

Challenges:

Working within the roofing and cladding sector presents a number of sustainability challenges for Everlast Group Ltd. Achieving Net Zero targets requires addressing the embodied carbon of materials, particularly in relation to Scope 3 emissions from purchased goods and services. There are increasing pressures to use lower carbon products, with manufacturers playing a significant role as their specifications influence the roofing systems installed. Another challenge relates to the availability of data and understanding how best to gather this information from the supply chain. Managing environmental risks on construction sites is also a priority, particularly ensuring appropriate control measures are in place to protect local communities, including effective on site waste segregation and recycling. In addition, labour shortages and limited training opportunities for younger workers in both traditional and modern techniques present ongoing challenges.

Impact:

Everlast Group Ltd has actively worked to address these challenges by keeping up to date with legal requirements and sector specific expectations within the UK construction industry. Engagement with the Supply Chain Sustainability School has supported employee learning across areas including carbon reporting, modern slavery, fairness, inclusion and respect, and procurement. Company assessments have enabled benchmarking of organisational maturity across key sustainability themes and supported the development of action plans to identify priority areas for improvement. Attendance at the annual Supply Chain Sustainability School Summit over the past three years has also provided valuable opportunities to hear from industry specialists and network with other sustainability professionals.

Value gained:

Use of the Supply Chain Sustainability School's resources has delivered clear benefits for Everlast Group Ltd by improving knowledge and strengthening skills across the workforce. Access to learning on evolving business and legislative requirements has been particularly valuable as the organisation has grown, especially in relation to modern slavery and carbon reporting. Evidence of training attendance has also been used to support EcoVadis submission requirements, contributing to the successful achievement of a Silver Medal. Overall, membership has supported compliance, strengthened capability and enhanced credibility with clients and stakeholders.

Fact box



Company

Everlast Group Ltd

No of employees

130

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Services

Rail infrastructure waterproofing, façade refurbishment, scaffolding services, specialist surveys, and bespoke ongoing maintenance programmes

About

Founded in 2000, Everlast Group Ltd is a leading UK based company specialising in roofing and construction. The organisation provides a complete building envelope, offering waterproofing, cladding, scaffolding and comprehensive maintenance services. With a proven track record, Everlast Group Ltd manages over £60 million worth of projects annually across the UK and Europe, delivering consistently high standards across all projects.

Future proofing:

Everlast Group Ltd plans to engage more employees with the Supply Chain Sustainability School to support personal development and access learning across a wider range of topics. Further company assessments are also planned to provide deeper insight into areas for continuous improvement. Interactive sessions are particularly valued, and increased opportunities to attend these would be welcomed.