



Grande Cache Coal Corporation

ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY STATEMENT

Environment

Grande Cache Coal Corporation (the "Corporation") will plan, assess, construct, operate and decommission its facilities in an environmentally responsible and sustainable manner. To fulfill this commitment the Corporation will:

- Conduct activities in compliance with all applicable environmental laws, regulations, approvals and codes of practice.
- Incorporate guidelines and industry accepted practices when appropriate.
- Use and conserve natural resources efficiently.
- Reestablish productive land uses after mining is completed.
- Minimize the production, emission and discharge of substances to the environment.
- Strive for continuous improvement in environmental performance.
- Assess and manage environmental performance through monitoring, evaluation, corrective action, reporting, communication, and training programs.
- Provide resources to manage and implement environmental programs.
- Communicate the Corporation's activities to directly-affected stakeholders and aboriginal communities and address and incorporate, where appropriate, their input and concerns into the Corporation's planning and operations.
- Conduct or participate in research programs directed at expanding scientific knowledge of the effects of coal industry activities on the environment.
- Maintain an Environmental Management System to implement the Environmental Policy.

