



1. Introduction

Prima Dental Manufacturing Limited is a global leader in the design, manufacture, and supply of rotary dental burs, including both steel and diamond varieties. Our products are engineered specifically for the dentistry industry. We distribute over 40 million dental burs annually to a global network of trade customers, suppliers, and distributors across more than 90 countries. Our operations are based at two manufacturing sites, along with a warehousing, packaging, and dispatch unit located at Stephenson Drive, Waterwells Business Park, Gloucester, GL2 2HA, and Brunel Court off Stephenson Drive, GL2 2AL.

2. Responsibility and Leadership

As Managing Director, I hold overall responsibility for energy management at Prima Dental. The day-to-day implementation of this energy policy is appointed to the HSE Manager, who is tasked with ensuring that our energy use aligns with the latest regulatory requirements and contributes to our sustainability goals.

3. Commitment to Energy Efficiency and Sustainability

In 2024, Prima Dental is committed to the following principles in line with the UK's evolving energy and environmental policies:

- **Energy Efficiency**: We are dedicated to enhancing our energy efficiency across all operations, in line with the UK's national goals to double energy-efficiency improvement rates by 2030. This involves regular audits, monitoring of energy use, and implementing energy-saving technologies.
- **Net Zero Carbon Emissions**: We aim to align with the UK's 2050 net-zero target by reducing our carbon footprint, including emissions from manufacturing processes and energy consumption. This involves setting science-based targets and participating in the UK's Emissions Trading Scheme (UK ETS), which requires gradual reduction of emissions in line with national caps.
- Renewable Energy: We are committed to increasing our use of renewable energy sources as part of our broader sustainability strategy. This aligns with national policy priorities, which is critical to meeting the UK's energy objectives by 2030.
- Compliance with Regulatory Standards: We ensure compliance with all relevant energy-related regulations, including the updated National Policy Statements for energy, and adhere to the new disclosure requirements under the Corporate Sustainability Reporting Directive (CSRD), which mandates comprehensive reporting on environmental impacts.
- Innovation and Continuous Improvement: Prima Dental will continue to invest in energy-efficient technologies and innovations that support our sustainability goals. This includes exploring new opportunities for reducing energy consumption in our production processes and improving the overall energy performance of our facilities.

4. Communication and Training

This policy will be communicated to all employees to ensure awareness and understanding of their role in achieving our energy efficiency and sustainability goals. Regular training and updates will be provided to keep our team informed of the latest energy management practices and regulatory changes.

5. Review and Accountability

This energy policy will be reviewed annually or following significant regulatory changes to ensure its ongoing relevance and effectiveness. The management team remains fully committed to its implementation, ensuring Prima Dental's operations contribute positively to environmental sustainability.

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