

## **ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY STATEMENT**

ENGLAND BOXING recognises that the protection of the environment is an integral part of our business and a prime responsibility of management at every level. Our members and the wider boxing community should be able to enjoy the experience of competing and training in a clean environment, and we want to ensure that they are able to do so. We believe that environmental damage is avoidable, so will do everything that is reasonably possible to minimise and prevent it.

We will comply with applicable environmental legislation, prevent pollution, identify and minimise risks to the environment posed by our operations, and ensure continuous improvement both in our own performance and through influencing that of our stakeholders.

All ENGLAND BOXING employees are responsible for managing the organisation's impact on the environment and minimising the resulting effects wherever possible. The directors and managers of ENGLAND BOXING will make available the necessary resources including finance, personnel, training and equipment, to ensure that our environmental management arrangements are implemented effectively.

In order to manage and improve our environmental performance we will:

## Control our own impacts: -

- Maintain a register of relevant legislation to ensure legal compliance;
- Implement and maintain an ISO14001 Environmental Management System;
- Manage our use of chemicals and store them safely to reduce the risk to the environment;
- Respond to the Climate Emergency through setting and delivering interim targets in line with our 2022-27 strategy;
- Reduce, re-use and recycle our waste through a variety of onsite and offsite recycling facilities, and minimise the impact of all residual waste through responsible disposal;
- Include environmental and ethical considerations in relevant purchasing decisions;

- Set realistic objectives and targets for environmental performance, in line with a Sustainability Strategy (to be drafted in 2023);
- Review this policy statement annually, to demonstrate our commitment to continual improvement.

## Manage the impact of events and activities that we organise:

• Ensure effective working practices are in place to reduce the risk of pollution and control risks from environmental hazards during events organised by England Boxing.

## Influence others:

- Engage with and communicate the importance of environmental good practice to our employees, members, suppliers and wider stakeholders, and support them in improving their own environmental performance;
- Report publicly, regularly, and transparently on our progress.

Signed:	The	×	Date: March 2023
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Jerome Pels, CEO

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