

Sustainability, Quality & Energy Efficiency Policy

We know that what can be good for the planet is also good for business.

OUR ESSENCE

Since 1987, we have helped businesses, communities, and governments deliver sustainable, clean, safe, and prosperous destinations for travellers to visit, live, work, and play. We understand the value of big ideas and the importance of clear communication. EarthCheck helps tourism businesses and destinations become more sustainable through certification, consulting, training, and software solutions.

OUR SPACE

Nestled in Meanjin's (South Brisbane) urban landscape, our headquarters at Level 5, 189 Grey Street, occupies a prime 3392 m² spot within the South Bank precinct (Lights.Begin.Aura). Surrounded by Ernest Street, a nearby railway, Tribune Street, and Grey Street, our location is harmoniously integrated with the city's fabric, posing no environmental hazards. Our global footprint extends through remote teams in Brixen, Toronto, Barcelona, Singapore, Cancun, Cebu, and Jakarta, reflecting our international spirit and reach. Our headquarters shares an open-plan office with two other entities, we enjoy abundant natural light, fostering a vibrant, collaborative work environment. Maiwar's (The Brisbane River) proximity, just 200 metres east, reminds us daily of our commitment to water conservation and ecological respect.

OUR HERITAGE

Meanjin, holds deep cultural resonance as a traditional gathering space for the Turrbal and Jagera peoples. EarthCheck acknowledges and honours these Traditional Owners, celebrating the rich heritage of our precinct and its significance as a crossroads of ancient cultures. Our commitment to sustainability is deeply intertwined with our respect for cultural heritage, and we strive to preserve and promote it in all our endeavours.

OUR PROMISE

EarthCheck is steadfast in its mission to enrich communities and safeguard our planet for future generations. We champion ecosystem protection and global betterment. Adherence to legislative frameworks and international standards underpins our actions, driving us towards sustainability practices.

OUR STANDARDS

Proudly certified by our own EarthCheck Certified program, we are also ISO9001 certified and embrace the rigorous disciplines of ISO17065 within our Quality Management System. Similarly, EarthCheck is an active member of the UN Global Compact, in which its primary mechanism, the Communication on Progress (CoP), provides a framework for assessing and improving our performance against the Compact's guiding Ten Principles and the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). These commitments underscore our dedication to environmental stewardship, social responsibility, and operational excellence.

OUR COMMUNITY

Emphasising local and fair-trade procurement, we champion community empowerment, from sponsoring local graduates to prioritising local hires and sourcing. Our EarthCheck Coordinator and Green Team drive our environmental advocacy, steering initiatives and ensuring our performance ambitions align with the highest ecological and social benchmarks.

OUR JOURNEY

Committed to continuous improvement, EarthCheck annually benchmarks its sustainability and energy efficiency progress, ensuring our policies, objectives, and management systems evolve to meet the challenges of tomorrow. This journey is collective, inviting feedback and collaboration from all stakeholders to refine and enhance our sustainability blueprint.

OUR INVITATION

We welcome insights and suggestions from staff, landowners, visitors, suppliers, and the broader community to further our sustainability ethos. This policy, a testament to our vision, is a living document reviewed annually and openly shared to foster transparency and collective action.

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Stewart Moore, CEO & Founder EarthCheck

NOTE: This policy, designed for public display and distribution, reflects our open invitation for collaborative improvement in environmental and social sustainability.