

Expertech Electrical Contractors Ltd

Safety, Health, and Environment (SHE) Policy

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Part B — Definitions & Abbreviations

Accident An unplanned event that results in injury, illness, fatality, damage to

property, or loss of process.

Hazard A source, situation or act with the potential to cause harm in terms of

human injury or ill-health, damage to property or the environment.

Incident An event or sequence of events in which injury, ill-health, or fatality

> occurred or could have occurred. Incidents that do not result in injury but had the potential to do so are often called "near-misses", "near-

hits", "close calls" or "dangerous occurrences".

An incident where no injury or damage occurred but which had the **Near-miss**

potential to do so.

Risk Assessment The systematic process of evaluating risks arising from hazards,

considering existing controls, and determining whether those risks are

acceptable or require further action.

Safety Measures, protocols and practices implemented to prevent accidents,

injuries, hazards and incidents, including fire safety and public safety

measures related to electrical works.

Planned actions and resources to be deployed immediately in the event **Emergency** Response

of an incident to reduce harm, protect life and property and stabilise

the situation.

Environment The surrounding natural and built surroundings including air, water,

land, biodiversity, and built infrastructure which might be affected by

company activities.

The Company Expertech Electrical Contractors Ltd.

Abbreviations

SHE Safety, Health & Environment EIA **Environmental Impact Assessment**

ESIA Environmental and Social Impact Assessment

EMCA Environmental Management and Coordination Act (1999)

NEMA National Environment Management Authority

OSH Occupational Safety and Health SIA Social Impact Assessment **PPE** Personal Protective Equipment

Introduction

Expertech Electrical Contractors Ltd is committed to carrying out all its activities with utmost regard for the safety, health, and well-being of its employees, clients, contractors, and the general public. We recognize that occupational accidents, illnesses, and environmental hazards are preventable through proactive measures and responsible practices.

Our operations often involve electrical works, installations, maintenance, and construction activities, which may pose risks such as electrical shocks, fire, property damage, and environmental impact. We therefore commit to complying with all applicable safety, health, and environmental laws and regulations, while fostering a culture of safety and sustainability across all projects.

Purpose

The purpose of this Policy is to:

- Prevent occupational accidents, illnesses, and injuries.
- Safeguard the health and safety of clients, employees, contractors, and the public.
- Protect property, equipment, and the environment.
- Ensure preparedness and rapid response to incidents and emergencies.
- Support sustainable business practices.

Policy Objectives

Expertech aims to:

- 1. Provide a safe, healthy, and environmentally sound workplace.
- 2. Implement effective risk management and prevention strategies.
- 3. Comply with all statutory and regulatory safety and environmental requirements.
- 4. Promote continuous safety training, awareness, and culture among employees.
- 5. Ensure that contractors, partners, and suppliers adhere to the same safety and environmental standards.
- 6. Adopt sustainable practices in energy use, waste management, and environmental protection.

Scope

This Policy applies to all Expertech employees, contractors, partners, and visitors. It covers all activities carried out at project sites, company premises, and any work undertaken on behalf of Expertech.

Policy Commitments

- **Risk Management:** Identify, assess, and manage risks to minimize hazards.
- **Compliance:** Follow all applicable safety, health, and environmental regulations.
- **Training & Awareness:** Provide continuous training, guidance, and resources to promote safe practices.
- **Fire & Electrical Safety:** Maintain adequate protection systems, equipment, and emergency procedures.
- **Incident Reporting & Investigation:** Report and investigate all incidents promptly to prevent recurrence.
- Environmental Responsibility: Implement environmentally sustainable practices, including proper waste management and compliance with environmental impact requirements.
- **Stakeholder Engagement:** Create awareness among clients, contractors, and the public about electrical and workplace safety.

Responsibilities

- **Directors/Management:** Provide leadership, resources, and oversight for policy implementation.
- **Supervisors/Project Managers:** Enforce safety procedures and ensure compliance on project sites.
- Employees & Contractors: Take personal responsibility for safety, follow company policies, and promptly report hazards or incidents.
- SHE Officer (or designated staff): Monitor, evaluate, and report on SHE performance and compliance.

Monitoring & Review

This Policy will be reviewed every three (3) years, or earlier if significant changes occur in operations, regulations, or company strategy. Regular audits, inspections, and reports will be undertaken to measure compliance and effectiveness.

Statutory & Regulatory Compliance

Expertech will comply with relevant Kenyan laws and standards, including:

- The Occupational Safety and Health Act, 2007
- Work Injury Benefits Act, 2007
- Environmental Management and Coordination Act, 1999
- Fire Risk Reduction Rules, 2007
- Electrical Safety Rules (latest edition)
- Energy Act, 2019

Approval

This Safety, Health, and Environment Policy is endorsed by the Board of Directors and applies to all staff, contractors, and stakeholders of Expertech Electrical Contractors Ltd.

Signed by.

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CEO & Managing Director **Date:** 16TH OF SEPTEMBER 2025

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