

Cleaning Contractor wins official 'enviro - friendly' status

NViro has become one of the few, if not the only commercial cleaning company on the South Coast to be awarded the ISO 14001 Environmental Management status.

The award recognises that NViro has a documented environmental management system that sets out the company's approach to managing its impact on the environment. The four key areas of impact, along with examples, are:

- Cleaning materials - 90% of NViro's cleaning products are biodegradable and the remaining 10% are constantly under review
- Machinery - NViro is currently working with suppliers to source the most energy efficient machinery
- Paper, plastic and cans - NViro already operates a waste recycling scheme and helps clients develop their own

NViro can also help clients to solve their own environmental challenges. The cleaning contractor has already helped Basingstoke and Deane Council to manage its office recycling strategy by replacing individual under-desk wastebins with centrally located bins for paper, plastic cups and cans. Similar initiatives are being developed with Brighton and Hove City Council.



Steve Reeder (right) of QMS presenting the ISO14001 Certificate to Terry Chance (left) NViro's Technical Director and Brian Warren, NViro's Managing Director.