management Strategies:

The performance objectives above will be achieved by actively monitoring energy use and minimize energy usage by ensuring power equipment is only active when required. Where possible take energy rating into account when purchasing new equipment.

4.3 Tasks:

The following actions will be undertaken to implement the above management strategies: Energy consumption monitoring awareness training to be included as part of staff inductions.

4.4 Responsibilities:

This EMP is the responsibility of the Directors of Perisale. The actions outlined in this plan are the responsibility of management, foremen and employees.

4.5 Performance Indicators:

Nil complaints relating to electricity wastage through the excessive use of power tools and site lighting.

4.6 Monitoring and reporting:

Any complaints as to the management of on site electricity usage will be directed to the Directors of Perisale as soon as practical. Complaints and any actions arising from a complaint will be recorded in a complaints register to be maintained by site management.

4.7 Corrective actions:

Undertake energy monitoring and establish where and how increased usage in electrical energy has occurred.

5. Noise Management Plan

This Noise Management Plan is aimed at minimizing noise production. The main sources of site noise are site drilling equipment.

5.1 Performance objectives:

To minimize drilling noise on site.

5.2 Management Strategies:

The performance objectives above will be achieved by actively monitoring noise production and minimize tool usage by ensuring power equipment is only active when required. Where possible take drill capacity and noise rating into account when purchasing new equipment.

5.3 Tasks:

The following actions will be undertaken to implement the above management strategies: Noise production awareness training to be included as part of staff inductions.

5.4 Responsibilities:

This EMP is the responsibility of the Directors of Perisale. The actions outlined in this plan are the responsibility of management, foremen and employees.

5.5 Performance Indicators:

Nil complaints relating to noise through the excessive use of power tools.

5.6 Monitoring and reporting:

Any complaints as to the management of on site noise will be directed to the Directors of Perisale as soon as practical. Complaints and any actions arising from a complaint will be recorded in a complaints register to be maintained by site management.

5.7 Corrective actions:

Immediate shutdown of noisy activities and investigate complaint immediately. Where practical delay activity.

6. Waste Management Plan

This Waste Management Plan is aimed at minimizing waste production. The main sources of site waste are dust, slurry, rubble, cable excess, boxes and packaging.

6.1 Performance objectives:

The performance objectives above will be achieved by actively monitoring waste production and minimizing waste generation by localized strategies for the management and disposal of all waste produced in accordance with the principals of avoidance, reuse, recycling and disposal of waste to manage waste in a manner that is sustainable and sensitive to the environment.

6.2 Tasks:

The following actions will be undertaken to implement the above management strategies: Organise regular waste collection and minimize excessive waste storage while continually auditing waste storage points to ensure the above strategies are being met.

6.3 Responsibilities:

This EMP is the responsibility of the Directors of Perisale. The actions outlined in this plan are the responsibility of management, foremen and employees.

6.4 Performance Indicators:

Nil complaints relating to waste production or storage.

6.5 Monitoring and reporting:

Any complaints as to the management of on site waste will be directed to the Directors of Perisale as soon as practical. Complaints and any actions arising from a complaint will be recorded in a complaints register to be maintained by site management.

6.6 Corrective actions:

In the event of excess waste production additional disposal will be immediately arranged in accordance with the principals of avoidance, reuse, recycling and disposal of waste to manage waste in a manner that is sustainable and sensitive to the environment.