

Canadian Solar Environment, Occupational Health and Safety Policy

Purpose

The purpose of this policy is to memorialize the commitment of Canadian Solar Inc., on its own behalf and on behalf of its subsidiaries and affiliates (“Canadian Solar” or the “Company”), to the preservation of the environment, providing a healthy and safe workplace for our employees, our contractors, and our customers, and generally to being responsible members of the communities in which we live and work.

Policy

Canadian Solar is firmly committed to compliance with all environmental, health and safety (“EHS”) laws applicable in any region in which Canadian Solar conducts its business. The Company conducts its business with a view to the protection of the environment, and the health and safety of our employees and others who are affected by our business.

The Company pursues pollution prevention, energy conservation, and waste reduction and management in connection with hazardous or restricted substances to achieve environmental excellence. Work to develop products that utilize raw materials and processes that minimize pollution throughout the product life cycle from design and manufacture to customer use and end-of-life disposal. Commit to being the global sun power experts drawing solar energy into millions of households, so that future generations enjoy a cleaner and more beautiful planet.

Guiding Principles or Objectives

Implementation of this Policy is guided by the following principles or objectives:

- Ensure compliance with all EHS laws wherever Canadian Solar conducts business.
- Provide a safe and healthy work environment for our employees, contractors, visitors, customers and the community.
- Relentlessly pursue an EHS incident-free workplace through hazard identification and risk reduction.
- EHS is the responsibility of all. Demonstrate leadership and commitment, and encourage employee involvement in creating a safe workplace, free of occupational injuries and illness; emphasize individual responsibility for safety by all employees, supported at all levels of management.
- Monitor, measure and assess the Company’s EHS performance and management system on a regular and continuing basis in order to continuously improve EHS policies, procedures and implementation.
- Management is responsible for providing training, systems and resources to ensure a safe, healthy and environmentally sound workplace.
- All EHS incidents will be reported and major incidents investigated.

Dissemination and Implementation of Policy

The officers of Canadian Solar, Inc. and all subsidiaries are responsible for the communication and dissemination of this Policy and the principles contained within it. Directors, managers, and supervisors are responsible for implementing practices within each department that comply with this Policy.

Canadian Solar expects its personnel and business partners to share its strong commitment to EHS.

Canadian Solar will not tolerate any parties directly or indirectly engaging in a violation of this Policy. Employees found to have violated this Policy will be disciplined, with consequences up to and including employment termination. Any third party that breaches this Policy may have its relationship with Canadian Solar terminated and face legal action.

Reporting of Violations

Any person who suspects that a violation of this Policy has or may have occurred (or may occur in the future) is expected to notify his or her direct manager, Canadian Solar's Legal Department, and Canadian Solar's Corporate Compliance Office. Any person that is not comfortable notifying any of the foregoing parties should report the suspected breach (or risk of breach) through Canadian Solar's Whistleblower hotline by phone (+1 519 823 7477) or by e-mail (whistleblower@canadiansolar.com). Such notifications will be managed in accordance with Canadian Solar's Whistleblower Policy, which is available online at www.canadiansolar.com.

Canadian Solar encourages feedback regarding actual or potential violations of this Policy and will support any report of a genuine concern made in good faith, even if the report turns out to be mistaken. Canadian Solar is committed to ensuring no one suffers detrimental treatment (including dismissal, disciplinary action, threats or other unfavorable treatment) as a result of reporting in good faith his or her suspicion that a violation of this Policy is or may be taking place in any part of Canadian Solar's business or the business of Canadian Solar's partners.