



CSR POSITION STATEMENTS

SUPPLIERS

Policy Statement

Dairy Crest sources a range of materials and services from a large number of suppliers who may be National, pan-European or global. Through our Supplier Assurance guidelines we endeavour to ensure these materials and services are sourced from suppliers which meet or exceed our Ethical Trading Policy.

Responsible Sourcing Policy

Dairy Crest Purchasing aims to conduct all business dealings with complete integrity and recognises its responsibility to stakeholders as defined in our Ethical Trading Policy.

Policy for Business Conduct with Suppliers

- We adopt the highest standard of integrity in all our business dealings and relationships
- We understand and comply with our corporate responsibility and reject any business practice that might reasonably be deemed improper
- We will avoid any personal business or professional activity that could create a conflict between personal interests and the interest of our company
- We promote positive supplier relationships through honesty and impartiality
- Where commercially viable we support the sourcing of goods and materials from sources that are deemed to be environmentally friendly
- We will conduct supply management in accordance with best practice
- We respect complete confidentiality and expect this to be mutually binding
- Personal relationships must not compromise purchasing best practice
- We support the payment of goods and services in accordance with the agreed terms