

Schake GmbH is aware of its responsibility towards the environment, society, and future generations. Environmental protection is an integral part of our corporate policy as well as our strategic and operational decisions. Within the framework of the environmental management system in accordance with **DIN EN ISO 14001**, Schake GmbH commits itself to the following principles:

1. Compliance with Binding Obligations

We comply with all environmental laws, official requirements, and other binding obligations applicable to us. Beyond this, we strive to continuously improve our environmental performance beyond the minimum legal requirements.

2. Environmental Protection and Prevention of Environmental Impacts

We are committed to protecting the environment, including the prevention of environmental pollution. Environmental impacts are to be reduced or avoided through appropriate organizational, technical, and economically viable measures.

3. Continuous Improvement

We continuously improve the effectiveness of our environmental management system as well as our environmental performance. For this purpose, we define measurable environmental objectives, review them regularly, and adjust our measures as necessary.

4. Resource Conservation and Energy Efficiency

We strive for the responsible use of natural resources. In particular, we promote:

- efficient use of energy and water,
- reduction of waste and emissions,
- reuse and recycling of materials,
- use of environmentally friendly technologies and processes

5. Consideration of the Life Cycle Perspective

In the planning and execution of our activities as well as in the development and provision of our products and services, we consider environmentally relevant aspects throughout the entire life cycle, insofar as we can influence them.

6. Awareness and Involvement of Employees

Our employees are regularly informed and trained on environmental topics. We promote environmentally conscious behavior and actively involve our employees in the implementation and continuous improvement of the environmental management system.

7. Communication and Transparency

This environmental policy is communicated to all employees and made available to interested parties. We maintain an open dialogue with customers, suppliers, authorities, and the public regarding environmental issues.

This environmental policy provides the framework for setting our environmental objectives and is binding for all employees of Schake GmbH. Management commits itself to providing the necessary resources to implement this policy and to regularly reviewing compliance with it.