

## **Sino-Ocean Group Policy on Green Procurement**

Sino-Ocean Group cherishes natural resources, and is fully aware of the long-term impact and significance of sustainable procurement and sustainable consumption. Therefore, the Group spares no effort to prioritize green materials and healthy materials in procurement, and to select qualified suppliers to alleviate adverse impacts on the environment and the society.

In procurement, the following factors should be taken into account as appropriate:

- Minimize the use of raw materials and packaging materials in production;
- Minimize the consumption of energy and water resources;
- No toxicity or pollution to the human body and the environment;
- Have the capability of purification, absorption and health promotion;
- Convenient for recovery and recycling;
- Avoid or reduce the use of disposable materials or products;
- Give priority to products that have green or healthy material certification or meet relevant standards;

This policy is updated every three years; it can be reviewed and updated as appropriate when necessary.