



ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY

Sonamet operates in a small part of the global environment that must be protected by everyone, everywhere contributing towards solving the environmental issues that affect them by reducing or eliminating their harmful environmental impacts.


Since the establishment of Sonamet in 1998, social and environmental responsibility has featured prominently in planning and implementation of Sonamet's ongoing development.

Corporate environmental sustainability is a primary element in Sonamet's strategy objective to develop and implement a sustainable business model satisfying legislative requirements, clients and stakeholders' expectations and the desire within the neighboring community to improve their environment and their quality of life.

In support of this primary strategic objective Sonamet's Board of Directors has approved the implementation of an Environmental Management System, based on the ISO 14001:2004 international standard and the promotion of Sonamet's environmental stewardship according to this standard by stating commitment to:

- Reduce Sonamet's environmental footprint through implementation of an Environmental Management System incorporating a process of continuous improvement.
- Comply with applicable laws and regulations.
- Raise the awareness on environmental issues in Sonamet and in the neighboring community.
- Encourage and progressively, adopt environmentally sound technologies and processes in Sonamet;
- Identify, reduce or prevent, all environmental pollution generated by Sonamet.

Local environmental issue emanating from the local environment where Sonamet operates contribute to the global environmental issues that affect all living things and that can only be solved with the participation of everyone, everywhere.


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