



ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY

Since several years, Asahi Diamond Industrial Europe became aware of importance of environmental respect and protection for all of our activities in super-abrasives tools manufacturing activities.

To structure our action and to increase its efficiency, we implemented an Environmental Management System based on ISO 14001.

The consideration of our environmental responsibility allows our commitment, in a continual improvement step. For this, we have defined the following objectives:

- to respect legal and other requirements
- to identify the risks, prevent the pollutions and react quickly in the event of an environmental accident in order to reduce the consequences on humans and environment
- to master the waste and promote profitable initiatives aiming to their reduction and their valuation
- to reduce the use of health and environmental dangerous products and limit (if possible to eliminate) all development based on health and environmental dangerous products
- to train and to make aware our colleagues to minimize workplace impacts and assure that they subscribe to this environmental policy and they understand their responsibility of implementation.

The targets of all the objectives and the rules of calculation are defined and monitored in Management Meeting, every year.

I oblige all the staff to respect the defined rules. I make our environmental manager in charge of ensuring their implementation. I put at disposal, as far as economically practicable, the technical, human and financial means necessary to implement this commitment and to make the system durable.

Chartres, April the 7th 2009

The président
Jean-Guillaume DE DOUHET