



Shannon Foynes
PORT COMPANY

Policy on the Environment

It is the policy of the Company to manage all shipping, development and port activities within the Estuary in a safe, sustainable manner and to manage activities at Company owned facilities within the Estuary to minimise environmental impact and develop activities in a sustainable manner.

In support of this policy the Company undertakes the following:-

- To comply with all relevant environmental legislation
- To monitor environmental outputs under its direct control to ensure compliance with applicable regulation and legislation consistent with best practice and international standards using the BATNEEC principal (Best Available Technology Not Entailing Excessive Cost)
- To maintain an environmental management system which satisfies the standards of the ECOPORTS system
- To ensure all planning and development is conceived and developed with due regard for the maintenance of the integrity of the Estuarial habitat
- To establish a Vessel Traffic Service system (VTS) to monitor all shipping activity, climatological and hydrological conditions.
- Communicate this policy to all employees and provide suitable training to successfully implement this policy
- Communicate this policy to all stakeholders within the Estuary and to the general public
- To report on environmental performance in the Company Annual Report.