

WATER MANAGEMENT POLICY

As Turkey's pioneering renewable energy company, Aydem Renewables is aware that water is a vital resource that is becoming increasingly scarce in some parts of the world. Ensuring sustainable water management is of great importance from economic, sociological, and environmental perspectives. Economic growth, population growth, industrialization and the adverse effects of climate change increase agricultural, urban and industrial water demand, leading to increased pressure on water resources. Aydem Renewables has developed a sustainable water management policy in line with relevant international principles and guidelines, including the United Nations Global Compact Management Model.

The Water Management Policy will be implemented in Aydem Renewables and its subsidiary companies under our management and control.

Our goals in the implementation steps are;

- To develop a sustainable water management strategy,
- To integrate the sustainable water management strategy into current operations and future investment plans,
- To engage in transparent and responsible sharing with stakeholders regarding water Management,

Our company, which adopts a management approach centered on "Respect for People and Nature,"

- Developing and implementing a sustainable water management strategy by understanding the water resources and usage characteristics of river basins,
- Being aware of our dependence on water and identifying water-related environmental and social risks by considering our direct and indirect water impacts at national, regional, and basin levels,
- Monitoring our impact on water through regular water quality analyses,
- Identifying adverse external impacts, including environmental, social, and commercial risks and opportunities; prioritizing, mitigating, monitoring, and reporting on identified risks, including legal and reputational risks, by implementing appropriate systems,
- Identifying risks related to climate change analyses, public health and safety issues, the conservation of freshwater ecosystems and biodiversity impacts, water stress, flooding and low ambient water quality,
- Defining our strategies and performance goals for water management and integrating them into our corporate governance processes; focusing on the effective use of water in our direct operations and supply chain; and creating action plans to achieve targets for reducing water withdrawal and usage amounts, excluding water used for energy production,
- Implementing policies, strategies, and performance goal plans aimed at improving operational water performance across the company and all components of the company's value chain,
- Planning the necessary measures and actions to secure the right to access safe water, hygiene, and sanitation for our employees and local communities as a fundamental human right,

- Monitoring the effectiveness of the water management strategy in line with the set targets using key performance indicators and environmental and social parameters,
- Engaging with communities, NGOs, value chain stakeholders, and other relevant organizations in the creation of sustainable water management programs,
- Complying with the applicable legal regulations, standards, and the directives and rules of the institutions to which we are affiliated within the scope of our activities,
- Achieving international standards in our activities,
- Communicating this committed and implemented policy to all our employees,

Has adopted it as the Water Management Policy.