



TAMURA Group
Green Procurement Standards



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TAMURA CORPORATION

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* The “3” mark indicates a change from the previous edition.

* In this document, the Japanese sentence is an original. When there is a doubt,
Please confirm a Japanese version.

The content is given to priority to a Japanese version, when there is contradiction
between the contents of an English version and Japanese version.

1. Environmental activities of Tamura Group

With "Guidelines for environment preservation actions" instituted in March 2000, Tamura Corporation. Company has been tackling with the preservation of environments together with its group companies.

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Mission

The Tamura Group supplies an original range of products and services, highly regarded in the global electronics market, to satisfy the evolving needs of customers, employees and shareholders supporting the Group's growth.

Vision

1. The management of the Tamura Group is based on businesses related to the requirements of the global electronics industry.
2. The business of the Tamura Group is based on technologies that support rapidly diversifying customer needs, with a special focus on high market value.
3. The Tamura Group evaluates its employees with fairness and highly rates excellent performance and exceptional productivity.
4. The Tamura Group is a responsible member of the global community and respects the laws and customs of the countries in which it conducts business activities.
5. The Tamura Group strives to protect the global environment, conserve natural resources and promote recycling.

Guideline

1. We attach great importance to partnership.

We strive to attain the goals of individuals, as well as the group, by conducting our business affairs in an exemplary manner. We also endeavor to monitor market needs in real time with the aim of improving our own skills while enhancing customers' expectations.

2. We attach great importance to nurturing a spirit of creativity.

To prosper in the global electronics market, where technologies are developing at a phenomenal pace, we strive to be creative and proactive in our approach to developing new products and services.

3. We attach great importance to individuality.

We promote the synergy of individual wisdom with group know-how to achieve new value and ever higher standards of excellence.

4. We attach great importance to social responsibility.

We are a responsible corporate citizen and strive to be a transparent organization that is responsive to our shareholders, customers, affiliates, government organizations, and the communities in which we conduct business. We also actively participate in environmental conservation efforts and recognize this involvement as a prerequisite to maintaining sustainable growth.



Tamura Group Environmental Policy

Environmental Concept

The Tamura Group promotes the conservation of a biologically diverse global environment and conducts all of its business activities in harmony with the environment. These activities are based on the Group Mission Statement: “The Tamura Group offers an original range of products and services, highly regarded in the global electronics market, to satisfy the evolving needs of customers, employees and shareholders supporting the Group's growth.”

Main Measures

The main focus of the Tamura Group's business is the design, development, production and servicing of electronic components, electro-chemical materials, soldering equipment and information equipment. Our environmental management system ensures the efficient use of resources, pollution prevention and compliance with regulations. We are also committed to continuously improving the management system and focus on the following activities for environmental protection:

1. The supply of eco-friendly products.
2. Control and reduction of environmental burden materials.
3. Promotion of energy conservation and saving resources.

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2. Green procurement

Chapter 1 General Provisions

(purpose)

Article 1 The purpose is to plan the improvement of the environmental quality of the product "ecologically friendly product to the customer", by the promotion of green procurement.

(scope of application)

Article 2 Within the Tamura Group, this standard is applied to the procurement activity of materials, parts and service. (Excluding items designated by the customer or specially designated by Tamura drawings or other instructions)

(Associated document)

Article 3 The documents related to these standards are as follows:

- (1) Tamura Group Procurement Guidelines

(Definition)

Article 4 The definition of the term described to this standard is as follows.

- (1) JAMP
Joint Article Management Promotion-consortium
- (2) JGPSSI
Japan Green Procurement Survey Standardization Initiative
- (3) Environmental controlled substances
"Environmental controlled substances" are those which, according to Tamura's judgment, have significant environmental-impact on both humans and the global environment.
- (4) Substance
³ In procurement goods, it's exists naturally and also made by production process, too.
- (5) Preparation
³ In procurement goods, "Preparation" is a product containing a mixture of two or more chemical substances intentionally.
- (6) MSDSplus
Material Safety Data Sheet plus
The information format tool JAMP selected to communicate chemical substance information contained in Preparations.
- (7) Article
³ In procurement goods, "Article" has form, shape, appearance in the design which has decided the final use with greater importance than the chemical role.

(8) AIS

Article Information Sheet.

The information format tool JAMP selected to communicate chemical substance information contained in Articles.

Chapter 2 Requirements for Trading Partners

To promote the green procurement, Tamura Group gives the supplier preference for the following actions, please approach positively to satisfy this standard.

(Construction of environmental management system)

Article 5 Acquisition of the outside certification of ISO14001.

In the case of non-acquisition by the outside certification of ISO14001, Please tackle the following.

- (1) One has corporate doctrine and policies
- (2) One has environmental plans and goals.
- (3) One has an environmental evaluation system
- (4) Education and training are executed.
- (5) Information on environmental preservation is offered.

(Construction of environmental management system)

Article 6 Construction of ISO9001(QMS), management systems such as ISO14001(EMS) or the guarantee system of the chemical substance management with "Guideline for the Management of Chemical Substances in Products" that JAMP(*1)/JGPSSI(*2) published.

(Investigation of procurement goods)

Article 7 ^③ Along a procedure of Chapter 4 (Article 10 - Article 12) of this document, please complete the survey on environmental controlled substances using the "Tamura Group Green Procurement Standards Appendix."

(Other demands)

Article 8 Based on industry standards and regulation and laws, separately, the division and the related company in the Tamura Group may ask to comply with the standards.

Clause 2 ^③ About the material and the preparation, please submit "MSDS" and "MSDSplus" of JAMP when there are procurement goods that contain the chemical that corresponds to "Act on Confirmation, etc. of Release Amounts of Specific Chemical Substances in the Environment and Promotion of Improvements to the Management Thereof" of Japanese law.

Chapter 3 Selection Criteria for Parts, Materials, etc

(Evaluation item in selecting)

Article 9 Tamura Group adopts the parts and materials related to the following environmental load reductions to promote a green procurement.

- (1) Conforming to a law / the regulations about a chemical substance, reproduction resources.
- (2) Passing the standard of "Tamura Group Green Procurement Standard Appendix."
- (3) Submitting the content data of environmental controlled substances in "the Tamura Group Green Procurement Standard Appendix"
- (4) Performing Resource-saving and Energy-saving by reproduction resources, parts or miniaturization.
- (5) Reduction of Environmental loads - water, air and soil pollutions from production / use.
- (6) Designing recycled products.

Chapter 4 Contents of Surveys of Trading Partners

(Supplier investigation)

Article 10 Please complete the "Green procurement supplier questionnaire" shown in the Green Procurement Standard Appendix and submit it to the procurement division.

(Investigation of environmental controlled substances)

Article 11 Please investigate according to the kind of the procurement goods as follows.

- (1) Substance / Preparation :
Please complete "MSDS" and "MSDSplus" of JAMP and submit it to the materials department.
- (2) Article :
Please complete "AIS" JAMP tool and submit it to the materials department. Or, please input Web to Tamura-chemical-management-system that conforms to "AIS" of JAMP.

Please submit a certificate of non-use to the Procurement Division concerning prohibited environmentally hazardous substances that cannot be listed as part of (1) or (2) above. The certificate of non-use guarantees that the regulation values provided in the "Tamura Group Green Procurement Standards Appendix" are not exceeded.

(Investigation frequency of supplier)

Article 12 The frequency of the supplier investigation is made as follows:

- (1) "Green procurement" supplier questionnaire
 - ①For all new suppliers, Please submit at the start of business.
 - ②For the supplier who does not acquire the certification of ISO14001, please submit periodically (once / year).

③When a significant change occurred in the mention contents, the supplier acquiring ISO14001 also is requested to submit.

(2) Investigation of environmental controlled substances

Please submit in the case of the following:

①For all new suppliers, Please submit at the start of business.

②Change in the content of environmental controlled substances.

③In addition, when Tamura deemed it necessary.

Appendix

1. These standards apply mutatis mutandis to associated companies.
2. A part of this standard is applied correspondingly to the procurement goods of "Electronic Chemicals Business Sector". And, "Green procurement standard book" of "Electronic Chemicals Business Sector" established based on the customer request etc. is used.