

## AutoPacific Group | Sustainable Packaging Policy

AutoPacific Australia Pty Ltd is committed to developing more sustainable business practices and improving the sustainability of packaging used in our supply chain. The AutoPacific Group is a proud member of the Australian Packaging Covenant Organisation (APCO), a voluntary initiative between industry and government that aimed at reducing the environmental impacts of consumer packaging. As a signatory to the Australian Packaging Covenant, we support Australia's national packaging targets and are committed to driving action towards their achievement. At AutoPacific we consider 'Sustainable Packaging' as packaging that performs its primary function while minimising environmental impact in a cost-effective way. This means packaging should be:

- **Fit for purpose:** Delivers its primary function to contain and protect products, to attract people to buy a product, and to provide product information;
- **Resource efficient:** Minimises the use of materials and other resources without compromising product quality and safety
- **Recoverable:** Reusable, recyclable or compostable at the end of its useful life;
- **Low impact:** Made from low environmental impact materials and avoids the use of problematic and unnecessary single-use plastic materials

### Our ambitions for sustainable packaging are:

- 100% of packaging to be reusable, recyclable or compostable
- 50% recycled content included in packaging (average across all packaging)
- The phase-out of problematic and unnecessary single-use plastic packaging

### The APCO [Sustainable Packaging Guidelines and Principles](#) underpin our approach to:

- Promoting sustainable packaging practices with our suppliers, staff and customers
- Assessing the sustainability of existing packaging designs and materials
- Working with our supply chain to develop packaging improvement plans
- Packaging design, material selection and procurement decisions

#### APCO Sustainable Packaging Principles



AutoPacific Australia Pty Ltd outline our expectations for suppliers and our business to improve the sustainability of packaging and to inform procurement decisions.

*I am fully committed to the implementation of this Policy and the motivation of all our people to achieve its objectives.*

Jason Kieseker, CEO

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