



Konkola Copper Mines plc

## Energy and Carbon Policy

Konkola Copper Mines Plc acknowledges the global concern on climate change and recognizes that concerted and sustained global action is required to reduce the scale of the problem and to adapt to its impacts. KCM is committed to this effort through its own progressive energy and carbon programme that forms an integral part of our vision for sustainable development and is consistent with our overall business vision and mission.

**Konkola Copper Mines strives to:**

- ❖ Adopt and maintain global best practices on carbon and energy management and minimizing greenhouse gas emissions throughout our operations. We will continue to measure our direct energy usage and carbon emissions, and maintain our year-on-year efforts to reduce energy consumption across our operations. We will endeavour to define and publish specific energy and specific carbon reduction targets, maximising the benefits of process improvements and technology advances;
- ❖ extend our approach to reporting carbon emissions by reporting our emissions in compliance with the internationally recognised protocols and working closely with others to reduce energy consumption and carbon intensity;
- ❖ Foster research and innovative techniques within our operations leading to optimal utilisation of resources with continuous focus on minimising specific energy consumption in all our operations. We will seek to use our leading position within the geographies that we operate to act as an advocate of effective energy and carbon emissions management;
- ❖ invest in clean energy and maximise benefits from energy from waste recovery;
- ❖ provide for adaption and future-proofing of our facilities;
- ❖ communicate our approach and achievements actively to stakeholders, and will work closely with policy-makers to encourage effective and equitable abatement policies within our sectors of operation;
- ❖ consider carbon emissions for our project and R&D investments in line with Konkola Copper Mines' sustainable development commitments;
- ❖ Work with our staff, wider communities and other stakeholders to demonstrate our commitment to greenhouse gas emission reduction principles and practices.

We will measure and report progress against this policy and review performance on a periodic basis to ensure ongoing management of energy and carbon. The content and implementation of this policy will be reviewed as and when need arises and actions taken accordingly including the sharing of good practices throughout the organisation.