

## **ENVIRONMENTAL COMMITMENT**

**AARUS GROUP**

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The AARUS Group, whose activities include ship agency services, customs brokerage and maritime services (HUB), aware of its responsibility and commitment to the environment, expands its Integrate Policy in this document to detail its environmental commitments.

This document covers the following companies:

- **AARUS MARÍTIMA S.A.**
- **AARUS ADUANAS & TRANSITOS S.L**
- **AARUS INTERCONTINENTAL S.L.**
- **WOSHIP MARITIME S.L.**

The Management of the Aarus Group, with the aim of minimizing the impact and reducing potential environmental risks arising from its activities, undertakes the following commitments:

- **LEGAL COMPLIANCE:** The Aarus Group periodically reviews and identifies compliance with the legal requirements applicable to its activities, as well as other commitments it assumes voluntarily.
- **SUSTAINABLE RESOURCE MANAGEMENT AND WASTE REDUCTION:** The Aarus Group ensures efficient Management of natural resources through the digitalization of processes and the implementation of waste reduction plants. We are committed to sustainable purchasing, prioritizing suppliers and materials with low environmental impact in order to reduce waste at source.
- **ENERGY EFFICIENCY:** Aarus uses energy from 100% renewable sources and has a program to reduce the organization's energy consumption, promoting sustainable and responsible use.
- **ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT:** The Aarus Group has an Environmental Management system as a tool to integrate environmental criteria into its business strategy, based on the international standard certification UNE-EN ISO 14001.
- **CARBON FOOTPRINT AND GHG EMISSIONS:** The Aarus Group controls and monitors the GHG emission associated with its activities. In this way, the company calculates its carbon footprint annually for scopes 1 and 2, which is recorded in the emissions inventory. The company also has a carbon footprint reduction plan in place.
- **COMMUNICATION WITH STAKEHOLDERS.** The Aarus Group analyzes the needs and expectations from its main stakeholders and integrates those that are reasonable and relevant into its business strategy.

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**To our suppliers:**

We are aware of the importance of each party involved, both those operating in our facilities and those providing subcontracted services for the group, with our primary goal being to raise awareness. Below, we propose a series of requirements and suggestions for carrying out activities in order to reduce or avoid an environmental impact derived:

1. Compliance with and knowledge of the legal requirements derived from its activity.
2. All waste generated during the service shall be deposited in identified containers, ensuring that solid urban waste is not mixed with hazardous waste, and protected from adverse weather conditions. All waste must be handled by authorized waste management companies.
3. In the event of an accidental spill of hazardous materials, its collection and subsequent treatment shall comply with the relevant regulations.
4. Calculate and develop improvement plans to reduce the carbon footprint and GHG emissions.
5. The use of vehicles and machinery models with lower CO2 emissions to the atmosphere is encouraged, ensuring optimal maintenance control, with a focus on noise emissions, gases and any oil spills or leaks.
6. The use of environmentally friendly products is recommended, optimizing the use of raw materials, as well as, the use of recyclable containers and packaging.

Finally, we kindly request that you to inform us of any situation that may affect the environment and that may occur during the course of carrying out of any activity for us.

General Management

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