

## Energy policy

Slim Merseburg GmbH has established an energy management system that meets the requirements of economic and environmental policy as well as the legal requirements and its self-commitments.

In the sense of our responsibility for the careful handling of the limited fossil fuel resources as well as for the lasting climate protection an efficient use of energy is absolutely necessary, which contributes at the same time to the long term improvement of our cost control.

The efficient use of energy will be achieved by constantly improving our processes using modern technologies.

For the operational implementation of the energy policy, an energy officer has been appointed to coordinate the activities to minimize the use of energy through the active involvement of a designated energy team.

The main focuses of our energy management are the systematic recording and evaluation of energy flows as well as the derivation and implementation of energy saving measures. All activities to increase energy efficiency are continuously monitored. The requirements for a functioning energy management were integrated into the structure of the existing quality management system.

Our company, Slim Merseburg GmbH has committed to the following :

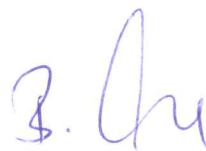
- to comply with all applicable legal and other energy requirements, energy consumption and energy efficiency requirements adopted by the company
- continuous improvement of energy related performance
- to ensure the availability of information and the resources necessary to achieve its strategic and operational objectives
- to take appropriate and effective technological, organizational and behavioral changes
- to regularly measure, record, verify and evaluate the various energy consumption figures
- to involve employees actively in the implementation of energy policy
- to carefully evaluate energy-efficient alternatives

As other business policies, our energy policy is periodically evaluated and updated if needed. This is done as part of our management review.

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