

## OBJECTIVE

Southern Ports is committed to minimise impacts from Port operations on the environment and the community and for all people involved in Southern Ports related activities within Southern Ports controlled areas.

## SCOPE

This Policy is relevant to all Southern Ports controlled activities within and beyond land and marine operational areas at the Ports of Albany, Bunbury, Esperance and the West Perth office.

## POLICY STATEMENT

Southern Ports is committed to:

- identifying and managing environmental risks to minimise impacts and prevent incidents;
- ensuring sustainable development of its port jurisdictions and areas of influence through the consideration of environmental matters in all aspects of the decision making process;
- recognising the on-going custodianship of port lands and waters and accountability for environmental impacts of past and future operations and activities where practicable;
- recognising that the ports responsibility for their activities extends beyond the ports boundaries to the adjacent communities and environment;
- being guided by ISO 14001 Environmental Management Systems and complying with all applicable environmental legislation;
- providing resources, training and support to meet environmental objectives;
- setting and reviewing environmental targets in an endeavour to ensure continual improvement;
- making this Policy accessible to all employees and interested third parties;
- ensuring this Policy is displayed, communicated, implemented and periodically updated to reflect changes that may impact upon the environment; and
- engaging with employees, contractors, port users, the community, government, and other stakeholders on environmental matters and research, potential innovations and efficiencies to actively reduce risk.

## EFFECTIVE DATE

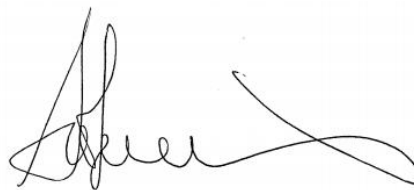
This Policy is effective from 21 March 2019.

## RESPONSIBILITIES

The Chief Executive Officer and delegated staff members of each Southern Ports site are responsible for ensuring compliance with this Policy. A review of the effectiveness and relevance of the Policy will be conducted annually on the anniversary of the effective date of the Policy unless there is a material change which affects the intent of the Policy.



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Chief Executive Officer