

# **Energy Policy**

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#### Introduction

At Verizon Deutschland GmbH, we are committed to sustainable business practices and environmental stewardship. As a leading provider of communication and technology services, we recognize the importance of managing energy resources efficiently to minimize our environmental impact and contribute to a greener, more sustainable future.

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## **Energy Efficiency**

We are dedicated to optimizing the energy efficiency of our locations through the implementation of advanced technologies, best practices in design and operation, and continuous monitoring and optimization initiatives.

We will strive to minimize energy consumption while maintaining the reliability, security, and performance of our infrastructure.

### **Energy Reduction**

We aim at reducing our overall energy consumption and carbon emissions across all operational areas. Individual targets are based on comprehensive energy assessments, benchmarking, and analysis to identify opportunities for improvement and optimization.

#### **Continuous Improvement**

We are committed to continuous improvement in energy management practices and performance through regular monitoring, measurement, and evaluation of our energy performance indicators.

We will actively seek innovative solutions and technologies to further enhance energy efficiency and reduce our environmental footprint particularly in the design of new, modified, or renovated facilities, equipment, systems, and energy-using processes.

#### **Compliance and Legal Requirements**

We will comply with all relevant energy-related laws, regulations including ISO 50001, to ensure the effective management and governance of our energy resources.

#### **Stakeholder Engagement**

We will engage with our employees, customers, suppliers, and other stakeholders to raise awareness of our energy management goals and foster a culture of sustainability and environmental responsibility.

#### **Transparency and Accountability**

We will maintain transparency in our energy management practices, communicate our progress towards energy reduction targets, and regularly report on our performance to stakeholders.

#### Implementation and Review

This Energy Policy is communicated to all employees and stakeholders and is made publicly available on our website. We are committed to implementing this policy throughout our organization and ensuring its effectiveness through regular review, evaluation, and continual improvement.

The management of Verizon Deutschland GmbH is committed to fully implementing this energy policy and encourages our employees and partners to work toward achieving the goals outlined in this policy.