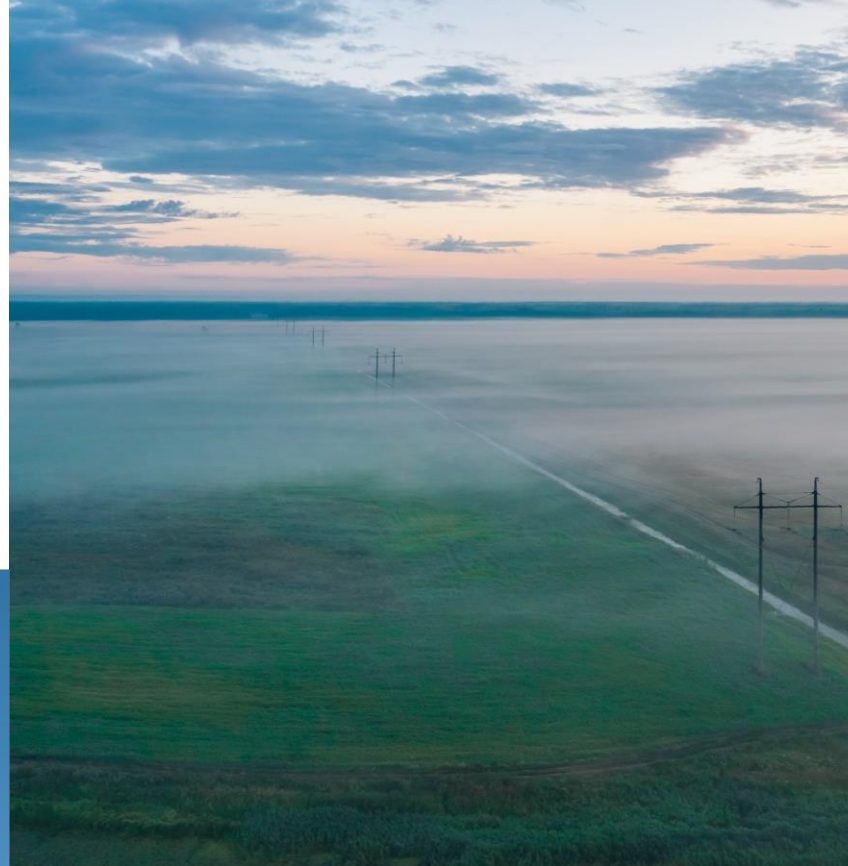


A photograph of a wind farm in a rural landscape. Several large, white, three-bladed wind turbines are scattered across a vast field of bright yellow rapeseed flowers. The sky is a clear, vibrant blue with scattered, soft white clouds. In the foreground, a large, curved teal graphic element overlaps the bottom left corner of the image.

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Implementation in Group companies

Considering the Group's strategic objectives in the area of sustainability, changes in European Union and national legislation, we have integrated environmental requirements into all the Group's public procurements.



Target – 100%

Green procurement must account for 100%* of the value of all public procurement. The target is set out in the Group's Procurement Process Guidelines and in the Government Resolution "On Setting and Implementing Green Procurement Targets".

**Excluding procurement carried out by oral contracting.*

Green procurement

This is a procurement by which the executor acquires goods, services or works that have the least possible negative impact on the environment in one, several or all stages of the life cycle of those goods, services or works.



Environmental requirements in procurement

Minimum environmental criteria



Applicable to product groups as defined in the [Order of the Minister of the Environment of the Republic of Lithuania](#).



More information can be found in the [Public Procurement Service's report](#).



Type I Ecolabel requirements

Green product



When procuring products, innovations, services or goods of an intangible nature that are good for the environment, we consider them to be green products, in accordance with an [Order of the Minister of the Environment of the Republic of Lithuania](#).

Relevant to the subject matter of the contract, applying the environmental principles set out in the [Order of the Minister of the Environment of the Republic of Lithuania](#).



Other environmental criteria

Environmental management system requirements



More information can be found in the [Public Procurement Service Guidelines](#).





What environmental requirements is the market ready to meet?



Before starting the procurement, we carry out a market analysis of the environmental requirements that could be applied in the procurement.

**Unless we are buying products, innovations, services or goods of an intangible nature that are good for the environment.*

Deciding on the application of specific environmental requirements



After receiving responses from suppliers and reviewing publicly available information, we analyse and set one or more specific environmental requirements in the procurement that would ensure not only a lower negative impact on the environment, but also a fair competition.

Examples

Examples of green procurement requirements that relate to the goods, services or works being procured.



For products

- Product warranty period;
- Energy efficiency of goods;
- Goods that qualify for a Type I or Type II eco-label;
- Product packaging made from recycled materials or recycled content;
- Other.



For services

- Application of environmental management system requirements/measures (for service provision);
- Green electricity;
- Energy efficiency of equipment for service provision;
- Getting to the place where services are provided by less polluting means of transport;
- Other.



For works

- Application of environmental management system requirements/measures (for works);
- Energy efficiency of the equipment used to carry out the work;
- Less polluting vehicles are used to carry out the work;
- Staff training on resource conservation, environmental protection, for staff responsible for contract implementation;
- Other.

