

Philip Morris Lietuva (PML)

Alliance for Water Stewardship (AWS) Commitment

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“Philip Morris International” affiliate in Lithuania, JSC “Philip Morris Lietuva” (PML) is applying for Alliance for Water Stewardship (AWS) certification this year. PMI strategy is to implement AWS Standard in all “Philip Morris International” manufacturing plants worldwide by the end of 2025.

AWS is a global program of cooperation between companies, NGOs, public sector and society. Members of this initiative contribute to the sustainability of local water resources by adopting and promoting universal framework for sustainable water use – the AWS Standard. Primarily multinational companies are involved in the program.

JSC “Philip Morris Lietuva” prepared its water stewardship plan based on the five main areas of interest of AWS Standard. In order to meet these criteria, a commitment was signed to implement the AWS Standard.

5 main areas of interest of the AWS Standard:

1. Good water governance;
2. Sustainable water balance;
3. Good water quality status;
4. Important water-related areas;
5. Safe water, sanitation and hygiene for all (WASH).

JSC "Philip Morris Lietuva", as a result of its public commitment to sustainable water management and water stewardship, undertakes to implement the following:

- Endorse, sustain and support (uphold) the Alliance for Water Stewardship (AWS) principles and 5 outcomes: good water governance, sustainable water balance, good water quality status, important water-related areas, sanitation and hygiene for all;
- Engage and involve stakeholders in an open and transparent way;
- Comply with legal and regulatory requirements related to water;
- Respect water-related rights, including ensuring appropriate access to safe water, sanitation and hygiene for all workers in premises under the site's control;
- Implement the AWS Standard in alignment and in support to existing catchment sustainability plan;
- Support and coordinate with stakeholders (internal and external) for the implementation of water-related plans and policies, including working together to meet the right to safe water and sanitation;
- Improve and continually adapt the site's water stewardship actions and plans in order to mitigate shared water related risks;
- Allocate necessary resources to accomplish the implementation and fulfillment of all requirements of the AWS Standard;
- Implement and Disclose progress on water stewardship program(s) to relevant audience in order to achieve improvements in AWS water stewardship outcomes.

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