

Environmental Policy

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WEEE

All applicable Fairmount Weather Systems Ltd products shipped from 24th June 2008 and thereafter will be marked in accordance with the European standard EN 50419:2005 to indicate “new EEE waste”.

RoHS

Fairmount Weather Systems Ltd are committed to minimising the full life cycle impact of its products and actions on the environment. As such we are actively involved in a program working towards our core product ranges being fully compliant to the demands of the RoHS directive by 2010. If the scope of the directive changes during this period we will revise our strategy to ensure full compliance with the directive at all times.