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Environmental Policy

The Environmental Management System (EMS) manual governs the policies and controls for Olympic Steel's Environmental Management System, which meet the requirements of the most recent International Organization for Standardization (ISO) designation.

Olympic Steel is committed to responsible environmental management practices.

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To protect the environment, Olympic Steel commits to comply with all federal, state and local environmental laws, regulations and other requirements relevant to our organization. We commit to the reduction and prevention of pollution by continually identifying opportunities and improving environmental performance in all aspects of our business. Our commitment to protecting the environment is an integral part of doing business and a primary responsibility of each business unit and every employee.

Responsibilities and Authority

The responsibility and authority of employees within the EMS is defined within the company organizational charts and enhanced as follows:

Corporate Environmental Representative (CER) – has the responsibility to report problems and seek resolution from the highest level within the corporation.

Environmental Management Representative (EMR) – has the responsibility to report problems and seek resolution from the highest level within the division and to seek out the help of the CER for additional problem resolution, if needed.

Employees – have the responsibility to act in a manner that supports the EMS, the Environmental Policy and EMS documentation, along with reporting any potential environmental hazards.