

Environment Policy

The Environment Policy sets the level of environmental responsibility and performance required of NQBP's directors, employees and contractors and is a statement of NQBP's commitment to protection of the environment and the sustainable management of its operations.

NQBP is an environmentally responsible corporation that is committed to protection of the environment and the sustainable management of its ports and activities.

To achieve these outcomes, NQBP and its staff and contractors will –

Demonstrate environmental responsibility through:

- Proactively minimising environmental impacts on natural, social and cultural heritage values;
- Mitigating pollution and minimising waste from NQBP activities;
- Implementing risk management techniques to assess potential impacts of activities and to introduce appropriate controls;
- Monitoring our environmental performance of our environmental controls;
- Seeking continual improvement in our environmental performance; and
- Aiming for environmental best practice in all of our activities.

Apply a high level of governance through:

- Maintaining our environmental management system to meet the standard set by ISO14001:2015.
- Complying with relevant environmental legislation, government policies, industry standards and codes of practice;
- Setting environmental objectives and targets that are designed to continually improve NQBP's environmental performance; and
- Encouraging and assisting our suppliers, customers and tenants to improve their environmental performance.

Lead by example through:

- Expecting all employees and contractors engaged by NQBP to take personal responsibility for meeting the obligations of this policy;
- Communicating proactively, openly and honestly on our environmental performance;
- Providing on-going training and support to staff to achieve best practice environmental outcomes;
- Sustainable planning of port activities; and
- Ensuring leading practice port environmental monitoring programs and transparent information sharing.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Nicolas Fertin".

Nicolas Fertin
Chief Executive Officer
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