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All economic activity and societal development depends on the availability of natural resources and the health of the ecosystems in which we live. Therefore, all businesses have a responsibility to manage the environmental impacts arising from their direct operations and to work with partners to reduce impacts across the value chain.

The DCC Group operates in diverse industries and locations worldwide. As a devolved organisation, individual business units are responsible for the implementation of appropriate policies and procedures to identify, assess, control and monitor the environmental impacts that are material to their activities.

As noted in the DCC Code of Conduct, at a minimum, all DCC businesses must comply with applicable environmental legislation, regulations, permits and licences.

At a local level, all business units seek to optimise their use of natural resources - including energy, water and raw materials - and minimise the amount of non-hazardous and hazardous waste streams, water effluents, air emissions and releases to soil and groundwater where these are material aspects of their operations.

With respect to our suppliers, the DCC Supply Chain Integrity Policy sets out the processes by which reasonable assurance is provided on material risks presented by our suppliers - potentially including failure to comply with local environmental laws.

Climate change risks, both physical and transitional, are assessed as part of internal risk management processes to identify and manage both threats and opportunities over the medium to long

term. Energy use within our operations is monitored and reduced through energy efficiency measures. Group carbon emissions are publicly reported.

Protecting our environment is good business. We are committed to continually improving our environmental performance through careful management of our operations.

## **Donal Murphy**

Chief Executive



If you have a query about the application of this Policy, please contact any member of the Legal & Compliance team: www.dcc.ie/responsibility/legal-and-compliance-team



If you believe that this Policy is not being followed you have an obligation to raise a concern. You can contact a member of management in the business where you work; you can contact the Head of Group Legal & Compliance in DCC plc; or you can contact **Safecall**, an independent service for raising concerns in any of the following ways:



## You can use the following Freephone numbers:

Country	Freephone number
United Kingdom	0800 915 1571
Ireland	1800 812740
France	0080072332255
Austria	0080072332255
Germany	0080072332255
Sweden	0850 252 122
Denmark	0080072332255
Norway	0080072332255
Poland	0080072332255
Belgium	0080072332255
Netherlands	0080072332255
China Unicom	10800 7440605
China Telecom	10800 4400682
Hong Kong	3077 5524
USA	1 866 901 3295
UAE	8000 4413376

This service is available 24 hours a day, every day of the year.

### You can use their website:

www.safecall.co.uk/report

### You can email:

dccgroup@safecall.co.uk

Remember, you will always be supported if you raise a concern about a breach of this Policy. Retaliation against any person who raises a concern is strictly prohibited.

