

Environmental Policy

Bell believes that environmental protection and efficient energy performance are integral to the success of our business and is committed to minimizing, through innovation and a continual improvement process, the impact that some of its activities, products or services have on the environment.

In support of its commitment, Bell Canada will seek to:

- Meet or exceed the requirements of all applicable legislation and other requirements;
- Prevent, control and reduce releases to the environment;
- Reduce greenhouse gas emissions, mitigate and adapt to climate change related risks and transparently report on our results;
- Adopt a series of corporate objectives, principles and procedures which apply to all employees in the course of their respective duties and monitor the progress towards meeting our targets;
- Correct, in a timely manner, problem situations which could not be prevented;
- Promote and support cost-effective resource use and waste minimization initiatives;
- Deal with suppliers who seek to minimize their environmental and energy consumption impacts;
- Ensure availability of necessary resources to maintain and improve environmental and energy management systems;
- Develop and market telecommunications services providing people and organizations with innovative solutions that take into account their environmental and energy challenges;
- Participate with governments, businesses, the public and relevant interest groups to advance environmental protection and efficient energy performance;
- Communicate its environmental and energy initiatives and performance to stakeholders on a regular basis; and
- Ensure its employees adhere to this policy and understand their responsibilities in putting it into practice.

Compliance with this policy is every employee's responsibility.

All environment incidents and infractions related to Bell's activities must be reported to the Corporate Responsibility and Environment team immediately upon discovery.