## **Environmental Policy**

<u>Ecoshred Ltd</u> is committed to achieving environmental best practice throughout its business activities wherever this is practicable.

The Top Management of the Company recognise that the pursuit of economic growth and a healthy environment must be closely linked and that ecological protection and sustainable development are collective responsibilities, in which governments, businesses, individuals and communities all have a role to play. In addition, we consider the following aspects and take actions where appropriate to cancel or reduce the environmental impact of our operations: transport; waste minimisation; effective use of resources etc.

Our environmental responsibility programme is based upon continuous improvement, consistent with current knowledge. Our Environmental Management System is a central part of the business and as such has been fully integrated into all aspects of it. We believe sound environmental practice is a key factor demonstrating effective corporate management. We seek to educate and train our employees to act in an environmentally responsible manner.

We conduct internal environmental reviews and publicise the results. The reviews measure our performance and ensure that we are meeting our policy goals as well as compliance requirements.

We seek to develop services, in conjunction with our Customers and suppliers, which promote environmental protection where there is a sound business rationale. Much of this centres on buying into the environment by pursuing a purchasing policy geared to environmental considerations. All our suppliers are required to provide proof of their environmental credentials. We also work towards reducing our own environmental impact by training and promoting environmental awareness within our Company.

We encourage our suppliers to consider fully the environmental implications of their businesses and the impact on them of environmental issues. We share information with suppliers and Customers as appropriate.

We recognise that environmental risks are part of the normal checklist of risk assessment and management. As part of our risk assessments, where appropriate, environmental impact assessments may be requested.