

Environmental Protection Policy

Three Islands Whale Shark Dive is committed to the protection and conservation of the environment and ranks environmental considerations equally with commercial and operational factors in managing its operations.

To implement the policy, management will:

- Promote procedures and practices which enhance environmental protection, taking into account current legislation and industry codes of practice
- Take voluntary steps where appropriate to improve environmental performance
- Reduce emissions generated by the business where ever possible
- Communicate clear management directions to properly motivate employees so that they perform in an environmentally responsible manner
- Educate passengers on the need to protect the environment by acting in an environmentally responsible manner
- Monitor the impact of tourists on the marine environment and adjust tours to suit
- Reduce waste wherever possible
- Design and operate the vessel as efficiently as possible minimizing environmental impact and ensuring disposal of waste is in strict compliance with regulations
- Support and conduct research on environmental issues associated with the business's activities to improve environmental performance
- Establish emergency plans consistent with current legislation and good practice
- Ensure that third parties acting on behalf of the business are aware of this policy with them
- Communicate with employees, appropriate authorities and the public, enabling the business to respond to their environmental concerns
- Monitor environmental performance to ensure compliance with this policy as well as government and legal requirements.

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