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At Kutch Copper Limited (KCL), we strongly believe conserving biodiversity is essential for long-term business sustainability, and our goal is to contribute to the global goal of a nature positive future.

This policy applies across site and project phases, it also extends to relevant interactions with stakeholders, where applicable. We adopt a pragmatic and adaptive approach to biodiversity management, guided by scientific understanding, regulatory frameworks, and site-specific ecological contexts.

**We aim to:**

- Integrate biodiversity considerations into relevant phases of business planning, operational decision-making, and site-level environmental management, using a risk-based approach.
- Identify and assess biodiversity-related risks and dependencies at operational sites, proportionate to the nature and scale of activities.
- Apply the mitigation hierarchy, prioritizing avoidance, followed by minimization, restoration, and, where appropriate and feasible, offsetting biodiversity related risks associated with our sites.
- Aim for No Net loss of biodiversity and encouragement for achieving Biodiversity Net Positive Impact.
- Support efforts to maintain or enhance ecosystem values, including through afforestation or habitat enhancement initiatives, where ecologically appropriate and aligned with operational priorities.
- Avoid operation in World Heritage Sites and following the guidelines established to operate in Key Biodiversity Areas, Ramsar Sites, Indigenous Community Conserved Areas, and in any other designated protected areas and their buffer zones.
- To Ensure there is no encroachment of the site's activities within the boundaries of protected areas.
- Monitor and review biodiversity performance through suitable indicators and incorporate learnings into ongoing management practices.
- Promote awareness and build capacity among employees and contractors

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to support biodiversity-conscious practices within their roles.

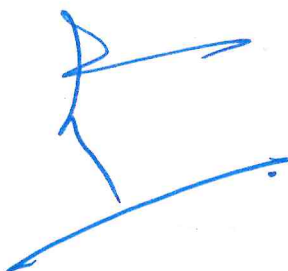
- Strive towards integrating a nature-based solutions (NbS) approach to enhance ecosystem resilience and promote sustainable practices across our operations.
- Engage constructively with relevant stakeholders, including local communities, experts, and institutions, to inform biodiversity-related actions where appropriate.
- Collaborate with credible institutions and industry peers to contribute to the advancement of biodiversity conservation, science, knowledge and practice.

The aforesaid policy shall be made available to all the relevant stakeholders. The policy shall be reviewed periodically, at least every two years, for its appropriateness and updated as necessary.

**Oversight & Responsibility:**

This policy is overseen by the Managing Director.

Under site leadership, the Operations and Maintenance (O&M) team is responsible for embedding biodiversity related considerations into relevant systems and processes.



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