

# ENVIRONMENTAL COMMITMENT



NEXT MARITIME, S.L.U. is a worldwide ship agency and, in addition, acts as customs representative and logistics operator (forwarder).

NEXT MARITIME, S.L.U. has implemented an Integrated Management System, through which it carries out a control of all aspects related to Quality, the Environment and the Prevention of Risks (Health & Safety).

The objective is that this management system will be known and respected by its suppliers and commercial partners, without whose collaboration, the implementation of the environmental policy approved by the organization, could not be guaranteed. A summary of the issues related to operational control developed by NEXT MARITIME, S.L.U. that directly affect the supply chain is attached.

## **GENERAL REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL SUBCONTRACTORS AND SUPPLIERS**

- Know and comply with the current regulations of their products, services and activities.
- Notify NEXT MARITIME, S.L.U. of any information regarding the environmental aspects of its products and / or services.

## **SUBCONTRACTORS OF SERVICES**

- Use natural resources rationally, such as: water, electricity or diesel oil.
- The waste generated must be managed correctly (selective withdrawal and subsequent delivery to an authorized operator).
- Any spill of dangerous products is prohibited in the facilities of NEXT MARITIME, S.L.U. or in the course of operations managed by NEXT MARITIME, S.L.U.
- If there is a spill or any other environmental accident, any action taken will apply environmental emergency protocols, and all interested parties involved in an operation will be informed immediately.

## **SUPPLIERS OF MATERIALS AND EQUIPMENT**

- Only supply materials that comply with the applicable quality, environmental and safety standards.
- Encourage production processes that respect the environment and the implementation of environmental management systems.
- Provide the corresponding certificates of quality and / or conformity of the products supplied, as well as the instructions for use.
- Notify NEXT MARITIME, S.L.U. of any potential environmental risk or for the safety and health of the products supplied.

## **RENTAL OF EQUIPMENT AND VEHICLES**

- Report on the consumption of natural resources (energy, raw material, fuel) of equipment or machinery under normal conditions of use.
- Report on the waste generated by the machinery or equipment, as well as its characteristics.

- Report on the maintenance management carried out on machinery or equipment.
- Report on potential accidents, breakdowns, operation in abnormal conditions (stop, start) and its effects on the environment.

#### **MAINTENANCE COMPANIES OF MACHINERY, FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT**

- Deliver NEXT MARITIME, S.L.U. a copy of the registry that certifies the authorization of the companies to carry out the installation and / or maintenance work.
- Inform NEXT MARITIME, S.L.U. of the potential effects and environmental risks of the activities and operations carried out on vessels managed by NEXT MARITIME, S.L.U. or by third parties.
- Communicate to NEXT MARITIME, S.L.U. immediately any type of incident that may pose a risk to the environment (spills, waste disposal, etc.)
- Manage the waste generated and equipment removed according to current regulations.

#### **WASTE MANAGERS AND CARRIERS**

- Send NEXT MARITIME, S.L.U. a copy of the current authorization of the company as transporter or waste manager.
- Facilitate the delivery notes of the withdrawals with the complete information (quantity withdrawn, number of waste, destination, etc.).
- Report any incident that occurs as a result of the provision of its services and may have a significant impact on the environment.
- Propose improvement actions in relation to waste management (good practices, container location, etc.)

The suppliers and commercial partners of NEXT MARITIME, S.L.U. must know and respect the recommendations and rules contained in this document, as well as the Integrated Management Policy, that is available to all interested parties.

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