



COMPASS
Environmental Consultancy



**Reducing
Environmental Risk**

Introducing Compass Environmental Consultancy

Environmental Risk has to be a significant commercial consideration for businesses of all sizes. Unlimited fines for causing pollution, increasingly robust sentencing guidelines, civil sanctions, reputational damage as well as the subsequent loss of accreditations or commercial contracts, business interruption and clean-up costs can seriously impact company performance.

At Compass Environmental Consultancy we provide the guidance, direction and support your business needs to stay compliant and reduce environmental risk from your operations.

Our complete Environmental Risk Management and Reduction Service is designed to protect the commercial interests and reputation of your business both now and in the future during any new site acquisition, site closure, redevelopment or divestment.

Our Managing Director



Stewart Ower
BSc(Hons), C.WEM, MCIWEM
Former UKSpill Chairman (2015-17)

You will have direct access to experts with extensive practical experience of dealing with the consequences of environmental incidents and working on complex, heavily contaminated sites. We believe our customers deserve the best possible service, provided by skilled professionals, delivered with care and good humour.

We aim to become trusted advisors to our clients, understanding their businesses and protecting their interests every step of the journey.

When it comes to environmental issues we are **good people to know.**

£2M

**SOUTHERN WATER
FINED £2M FOR
SEWAGE LEAK ON
KENT BEACHES.**

The Guardian,
19th December 2016

£8M

**TESCO FINED £8M
FOR RECKLESSLY
POLLUTING RIVER.**

The Independent,
16th June 2017

£20M

**THAMES WATER
GIVEN RECORD £20M
FINE AFTER RAW
SEWAGE POLLUTES
RIVER.**

The Telegraph,
22nd March 2017

Environmental Risk Management Surveys

Designed to reduce the risk of prosecution for causing pollution or contaminating your site from your own operational activities, our Environmental Risk Management Surveys promote **prevention** and **preparedness**.

WHAT WE DO

- **Review** site setting, environmental sensitivities and any existing site data you may have
- **Visit** your premises, understand your operations
- **Check** storage of pollutants, compliance with environmental regulations and preparedness should an incident occur
- **Report** containing our recommendations to reduce or eliminate risk

WE CAN ALSO

- **Prioritise** recommendations based on risk and site setting
- **Implement** fully costed remedial measures and recommendations working with our strategic partners
- **Create** a risk ranking profile for multi-site property portfolios to assist with:
 - Asset management plans and budgeting
 - Further site investigation and remediation programmes
- **Protect** by ensuring Incident Preparedness



Incident Preparedness

Being prepared, should the worst occur, pays dividends. Having a spill response plan, spill response equipment appropriate and proportionate to your business activities and trained staff can minimise the risk of prosecution, fines and clean-up costs. It can also help you attain ISO14001 accreditation.

The sentencing guidelines for environmental offences recognise a number of factors when deciding on the level of fine imposed including:

- Mitigating factors which have reduced the seriousness of the incident
- Evidence of steps taken to remedy the problem
- Co-operation and acceptance of responsibilities

Compass can help you protect your business by ensuring you are completely prepared should things ever go pear shaped. We can provide:

- Incident/Spill Response Plan creation
- Spill Kit Provision
- Spill Kit Training (see our website for details)
- 24/7/365 Spill Response Contract (UKSpill Accredited Responder Network)



Environmental Due Diligence

If you are buying or selling a business, leasing or buying a new site for your existing business, exiting a site or buying a piece of land for redevelopment, you understandably want to make sure you know exactly what you are dealing with.

Our team are experienced at rapid turnaround, high quality, decisive environmental due diligence investigation and reporting. We will tell you exactly what you are getting yourself into and highlight any identified environmental liabilities.

Where contamination is found we can advise what steps, if any, need to be taken depending on the intended use of the site, site setting and the nature and severity of contamination encountered. We can work with you to determine maximum value prior to site sale. Alternatively, if you are buying we can develop and implement fully costed site remediation programmes, the cost of which can be factored into negotiations.



Industry Sectors

Nearly every business has a direct connection with the environment. Your company's activities could have the potential to cause pollution, either through the gradual contamination of your site from operational processes or through the sudden release of polluting materials during a spillage.

To help minimise the risk posed, we've created **Enviro-Shield** - a comprehensive environmental protection package aimed at reducing the likelihood of pollution associated with your sector's activities. Our approach highlights the environmental risks specific to your sector and our deep commercial understanding of your industry's operations, processes and pressures.



Click on the sector below for further information.



AGRICULTURE



AIRPORTS



CONSTRUCTION



FOOD & DRINK



LOGISTICS



MARINAS



PETROL STATIONS



PROPERTY & FACILITIES
MANAGEMENT

Strategic Partnerships

At Compass Environmental Consultancy we stick to what we do best, consultancy. To enhance our offering to our clients we have selected a small number of strategic partners whose complementary services we rate very highly.

These companies and associates share our values and standards. We will work together on projects where this makes sense or where more appropriate we will simply refer you directly to our partner where you will get the full benefit of any preferential rates we have negotiated with them.



Evergreen Insurance Services has partnered with Compass to create Oilshield, a comprehensive insurance and risk management package for the Oil Distribution Industry. Oilshield provides whole business insurance under one policy, underwritten by Aviva.

Every Oilshield policy includes risk management support delivered by Compass - we are also the first point of contact to report spillage claims.

Evergreen was founded to provide businesses and consumers with the insurance solutions they need, whilst also giving back to support our natural world.



Quote "Compass" when choosing Evergreen for personal or commercial insurance!



The Fire Service College, Moreton-in-Marsh, has a proud heritage of delivering training to the UK's fire and emergency services and is the home of our Advanced Environmental Protection Techniques Spill Training Course. The college offers a unique training environment, with over 25 realistic training rigs and scenarios, making it a popular choice for fire brigades around the World to train their officers.

Our Managing Director, Stewart Ower, is an Associate Tutor at the Fire Service College, designing and delivering specialist Environment Protection training to Fire Officers as part of their HazMat Advisor Course.



SA Safety Limited specialise in delivering bespoke solutions for businesses that have Health & Safety training or consultancy requirements. Typically, this would include Emergency Planning, Rescue & Recovery and training of Industrial Fire Services.

Together with SA Safety, we have launched the HSER Alliance (Health, Safety, Environmental & Rescue) to bring experts within these sectors together to create a comprehensive suite of HSER services for our customers.



To enquire about our HSER Services get in touch with us via email: info@compassenviro.co.uk



Spillcare Manufacture

In our opinion, there is only one supplier of spill kits and pollution control equipment that we would wish to partner. This view is formed out of using Darcy equipment in the field for over 25 years.

It is only through use that you can establish the real value of the kit you have purchased. Darcy have delivered every time on quality, service and value.



Quote "Compass" when placing an order with Darcy to access our special client discount.

