

# Waste Management Policy



**ANIL NEERUKONDA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY & SCIENCES**

**(AUTONOMOUS)**

## Introduction

Anil Neerukonda Institute of Technology & Sciences is an established and reputed institution in Andhra Pradesh, engaged in higher education. ANITS realizes that integrated waste management is essential in reducing its environmental foot print and providing a safe and healthy work environment for teaching, non-teaching employees, students and visitors. ANITS makes sure that all the campus waste is disposed off responsibly by using proper waste segregation mechanism at the source. The aim of this policy is to facilitate execution of the action plan mentioned in “National Environment Policy 2006”.

## Policy Statement

ANITS will adopt the principles of the ‘best available feasible environmental option’ in the deliverance of its waste management services. ANITS requires all the teaching and non-teaching staff, students, guests and residence to act in accordance with this Policy. Any solid waste generated in the campus shall be managed and handled in accordance with the compliance criteria and the procedure laid down in Municipal Solid Waste (Management and Handling) Rules and shall also comply with the various regulations under national and international environmental protection legislation.

## Objectives

The objectives of this policy are:

- Ensure that waste management in campus is in accordance with all waste legislative requirements.
- Minimize waste generation and facilitate repair, reuse and recycling of waste in a cost-effective manner.
- Provide clearly defined roles and responsibilities to identify and co-ordinate activities of the waste management.
- Promote environmental consciousness in order to encourage waste minimization, reuse and recycling.
- Ensure safe handling and storage of waste in campus.
- Provide appropriate training for teachers, staff and students on waste management issues.



## **Waste Management Committee**

1. Head of Institution: Chairman
2. Senior Staff: Nodal Officer
3. Administrative Officer
4. Senior faculty member from Civil Department
5. Senior faculty member from Chemical Department
6. Representative from maintenance department.

## **Responsibilities of Waste Management Committee**

1. Monitoring the day-to-day delivery of general waste and their recycling services.
2. Operational monitoring of waste management system.
3. Ensuring that no hazardous waste is disposed off through the general or waste recycling streams.
4. Nominating a 'responsible person' within their department to coordinate waste disposal for any hazardous or laboratory waste.
5. Ensuring that waste of office and various departments is disposed off responsibly through proper waste disposal system.
6. As per the Hazardous Waste regulations it will be mandatory that concerned department cannot store hazardous waste for period not exceeding 90 days and shall maintain a record of sale, transfer, storage, recycling and reprocessing of such waste unless the concerned State Pollution Control Board has extended the stipulated period.
7. The waste could either be recycled /reused or disposed off in captive or common treatment, storage and disposed facilities available in the campus or incinerated.
8. Degradable and non-biodegradable waste will be segregated and treated according to their physical nature.

**Principal  
ANITS**