Sustainability Plan

1. Purpose

WEINSULATE.CO.UK LIMITED is committed to operating responsibly by minimising the environmental impact of our business activities whilst delivering high-quality energy efficiency and retrofit solutions.

As a TrustMark Registered Installer specialising in domestic energy efficiency improvements and PAS 2035-compliant retrofit projects, we recognise the important role we play in reducing carbon emissions, improving building performance and supporting the UK's transition towards Net Zero.

This Sustainability Plan establishes our environmental objectives, operational commitments and continuous improvement programme to ensure sustainability is embedded throughout our business.

2. Our Sustainability Commitments

WEINSULATE.CO.UK LIMITED is committed to:

- Reducing our environmental footprint across all business operations.
- Supporting the UK's Net Zero Carbon objectives.
- Promoting sustainable procurement and responsible sourcing.
- Reducing waste through prevention, reuse and recycling.
- Improving energy efficiency within our own operations.
- Delivering high-quality retrofit installations that improve the energy performance of homes.
- Working collaboratively with customers, suppliers and partners to encourage sustainable practices.
- Continually improving our environmental performance through monitoring, review and innovation.

3. Sustainability Objectives

Environmental Impact

Over the next three to five years we aim to:

- Reduce Company carbon emissions by **15–25%**.
- Reduce waste sent to landfill from installation activities by **50%**.
- Increase recycling and recovery of insulation off-cuts and packaging to **80%** where suitable recycling facilities exist.
- Reduce paper consumption by **90%** through digital documentation and paperless systems.

Sustainable Products and Materials

We will:

- Prioritise insulation products with low embodied carbon wherever practical.
- Source products containing recycled or renewable materials where technically appropriate.
- Promote products supported by Environmental Product Declarations (EPDs) where available.
- Work towards offering insulation systems incorporating recycled and circular materials.
- Ensure products comply with PAS 2030, PAS 2035, TrustMark requirements and relevant British Standards.

Responsible Procurement

Our procurement strategy supports sustainable construction by:

- Purchasing from suppliers demonstrating strong environmental credentials.
- Maintaining an Approved Sustainable Supplier List.
- Preferring UK-manufactured products where practical to reduce transportation emissions.
- Selecting suppliers with recognised responsible sourcing certifications, including FSC®, BES 6001 and ISO 14001 where available.
- Considering the whole-life environmental impact of products during procurement decisions.

4. Operational Sustainability

Waste Management

The Company will:

- Apply the waste hierarchy of **Reduce, Reuse, Recycle**.
- Segregate waste streams on-site wherever practical.
- Recycle insulation off-cuts, plastics, cardboard, timber and metal whenever facilities permit.
- Work with licensed waste carriers and approved recycling facilities.
- Explore supplier take-back schemes for packaging and surplus materials.
- Monitor waste generation through project reviews.

Energy Efficiency

To reduce energy consumption, the Company will:

- Undertake annual energy reviews of office and storage facilities.
- Purchase electricity from renewable energy suppliers where commercially practical.
- Install and maintain LED lighting throughout Company premises.
- Use programmable heating controls to reduce unnecessary energy consumption.

- Encourage employees to switch off equipment when not in use.

Transport and Fleet

The Company will:

- Transition Company vehicles towards low-emission, hybrid or fully electric vehicles as replacement cycles allow.
- Ensure all vehicles comply with current environmental standards.
- Encourage fuel-efficient driving techniques.
- Plan work efficiently to reduce unnecessary travel.
- Monitor fuel consumption and vehicle emissions.

5. Employee Engagement

Our employees play an important role in achieving our sustainability objectives.

The Company will provide regular training covering:

- Environmental awareness.
- Sustainable construction practices.
- Waste reduction and recycling.
- Efficient installation techniques.
- Responsible use of materials.
- Energy efficiency principles.
- Environmental responsibilities under Company policies.

Employees are encouraged to identify opportunities for environmental improvement and contribute ideas that reduce waste, improve efficiency and support sustainability.

6. Customer Support

As specialists in energy efficiency improvements, WEINSULATE.CO.UK LIMITED will support customers by providing:

- Advice on improving the thermal performance of their property.
- Information on expected energy savings.
- Information on estimated carbon emission reductions.
- Guidance on ventilation requirements following insulation improvements.
- Advice on maintaining installed systems to maximise long-term performance.

Our objective is to help customers reduce both their environmental impact and long-term energy costs.

7. Compliance

The Company will maintain compliance with all applicable environmental legislation and industry standards, including:

- PAS 2030
- PAS 2035
- TrustMark Quality Assurance Requirements

- UK Building Regulations (Part L – Conservation of Fuel and Power)
- Environmental Protection Act 1990
- Waste (England and Wales) Regulations
- Duty of Care Regulations
- Hazardous Waste Regulations (where applicable)
- Control of Substances Hazardous to Health (COSHH)
- Climate Change Act and associated Net Zero initiatives

The Company also supports the principles of **ISO 14001 Environmental Management Systems** and will continue to develop its environmental management arrangements in line with recognised best practice.

8. Monitoring and Performance

Progress against this Sustainability Plan will be monitored through:

- Annual sustainability reviews.
- Fuel consumption monitoring.
- Vehicle emission records.
- Waste and recycling statistics.
- Material usage monitoring.
- Customer feedback.
- Internal audits.
- Supplier performance reviews.

Key Performance Indicators (KPIs) include:

- Number of energy efficiency installations completed.
- Carbon emissions from Company operations.
- Percentage of waste recycled.
- Fuel consumption.
- Sustainable procurement performance.
- Employee environmental training completed.

9. Long-Term Sustainability Goals (5 - 10Years)

WEINSULATE.CO.UK LIMITED aims to:

- Achieve Net Zero operational emissions for office and warehouse activities where reasonably practicable.
- Operate a predominantly low-emission or fully electric vehicle fleet.
- Increase the use of recycled and circular insulation products.
- Work with manufacturers operating closed-loop recycling systems.
- Further reduce waste sent to landfill.
- Continue improving environmental performance year on year.
- Maintain our position as a trusted provider of sustainable retrofit solutions.

10. Continuous Improvement

Environmental sustainability is an ongoing process.

WEINSULATE.CO.UK LIMITED will review this Sustainability Plan annually and whenever there are significant changes to legislation, technology, business operations or industry best practice.

Through continual improvement, innovation and collaboration with employees, customers and suppliers, we aim to make a positive contribution towards creating safer, healthier and more energy-efficient buildings while supporting the UK's transition to a low-carbon future.

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