



Carbon Accounting Systems
QUALITY MANAGEMENT POLICY



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Signed & Dated

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Quality management policy statement

Policy statement;

"Carbon Accounting Systems consultancy is committed to consistently exceeding customer expectations by providing products, services and information of the highest quality in terms of safety, reliability, accuracy and timeliness. Our success is based on continuously improving the effectiveness of our products, processes, and quality management system."

Shane Hughes (Director) Carbon Accounting Systems

This is the policy statement of Carbon Accounting Systems who was established in 2007 to provide sustainability, energy efficiency and low carbon business advice, audits and auxiliary services.

This Quality Policy clearly states the company's quality objectives and commitment to quality. The Quality Policy relates to the whole of the company's activities. (Reference: BS EN ISO 9001: 2000 Clause 5.5.1) and is specifically provided for use by those that partner with or work for the company.

Objectives of the Quality Management System

To provide the highest quality products and services by;

- Identifying, developing and implementing quality management systems, geared to the individual activity wherever practical.
- Auditing and reviewing the Quality Management System to identify excellence, problems and areas of improvement.
- Being technically competent and maintaining sufficient Continuing Professional Development.

As a consequence we aim to;

Maximize carbon saved by;

- Providing services that are consistent, accurate, effective and relevant to the client.
- Developing and maintaining client knowledge of energy efficiency best practice.
- Identify opportunities for loans, ECAs and other financial services that may enable implementation.

Promote customer loyalty and recommendation by;

- Ensuring Customers' needs are identified and understood.
- Managing the Customer's expectations of CAS programs.
- Acting independently, impartially and in a professional manner at all times.
- Ensuring project requirements are identified, understood, agreed by all and documented.
- Providing a management system that ensures on-time delivery of the agreed product or service.
- Providing brief, user friendly and easily accessible methods to express satisfaction or dissatisfaction and ensure that any dissatisfaction is resolved.
- Meeting the statutory and regulatory requirements of the United Kingdom and other countries within which we operate.

Provide a good working environment and culture within the company and amongst



contractors and suppliers;

- Promoting a culture of honesty, good timely communication and assistance to each other.
- Providing brief, user friendly and easily accessible procedures and processes that reflect the users' preferred method of working wherever practicable.
- Ensuring that recognition is given to those that deserve it.

Quality Management System

The international definition of a Quality Management System (QMS), contained in ISO9000: 2000, is "co-ordinated activities to direct and control an organisation with regard to the degree to which a set of inherent characteristics fulfils the requirements". Carbon Accounting System has not sought certification under ISO9000, however, this recognised British Standard has been used to guide the QMS and reference is given.

The QMS is the logical and organised combination of everything (procedures, processes, policies) we all do every day to fulfill our Quality Policy and to meets our business and our customers' needs.

This policy will be made available to all clients and partner organizations by publishing the policy on the Carbon Accounting Systems website. All employees, consultants and suppliers will be required to agree to the policy prior to commencement of activities.