

Approved
By Decision of the Management Board
of JSC "NC "QazaqGaz"
Protocol No. ____ dated ____

ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY

JSC "NC "QazaqGaz" (hereinafter referred to as "the Company") and its subsidiaries recognize that negative impacts on the environment directly affect the preservation of ecosystems, biodiversity, and sustainable climate on the planet.

Our Policy is based on:

- ✓ Compliance with Legislation: Adhering to the requirements of the Republic of Kazakhstan's legislation, international obligations in accordance with the Paris Agreement, national and industry standards, and the Company's internal documents.
- ✓ Pollution Prevention: Preventing environmental pollution by reducing negative environmental impacts.
- ✓ Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA): Conducting comprehensive environmental impact assessments for Company projects from construction to decommissioning, with mandatory public and stakeholder notification and disclosure of such information in public sources.
- ✓ Strategic EIA and Risk Assessment: Performing additional strategic EIA and risk assessments for major infrastructure projects or activities in environmentally sensitive areas, considering stakeholder opinions and interests.
- ✓ Safe Operation: Ensuring the accident-free operation and maintenance of equipment and pipelines to minimize the risk of environmental contamination during accidents.
- ✓ Energy Efficiency: Improving the energy efficiency of production processes to reduce emissions of pollutants and greenhouse gases.
- ✓ Circular Economy: Committing to the principles of a circular economy to reduce waste generation and increase the proportion of recycled waste.
- ✓ Best Available Technologies: Implementing the best available technologies where feasible.
- ✓ Climate and Biodiversity Conservation: Taking measures to preserve climate and biodiversity.
- ✓ Green Office Principles: Implementing "Green Office" principles.
- ✓ Open Communication and Reporting: Ensuring open communication, awareness, and regular reporting to the public, shareholders, the state authorized environmental body, and other stakeholders about significant environmental aspects of the Company's activities.
- ✓ Continuous Improvement: Continuously improving environmental management systems and performance by assigning responsibilities, empowering staff for maintenance and effective functioning.
- ✓ Climate Impact Reduction: Reducing climate change impact through measures to minimize such impacts, limiting additional funding for activities unrelated to the Company's core operations that negatively affect climate change, etc.
- ✓ Active Collaboration: Engaging in active collaboration with stakeholders on environmental protection, biodiversity conservation, and climate change mitigation.

This Policy applies to all employees of the Company and employees of contractor organizations providing services and performing work at the Company's facilities.

The Company's management is responsible for the implementation of this Policy. The management undertakes the responsibility to regularly review this Policy to ensure its adequacy and suitability for application at all levels of the Company.