



Sustainable Business Services

Sustainable engineering solutions

Tonkin & Taylor is one of the leading consultancies providing sustainable business services in the Asia-Pacific region. As well as providing sustainable engineering solutions, T&T provide strategic advice and practical support services for businesses addressing:

- Corporate responsibility
- Corporate sustainability reporting
- Management systems development and auditing
- Compliance management
- Sustainable supply chain management
- Environmental labelling
- Carbon and greenhouse gas management.

Our team of sustainable business specialists draw on industry experience and specialist technical skills of our engineers, scientists and planners to provide practical and targeted advice. Our track record includes long term successful client support in New Zealand, Australia, the Pacific and Malaysia.

It has a strong reputation for quality work based on:

- A business and commercial focus
- Technical and environmental expertise
- Best-fit, cost effective solutions
- Appropriate technology and practical innovation
- Sensitivity to company culture and resources
- Practical outcomes that can readily be implemented.

Sustainability reporting and assurance

We advise and support companies as they develop their sustainability reporting programmes. We also

provide independent assurance (verification) reporting for companies seeking public recognition of the validity and relevance of their reports. Client reports have been rated 14th and 22nd globally in Sustainability and UNEP benchmarking surveys and have won a range of sustainability and environmental reporting awards.

Sustainability strategy

We provide advice and support to companies as they develop sustainability programmes. We carry out preliminary reviews and gap analyses, guidance on development programmes and strategic advice at Board level.

While we strongly believe that sustainability programmes need to be driven from within, we provide the experienced insights that assist our clients reach their objectives quickly and with less effort.

Management systems and compliance

T&T is the leading consultant on environmental and sustainability management systems in New Zealand, with an extensive track record elsewhere. Our staff established New Zealand's first accredited ISO14001 EMS certification programme (at Telarc NZ) and have supported JAS-ANZ and QSA panels and ISO and New Zealand/Australian technical committees on management systems standards. We provide long-term development and/or external audit services to clients.

Regulatory information

Our EnviroAlert service tracks regulatory requirements and provides alerts and summary advice to clients. Maintaining an awareness of current regulatory requirements is a bottom line for most sustainability programmes. EnviroAlert provides a simple and cost effective solution.

Compliance management

T&T provide training, audit and system support to a wide range of industry clients seeking to ensure compliance with external regulatory requirements and internal management systems.

Sustainable supply chains

We have strong skills in sustainable procurement and supply chain management and provide advice and training to companies and government departments such as MfE wishing to source more sustainable goods and services. We are actively engaged in research and database development for organisations such as MAF and GreenBuild, and provide Environmental Choice, the NZ Government's ecolabelling programme with virtually all its technical support. A recent DEFRA (UK Environment Department) report rated specifications T&T developed for Environmental Choice "international best practice standards".

Carbon and greenhouse gas management

T&T provides practical advice on maximising benefits from the Kyoto Protocol and its implementation mechanisms (Clean Development Mechanism, Joint Implementation and Emissions Trading). We have a strong track record of carbon credit evaluations and are acknowledged experts in landfill gas to energy projects.