



# SUSTAINABLE INVESTMENT POLICY





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**SECTION 1: INTRODUCTION ABOUT THE CURRENT SITUATION** 

# 1.1. INTRODUCTION

Nakhchivan State University (NSU) acknowledges its profound responsibility as a prominent educational institution to actively contribute to sustainable development and ethical investment practices. Recognizing the interconnectedness of global challenges and the need for collective action, NSU is dedicated to shaping its investment strategy in alignment with environmental, social, and governance (ESG) principles. By embracing sustainability as a core value, NSU aims not only to enhance its own financial resilience but also to serve as a catalyst for positive societal and environmental transformations, both within its local community and on a broader global scale. Through the integration of ESG considerations into its investment decisions, NSU endeavors to foster a more just, equitable, and sustainable future for current and future generations.

#### 1.2. CURRENT SITUATION

Currently, NSU embraces sustainable practices within its infrastructure, exemplified by the integration of alternative energy sources such as solar panels and wind turbines. These initiatives have significantly reduced the university's carbon footprint while showcasing its dedication to environmental stewardship.

### 1.3. LEGAL BASE

NSU's Sustainable Investment Policy operates within the framework of local and international laws, regulations, and best practices governing responsible investing. This policy is designed to comply with relevant legislation and align with global sustainability initiatives, ensuring that NSU's investment activities adhere to legal and ethical standards.





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#### 3.3. MONITORING AND REPORTING

NSU will establish mechanisms for ongoing monitoring and reporting of its sustainable investment activities. Regular reports will be issued to stakeholders, detailing investment performance, ESG metrics, and progress towards sustainability goals.

### 3.4. COMPLIANCE WITH THE SDGs

NSU's Sustainable Investment Policy is designed to contribute to the achievement of the SDGs, particularly those related to climate action, sustainable cities and communities, and quality education. Investments will be evaluated based on their potential to generate positive social and environmental impact in line with the SDGs.

### **SECTION 4: RESOURCE ALLOCATION**

### **4.1. RESOURCE ALLOCATION**

NSU will allocate sufficient resources, including personnel, technology, and financial support, to effectively implement and manage its Sustainable Investment Policy. This includes investing in the necessary expertise and tools to evaluate, monitor, and report on the sustainability performance of its investment portfolio.



