

Smart Metering Systems Plc and its group companies (together “SMS”, “we” or “us”) support our clients to enrich the social and physical environment through the provision of innovative and efficient products and services that underpins daily lives, supports communities, and enables economic growth. Technology and sustainability are at the very core of our ethos and business model.

We are aware that the nature of our business will have an impact on the environment through the use of energy and in particular our fleet and grid-battery operations. We are committed to fulfilling all compliance obligations relevant to our business and our environmental impact. Our Energy Management System (“EnMS”) is externally certified to ISO 50001:2018.

The ISO50001:2018 standard provides a framework for continual improvement to our approach, processes, and performance. We are committed to ensuring the availability of relevant information and resources to enable us to achieve our objectives and targets.

We will work closely with our people, clients, partners, designers, and supply chain to protect the environment by:

- improving our energy efficiency;
- reducing subsequent Greenhouse Gas emissions; and
- raising awareness of energy use and impacts.

Our energy management strives towards best practice and aligns with the transformation and decarbonisation of the UK’s energy networks. Our EnMS does this by providing a framework of policy, procedures, monitoring and targets which enables us to identify and realise energy efficiency improvements across our organisation.

We will ensure that lifecycle principles are applied to the services and solutions we deliver by:

- selecting materials and services that have low environmental impact, encourage low energy consumption and are sourced responsibly;
- ensuring that design activities consider energy performance improvement; and
- addressing climate change mitigation and adaptation.

It is the responsibility of every individual in the business to comply with this policy and its associated arrangements as an integral part of their day-to-day duties.

We will engage with stakeholders to ensure we continually improve our EnMS. This will enable us to deliver environmental and energy best practice, monitor our energy consumption and enhance our environmental and energy performance. We will communicate regularly on progress through our public Annual Report.

We are committed to achieving a target of ‘net zero’ for our fleet and buildings’ scope 1 and 2 carbon emission across the group by 2030 and aim to lead the UK’s transition to a low-carbon future by assisting our clients with their carbon reduction journeys through the funding and delivery of sustainability-focused services.

This Policy statement will be communicated to our employees, supply chain partners and relevant interested parties and shall be reviewed on an annual basis or following significant change to legislation or our organisation and activities.

For further information, see our Climate and Sustainability Policy Statement.



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