## miller homes

## **Energy Policy**

Miller Homes recognises that the production and use of energy can have a significant negative impact on the environment. In particular, energy generated from fossil fuels is a significant contributor to carbon emissions which in turn are a key driver of global warming. We are committed to continually improving the energy efficiency and performance of our operations, as well as the long term energy consumption of our homes.

We deliver this commitment by:

- Complying with all legislative and other requirements at a minimum. We manage the energy impact of our operations and homes through our ISO 14001 certified SHE Management System, which is regularly reviewed and updated to reflect current and developing legislation, regulatory requirements and best practice.
- Measuring and publicly reporting on our direct and indirect energy consumption, whilst also working to expand the reporting of our indirect carbon emissions from other sources.
- Setting objectives and targets to drive continuous improvement in our energy consumption, and publicly reporting on these.
- Measuring the designed energy performance of our homes and employing innovative fabrics and technologies to reduce their energy demand whilst maintaining excellent customer experience.
- Considering and using, where appropriate, renewable energy technologies on sites.
- Keeping informed of energy related legislation and best practice, and where appropriate conducting research into effective energy management and reduction techniques in our homes.
- Raising awareness of climate change and encouraging and promoting efficient energy management by our employees, customers and suppliers.
- Clearly defining roles and responsibilities relating to our sustainability approach. The SHE Director is responsible for the implementation of this policy via the SHE Management System. Overall accountability for the delivery of this policy rests with the Sustainability Steering Group.
- Reviewing and where necessary, revising, this policy.

This policy applies to the whole Miller Homes business including all sites and offices.

Chris Endsor Chief Executive 1st January 2016

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