

Our sustainable & ethical procurement policy statement



Responsible procurement is an essential part of Ocee International's efforts towards the Sustainable Development Goals and the importance of both social and environmental factors to consider when purchasing materials.

Our timber is procured from responsible suppliers who source from sustainably managed forests, ensuring we are only involved in legal logging from sites that follow replanting schemes to ensure the material is renewable and sustainable. We aim to increase the proportion of certified wood used in our products to increase the traceability of supply.

We understand that our purchasing power effects many actions throughout our supply chain. We have reasonable lead times to ensure pressure isn't set upon our suppliers meaning they must outsource work to companies that may not have work conditions compliant with our policy.

We will in fact use this purchasing power to encourage suppliers to become more sustainable:

- o matching our high environmental standards
- o ensuring material transparency
- o proving compliancy to our Supplier Code of Conduct mentioning Labour, Human Rights, Working Conditions and the Environment

Our Supplier Code of Conduct document highlights these expectations, which is communicated to every supplier at the start of the contract and is available for all stakeholders upon request. We expect our suppliers to be compliant and require verification of policies to go forward with the contract. This is just one step we take to ensure an ethical supply chain.

