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Policy statement

At DeLaval, we develop, manufacture and distribute equipment and systems for milk production and animal husbandry in over 100 markets around the world.

We are committed to running our business in an environmentally sound manner, maintaining the highest manufacturing standards and to providing decent working conditions for everyone who works with us. For our customers, it means helping them reduce the environmental impact of every kg of milk produced in a way that is good for the animals and everyone working on a farm. For our suppliers, this means working together with partners who share our environmental values and building relationships that help us improve collectively. For us at DeLaval, it means designing our products to reduce adverse environmental impacts throughout their lifecycle, reducing energy and resource consumption and waste across our operations, and setting targets to achieve continuous improvement across our development, sourcing, manufacturing, and transportation activities.

This Environmental Policy constitutes the basis of our environmental commitments and efforts, both within our operations and across our products and value chain. It defines how we impact the environment in wider society, how we address those challenges, and who within the organisation is responsible to put this policy into action.

This Environmental Policy applies globally and is mandatory.

Environmental aspects

Across our operations, we have identified the following key aspects as most material from an environmental perspective:

Climate change and energy

We are committed to reducing our greenhouse gas emissions in line with the United Nations Paris Agreement on Climate Change¹ and to reach net zero by 2050.

Our operations consume energy in the form of heat, hot water and electrical power. We are working to reduce our energy consumption and to switch to renewable energy sources where possible.

Water

Water consumption in our factories and distribution centres is generally very low. Our focus in relation to water management is therefore primarily focused on developing products that lower water consumption on farms. That said, we will continue to do our part in ensuring our water consumption and wastewater discharge practices do not affect the environment nor the communities within which we operate. To that extent, we will continue to monitor our water consumption, and identify where this could be a challenge in areas of water stress, both across our current and future operations, and in our value chain.

Waste and circular economy

Waste is generated as a result of our production processes but also in the form of post-consumer waste from our products, including electronic waste, from the use of our products. We aim to apply the waste hierarchy in our operations, which prioritizes waste prevention as the top priority, followed by preparation for reuse, recycling, other forms of recovery, and disposal as a last resort. We implement waste reduction and recycling programmes across our supply chain. This includes reducing packaging material and implementing appropriate disposal methods for chemicals and hazardous waste.

We understand that the transition to a circular economy is a challenge for our industry and aim to take a proactive approach towards emerging legislation that could affect our business. We have committed to targets that address waste and circular economy.

Guidelines for our environmental activities

Pro-active

We continuously seek to improve our understanding of what it means for our customers and ourselves to be more environmentally sustainable. This allows us to take a leading position in terms of environmental performance, makes it possible for us to create competitive advantages, and provides us freedom in deciding what actions to take to improve our operations.

Holistic perspective

We will actively seek opportunities to improve our environmental performance by establishing objectives and targets, measuring progress, and reporting our results, including, but not

¹ The [Paris Agreement](#) is a legally binding international treaty on climate change. It was adopted at the UN Climate Change Conference (COP21) in Paris on 12 December 2015 and entered into force on 4 November 2016. Its overarching goal is to hold 'the increase in the global average temperature to well below 2°C above pre-industrial levels' and pursue efforts 'to limit the temperature increase to 1.5°C above pre-industrial levels.

limited to, energy, responsible water use, waste, and the reduction of greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions.

DeLaval will place environmentally driven demands on our suppliers and other cooperating parties accordingly.

Continuous improvement

We actively seek improvement opportunities, and once decided, our actions are implemented, checked and corrected to improve our environmental performance. We gather input from our employees, suppliers, and customers to help us meet our environmental goals.

We communicate our commitment to responsible environmental management by promoting environmental responsibility among our employees and providing the necessary training and support to enable them to implement this policy. We shall inform our suppliers of our environmental policy and encourage them to adopt effective environmental management practices.

Development

We constantly innovate to create new products and services that improve productivity yields, enhance animal welfare, reduce GHG emissions per kg of milk, and make farms more efficient, productive and profitable. For example, our digital services offering aims to create traceability at the farm level and offer our customers actionable insights to help them reduce environmental impact and become more efficient and sustainable.

Customers

We provide solutions and services that help customers address challenges - such as animal welfare, operational efficiency, food safety, and farm profitability - considering farming conditions, climate impact, energy and water use, regulatory requirements, and biodiversity. Marketing with environmental arguments must be relevant and based on facts only.

We encourage our customers to share their concerns regarding environmental issues with us and will facilitate discussion on options to address those issues. We endeavour to help our customers by finding solutions that support their productivity, animal care and environmental goals.

Information and education

We publicly provide information regarding our environmental priorities and performance. Internally, we inform and educate employees of the environmental challenges facing our customers and our own operations. Individual internal proposals and initiatives for environmental improvements are evaluated and supported.

Risk assessment

As part of the risk assessment, environmental risks are considered and agreed upon with the Group Management members responsible for environmental sustainability.

Monitoring and assurance

The policy is monitored by the Global Compliance Team and the Global Sustainability Group. The status and progress of our environmental work is reported in our annual sustainability report.

Escalation and notification

Escalation of issues is the responsibility of each employee.

This Policy will be continually reviewed and updated alongside our business strategy as our understanding of how our operations impact our emissions and energy performance across our value chain, and understanding of associated regulations evolves. This Policy is accessible to our stakeholders via our corporate website.