

Ronez Limited is a leading supplier to the construction and infrastructure industries in the Channel Islands. We produce and supply a wide range of construction materials and solutions including aggregates, recycled and secondary aggregates, cementitious materials, asphalt, ready-mixed and precast concrete products. We also transport waste materials as part of our delivery process and operation and are a major provider of road surfacing and civil engineering.

Ronez therefore recognises the importance of our commitment to mitigate and manage our impacts in a program of continuous improvement to make a positive contribution to our business and to society.

We do this by implementing environmentally responsible standards and practices as part of an Environment Management System. This Environmental Policy and the related environmental standards support this commitment.

Management systems

A framework is in place to allow us to establish and review our environmental objectives to improve our performance and the effectiveness of our management system:

- We develop and use an effective Environmental Management System (EMS) to manage overall environmental responsibilities and performance
- We comply with environmental laws, regulations and standards applicable to our activities, products and services, and we maintain certification to ISO 14001
- We promote our commitment through training and integration into business processes
- We assess the environmental policies and practices of our key suppliers
- We encourage the development and use of environmentally friendly technologies.
- We employ operating procedures to reduce exposure of our employees and our communities to environmental, health and safety risks
- We conduct an environmental and social impact study (ESIA) when selecting Greenfield sites or developing major modification projects on existing sites
- We translate our commitments into actions by setting corporate objectives and targets that are communicated to employees and stakeholders, and we review our progress towards these targets.

Environmental impacts

We assess and measure our environmental impacts, continuously improve processes, tools and capabilities and promote best practices in our industry.

Release of pollutants:

We develop and implement effective controls to monitor, minimise or prevent the release of pollutants to the environment (air, water, and soil) in our operations.

Climate change:

We reduce our impact on climate change through:

- The development, manufacture or promotion of innovative and sustainable products and solutions
- Optimising the use of energy and promoting energy efficiency
- Reducing the use of non-renewable resources where it is safe as well as technically and economically relevant, e.g. by replacing them with substitute raw materials

Resources utilisation:

We improve resource efficiency through reuse, recovery and/ or recycling of waste materials in our own production processes and, where feasible, minimise the generation of any hazardous and other waste, and dispose of waste using safe and responsible methods.

Water:

We minimise our impact on water resources by reducing water withdrawal through the use of recycling, the promotion of water efficient practices and a responsible management of water discharges.

Biodiversity and rehabilitation/ restoration/ reclamation:

We implement biodiversity management plans for all active extraction sites and work to protect, restore and enhance biodiversity habitats and species on and around our sites.

We develop rehabilitation /restoration / reclamation plans that take into account the needs and expectations of our stakeholders and, where feasible and relevant, fosters wildlife habitat creation and contribute to the conservation of species.

Local impacts:

We assess, and appropriately mitigate, our impacts on surrounding communities in regards to fugitive dust, noise, vibrations, and traffic.

Stakeholder relations, monitoring and reporting

We are open, honest, and accountable to our stakeholders. We report on compliance, performance and progress and inform our stakeholders routinely about our activities, products and services, soliciting their feedback and encouraging a candid dialogue. We cooperate pro-actively with legislators and regulators to evaluate the feasibility, impact, and cost/benefit of proposed laws, regulations and standards.



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