

## OUR ENERGY POLICY

The responsibility for doing business in an environmentally conscious and resource-conserving manner gives us the motivation to formulate our energy policy as follows:

**RESPONSIBILITY:** We endeavour to use energy-consuming resources in a responsible way. This goal is supported by the use of an energy management system in accordance with DIN EN ISO 50001.

**SUSTAINABILITY:** All of our investment decisions take the topic of energy efficiency into consideration as an integral constituent.

**PERSPECTIVE:** Our future competitiveness is increased by implementing targeted measures for improving energy efficiency.

**CONTINUOUS IMPROVEMENT:** We are committed to continuously improve both our energy-related performance and our EnMS (Energy Management System). The energy targets which have been defined are continuously monitored.

**RESOURCES:** We provide all of the required information and resources for achieving our energy targets.

**PROCUREMENT:** Energy efficiency is always taken into consideration when procuring products, services and energy.

**DESIGN:** Design-related activities which take the improvement of energy-related performance into consideration are supported.

**EMPLOYEES:** Our employees are encouraged to take responsibility for acting in an energy-conscious manner, and initiating and implementing ideas for improving energy efficiency.

**LEGAL FRAMEWORK:** We adhere to the relevant legal framework conditions and other demands which are made of our energy use, energy consumption and energy efficiency.

**APPLICATION AREA:** This energy policy and the EnMS are applicable to Burkhardt GmbH.

In order to encourage a responsible approach to the use of energy within our company, the management has decided to implement an energy management system in accordance with DIN EN ISO 50001. The management is responsible for the set-up, operation and continuous further development of the EnMS. An energy management officer and an energy management team will be appointed to provide support. The energy policy is in force with immediate effect.