



Ibstock Brick Limited Energy Policy

This policy applies to all Ibstock Brick Limited operations:

Ibstock Brick Limited is a UK based manufacturer of clay bricks and associated walling components supplying the construction market. The principal focus for business is in housing and commercial buildings together with the industrial and architectural sectors.

The manufacturing of clay products is seen as an energy intensive process; however, because of the long working life which is in excess of 150 years clay products are extremely energy efficient.

Ibstock Brick Limited constantly reviews options for more energy efficient and environmentally friendly processes and is committed to continual improvement. Where possible we will implement proposals which ensure a leading position on energy efficiency and energy management programs that support all areas of our operations.

The energy policy is implemented in practice by:

- Compliance with all relevant legislation and other requirements to which we subscribe.
- Continual improvement in energy performance through setting objectives and developing energy performance indicators (EnPIs) that are reviewed annually.
- Addressing significant energy usage areas specifically:
 - Focusing on energy consumption in connection with procurement of new equipment, renovations and new developments.
 - Recording energy consumption and preparing usable key data.
 - Selecting at regular interval one or more processes at our factories for a robust energy review.
- An Energy Steering Group meets on a regular basis to promote employment of best practice to ensure effective energy processes and management at every level within the business.
- Making energy consumption visible to all employees explaining how they can influence energy consumption without reduction in quality, efficiency and utilisation.
- Carry out an analysis and produce an energy performance report on an annual basis as a minimum.
- Ibstock will take into account the need for necessary resources to achieve targets and objectives.
- Motivating employees to draw up proposals that contribute to reducing energy consumption.

Every employee has an individual responsibility to help meet the requirements of this policy. All are invited to contribute ideas for better practices, through their line manager or directly to myself.

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