

COMPANY ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY STATEMENT

Castleton Technology recognises that it is part of the local community and the wider community in which it operates and shares a duty to protect and promote the environment.

The objectives of the Policy are:

- To minimize any disturbance to the local and global environment and to the quality of life of the local communities in which the Company operates.
- To comply with all relevant statutory regulations.
- To maintain the appearance of premises to the highest practical standards.
- To take positive steps to conserve resources, particularly those which are scarce or non-renewable.
- To assess in advance where possible, the environmental effects of any new proposals and to adjust the Company's plans accordingly.
- Where relevant, to provide the information necessary to enable the Company's products to be properly used, stored and disposed of so as to avoid unacceptable effects on man or the environment.
- Provide the necessary information to enable employees to operate the processes properly and with minimal effects on man or the environment.
- To work with its employees, suppliers, customers and local community to achieve these objectives.

The Castleton Technology Scanning Centre puts into action the organizations' environmental policy. Once destroyed your declassified materials are recycled and returned as low grade paper products – reducing the demand for woodbased paper, preserving trees and helping to protect the environment.

Unbelievable though it may seem - up to 17 mature trees can be saved for every tonne of paper we re-cycle so our contribution to environmental protection can be significant.

Not only can you help us to save thousands of trees each year – there are other savings too compared with conventional wood pulp production – producing a tonne of recycled paper uses over 60% less energy and 50% less water. Air pollution is also reduced by up more than 70%.