

Reinventing Sustainability Through Design And Innovation

Manufacturas Arpe S.L., pioneer in the design, manufacture and customization of microfibers for the promotional sector, presents its business policy, highlighting its commitment to sustainability and operational excellence.

In this document, the company consolidates its **mission** to lead the European market through innovative and responsible practices that not only satisfy the needs of its customers, but also promote a conscious and decent economic growth, committed to protecting the planet and for the benefit of all beings.

In this sense, Management considers it necessary to present its principles of action to all stakeholders in the form of an integrated quality, environmental and social policy, so that it inspires all the company's actions. Demonstrating its public commitment to the **Sustainable Development Goals of the 2030 agenda**.

A Strategic Look Into The Future

The company's **vision** is not only to be a leader in the innovation of customized textile products, but also aims to set new paradigms in sustainable design, minimizing ecological impact and generating added value for the global community.

We value the fusion of artisanal tradition with novelty and creativity, firmly committed to responsible manufacturing, the use of renewable energy and of recycled materials whenever possible, with the aim of reducing our ecological footprint, ensuring the recyclability and sustainability of our products.

Commitment To Quality And Environmental Management

Recognizing its ongoing dedication to quality and environmental management, Arpe maintains **ISO 9001** and **ISO 14001** standards. These certifications validate the effectiveness of its internal processes to ensure customer satisfaction and continuous improvement in reducing waste and emissions. In addition, **GRS** accreditations for recycled content and **Oeko-tex Standard 100** consolidate the company's adherence to monitoring practices and limiting the use of harmful substances in production.

Ethical And Responsible Leadership: The B Corp Certification.

Arpe is on the path to achieve the B Corp certification, reflecting its **leadership in business ethics, transparency and social responsibility**. Through active community participation and open governance, the company not only aims to exceed the expectations of its stakeholders, but also to be an example of good business practice.

In this area, the company is committed to working to consolidate jobs and promote learning opportunities to provide stability to the company's staff, to protect labor rights and to promote an inclusive, safe and risk-free work environment. In particular, the existence of a protocol against sexual and sexist harassment is announced.

Dual Materiality Analysis And Circular Economy

Arpe's dual materiality study identifies the key ESG issues that guide our strategies towards the most significant impacts and opportunities. With a **focus on circular economy and eco-design**, each product is conceived to optimize its durability throughout its life cycle while minimizing environmental impact.

A Commitment To Continuous Improvement

The document culminates with Arpe's commitment to **regularly review its policy**, as well as the objectives established in compliance with it, to ensure their effectiveness and to adapt to future changes and challenges. This approach not only demonstrates the company's dedication to continuous improvement, but also establishes a solid foundation for the sustainable future of the organization.

With these clear guidelines and a firm commitment, Arpe aims to remain a leader in the industry, shaping a greener and more responsible future.

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