

# SUPPLY CHAIN POLICY

S&W will continue to strengthen our supply chain through a regulated process of pre-qualification.

This evaluation will include:

- 1. Compliance with Health & Safety at Work Act 1974**
- 2. Compliance with CDM Regulations 2007**
- 3. Environmental Management Process**
- 4. Quality Management Systems**
- 5. Experience and Capability**

S&W will continue to create a tiered supply chain which aims to develop long-term relationships with both Strategic Partners and Key Suppliers and we are committed to procuring three-quarters of our annual spend through this approach. Whilst we recognise that there will always be a requirement for Tactical Suppliers, we will limit the spend in this area.

Success will be measured in terms of achieving perfect delivery and cost effective solutions to our Customers for Life. We will create an environment for a continuously improving supply chain. S&W recognise the importance of managing Corporate Responsibility issues within the Supply Chain. We will work with our Supply Chain to improve our joint performance in this area.

We will focus on Environment, Health & Safety and Community activities looking to increase our positive impacts on society and reduce negative impacts. Key focus areas will include Reducing Waste, Increased Recycling, Reducing Carbon Emissions, Reducing Waste and Reducing Noise levels within our project environments.



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