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Environmental Policy Statement

Date	February 2023
General Description of the Business	Node4 is a privately-owned IT services company based in the UK. Our main products and services are hosted IT solutions, connectivity, and IT co-location. We operate 3 data centres in the UK, Derby, Leeds, and Northampton.
Short Mission Statement	**Commitment to achieving Net Zero** Node 4 Limited is committed to achieving Net Zero emissions by 2050. Energy efficiency and environmental sustainability are a part of everything Node 4 do, whether we're building new data centres or upgrading existing facilities. We have committed to design, build, and operate our data centres with high energy efficiency standards, and we have a long-term goal to use 100% clean and renewable energy across our global platform.

Policy Aims

- Reduce carbon emissions by 17.85% over the next 5 years mainly by investing in efficiencies for the data centres and purchase renewable energy.
- Comply with all relevant regulatory requirements, such as ESOS & CCA.
- Improve environmental performance year on year, by incorporating EcoVadis and GRI standards within policies and training.
- Incorporate environmental factors into business decisions, by conducting quarterly ESG meetings to enhance and share best practise.
- Reduce impacts of activities, products, and services by completing RFI'S for customers and suppliers
- Increase staff awareness and promote good environmental performance through training and regular communication.
- Publish environmental policy and other environmental information for the public on our website and blogs using media such as LinkedIn.

Policy Objectives

- Conserve energy and other natural resources through a maintenance programme and upgrading equipment through a replacement project.
- Improve the efficiency of materials used by using more monitoring and collation of correct data.
- Reduce waste and increase reuse and recycling by driving staff initiatives and monitoring waste costs.
- Compliance will monitor and record regulatory consents and authorisations through quarterly ESG meetings and annual management reviews.
- Using the ESG meeting to explore methods to assess the environmental impact of activities, products, and services.
- Employ best techniques and procedures for measuring and controlling emissions, discharges, and waste by using systems such as the PRTG network monitoring tool.

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- Utilise energy-saving technology where appropriate and apply industry best practice to energy consumption by continuing to purchase REGO energy at the best price for our customers, using fuel polishers and replacing outdated equipment.
- Work with suppliers, contractors, and subcontractors to improve their environmental performance through RFI's and marketing initiatives.
- Monitor, and record environmental data through dynamic and effective ESG meetings, collating data from all sources to ensure all Scope emissions are captured.
- Comply with all applicable environmental legislation by ensuring that this is monitored by the ESG committee and added on to the legal register.

Signed

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Andy Gilbert – CEO

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