

INDIGENOUS PROCUREMENT POLICY

POLICY PURPOSE

This Policy provides guidelines for introducing Indigenous business participation into Paper Excellence's (PE's) business supply chain, and to promote and support Indigenous entrepreneurship, employment opportunities and economic development.

POLICY STATEMENT

In alignment with PE's Indigenous Relations Policy, and Canada's Truth and Reconciliation Commission Calls to Action #92, we are committed to supporting economic reconciliation through business development opportunities and increasing partnerships with Indigenous groups in our supply chain.

We will achieve this through:

- Working closely with Indigenous communities and businesses
- Identifying current barriers to participation in our supply chain
- Adopting strategies to give priority to the growth and success of Indigenous businesses

At both the corporate and operational levels, the approach to this policy will include efforts to ensure that Indigenous businesses are provided measurably enhanced opportunities throughout the procurement process.

ELIGIBILITY

In order to be eligible under this policy, the vendor must be an Indigenous business or strong partner and may be asked to provide proof of Indigenous ownership and/or ancestry, proof of Indigenous workforce, or proof of revenue sharing agreement.

CONTACT US

For more information about the policy or how to participate in it, please email our team at info@paperexcellence.com.