



INTEGRATED MANAGEMENT SYSTEM POLICY

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Alanya Alaaddin Keykubat University (ALKU)

(Aligned with ISO 50001 & ISO 14001 Standards and the UN Sustainable Development Goals)

We recognize the energy consumed in all our operations as a matter of national value. Accordingly, we are committed to using energy efficiently, setting measurable targets, and regularly reviewing our progress. While striving to achieve our goals and objectives, we pledge to provide all necessary information and resources. We fully comply with all applicable legal requirements related to energy efficiency, support our objectives through the procurement of high-efficiency products, and develop and implement energy-saving projects. Alongside these efforts, we are dedicated to the continuous improvement of our energy performance.

We hereby declare this commitment as our official energy policy and pledge to uphold it across all levels of our institution.

This document also serves as our **Sustainable Procurement and Purchasing Policy**, aligned with ISO 50001, ISO 14001, the UN Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), and international academic frameworks such as QS Sustainability Indicators (e.g., ES4).

Therefore:

1. Sustainable Procurement and Employee Engagement:

Our university ensures the active participation of its staff in sustainable procurement practices and environmental and energy management systems through regular training and awareness-raising activities. In doing so, we strive to embed the concept of sustainability across all stakeholders and continuously enhance the knowledge and environmental awareness of our employees.

This supports SDG 4 (Quality Education), SDG 12 (Responsible Consumption and Production), and SDG 13 (Climate Action).

2. Monitoring of Sustainable Technologies:

To enhance the effectiveness of existing environmental and energy management systems, we continuously monitor technological developments, assess their applicability, and integrate innovations into our systems.

This supports SDG 9 (Industry, Innovation and Infrastructure) and SDG 13 (Climate Action).

3. Operational Effectiveness in Sustainability Systems:

We commit to conducting continuous improvement processes in accordance with the requirements of environmental and energy management systems and aim to measure and enhance the effectiveness of these systems. We allocate the necessary resources to monitor and improve our environmental performance.

This supports SDG 11 (Sustainable Cities and Communities) and SDG 13 (Climate Action).

4. Energy Efficiency and Conservation Awareness:

Our university is committed to increasing awareness of energy efficiency and conservation in all its activities. We aim to instill this awareness in our staff and stakeholders by providing training and developing hands-on energy efficiency projects.

This supports SDG 7 (Affordable and Clean Energy) and SDG 12 (Responsible Consumption and Production).

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5. Compliance with Environmental Legislation and Stakeholder Expectations:

We regularly monitor legislation and conduct internal audits to ensure full compliance with energy and environmental laws and stakeholder expectations.

This supports SDG 16 (Peace, Justice and Strong Institutions) and SDG 13 (Climate Action).

6. Sustainable and Ethical Supply Chain Practices:

We consider environmental and energy management criteria in supplier selection and evaluation processes. By preferring products with low environmental impact and high energy efficiency, we aim to establish a sustainable supply chain.

This supports SDG 8 (Decent Work and Economic Growth) and SDG 12 (Responsible Consumption and Production).

7. Preference for Energy-Efficient Products:

To increase energy efficiency, we prioritize energy-efficient products in procurement and design processes. This approach helps reduce energy consumption and minimize environmental impact.

This supports SDG 7 (Affordable and Clean Energy) and SDG 9 (Industry, Innovation and Infrastructure).

8. Waste Management and Source Reduction:

We aim to develop our waste management processes to reduce waste with high environmental impact at the source and to increase recovery rates. Accordingly, we will develop projects to establish the necessary infrastructure and awareness for managing waste without harming the environment. **This supports SDG 12 (Responsible Consumption and Production), SDG 13 (Climate Action), and SDG 15 (Life on Land).**

9. Continuous Improvement and Performance Monitoring:

We aim to continuously monitor the effectiveness of our environmental and energy management systems, identify improvement opportunities, and implement a systematic improvement process. We commit to evaluating our environmental performance regularly and achieving the goals set annually.

This supports SDG 13 (Climate Action) and SDG 17 (Partnerships for the Goals).

10. Environmental Responsibility and Institutional Commitment:

We aim to reinforce the participation and responsibility of all our employees to ensure effective implementation of environmental and energy management system policies and objectives at every level. We will provide all necessary resources and support to ensure employees take an active role in achieving these objectives.

This supports SDG 16 (Peace, Justice and Strong Institutions) and SDG 13 (Climate Action).

11. Respect for Flora and Fauna:

We adopt a respectful approach toward nature in all our environmental and energy management activities and aim to safeguard ecosystem sustainability. Accordingly, we will conduct environmental impact assessments and take the necessary measures to ensure that university operations do not harm ecosystems and support biodiversity.

This supports SDG 15 (Life on Land) and SDG 6 (Clean Water and Sanitation).

These objectives represent the strategic foundation for ensuring the sustainability and continuous improvement of Alanya Alaaddin Keykubat University's environmental and energy management systems. The university is committed to achieving these objectives through collaboration with all stakeholders.

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