

HOTEL CSR & SUSTAINABILITY QUESTIONNAIRE

General

Do you have a sustainability policy document?
Please provide a link to where a current and regularly updated policy will be stored

Energy & Water Use

Are you using a green energy tariff to supply energy?
Do you have a policy document outlining how your hotel will conserve and save water and energy?
Please provide a link to where a current and regularly updated policy will be stored
Do you provide bulk water stations or fountains?

Waste Minimisation

Do you have a recycling programme to recycle glass, aluminium, plastic and paper/cardboard?
Please provide evidence to show your recycling performance for the last two years
Do you have a policy outlining how your hotel is minimising all single use materials?
Please provide a link to where a current and regularly updated policy will be stored (if this is included in your Hotel Sustainability Policy please input 'SAME' as your response).
Is a policy in place to minimise paper usage across the hotel?
Do you donate leftover, un-served food?
Have you eliminated any polystyrene (Styrofoam) containers or cups in all banquet or take-out service?
Do you use a food waste removal service that can prove it takes this waste to specialist anaerobic digestion facilities or to create renewable electricity, biogas and liquid fertiliser for the farming industry?

Food

Are locally grown and organic foods and products purchased/sourced wherever possible and affordable?
What is your definition of locally grown i.e. within how many miles?
Do you have a policy to promote plant based options on all your menus?
Please provide evidence to show how you approach this.
Is seafood offered that is in accordance with responsible guidelines, such as the Marine Stewardship Council (MSC) and/or the Global Sustainable Seafood Initiative (GSSI).

Environmental Purchases

Are environmentally responsible cleaning and fertilisation products (i.e. bearing a recognised eco-label, such as Green Seal) used?

Staffing and Social Responsibility

Do you have a team or individual who is responsible for reviewing your CSR and sustainability strategy?
Please provide the name and contact details of that person or team manager
Are there established policies and practices to promote inclusion, diversity and fairness among employees?
Are you able to provide information about ethical purchases, including labour practices and animal welfare as it relates to your suppliers?
Does your hotel provide support to the local community by providing volunteers for local projects and initiatives and/or financial donations?

Please provide two examples of where you've made a positive impact on the local community

Measurement

Do you measure the effectiveness of your sustainable policies?

If you are measuring the effectiveness of your sustainable policies, please list how, and include any pertinent metrics

Local Projects

Does your hotel participate in any projects that benefit the local community or environment?

Do you offer guests and groups the opportunity to take part in activities that have an environmental benefit?

Please use this section to provide further details of these activities

Answer

Yes
<https://www.minor.com/en/downloads/sustainability-reports>

Answer

No
Yes
<https://www.minorhotels.com/en/sustainability/anantara>
No

Answer

Yes
See attachment
Yes
<https://www.minorhotels.com/en/sustainability/anantara>
Yes
Yes for piggy
No

Yes

Answer

Yes
In situ
Yes
Harvest table concept, <https://www.anantara.com/en/peace-haven-tangalle/restaurants/harvest-table>
Yes

Answer

Yes

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Yes
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Yes
Yes
Yes

1. Micro-homegarden program: support local community by sharing our excess compost to restore their home gardens. their productions purchase by the resort. 2. Drinking water project for Rajapaksha Junior School: Safe Drinking water is a big problem in Tangalle. School children had Kidney problems due to the drinking water. Guests who visited the resort supported to place Reverse-Osmosis plant and 245 school children and 26 teachers now have safe drinking water.

Answer

The company has the best sustainability practice award annually. It is evaluating all 3 pillars in company sustainability policy. We started our biodiversity survey in 2017 with IUCN. 2019 we did the survey again. We found our bio-diversity increasing. For example there were 63 bird species and currently we have recorded 73 species. Since 2017 September to 2020 July we have protected 8567 Green and Olive Ridley baby turtles under our conservation program. Currently we are writing research paper on threats and conservation efforts taken for Olive Ridley sea turtles. Some findings are new to the world.

Energy intensity, water intensity, and carbon footprint benchmarks

Answer

Yes: Our "Dollar for Deeds" program for turtle conservation with IUCN, Department of Wildlife Conservation, our guests participation and local community. Our projects supported local community/ schools for pottable water. Our homegarden programs supporting local farmers to restoring their home gardens and their productions purchase by the resort. Our tours link with local community. We provide room for local skilled people to showcase their abilities for our guests and generate income for them. We designed visitor center for Sri Lanka's first Sea Turtle sanctuary at Rekawa, where we conduct our conservation programs for school children with the Department of wildlife Conservation.

Yes: Nature walk we designed free for our guests, which enable them to explore our biodiversity: what we have done for conservation within the resort. Our programs on World Water day, world environment day and turtle conservation are guests participatory events. Our school programs bridge local school kids with urban school children on sharing knowledge and benefits.

Our Paddy field provide guest experience with traditional events, educational source for local community and school children. Our breeding grounds for dragonflies control mosquitoes within the paddy area: first resort in Sri Lanka breeding dragonflies on mosquito controlling. We created guest activities such as nature walks, bird watching while we know the biodiversity within the property. Even with the Covid-19 lock down and restricted conditions guest activities provided to ensure their memorable stay.