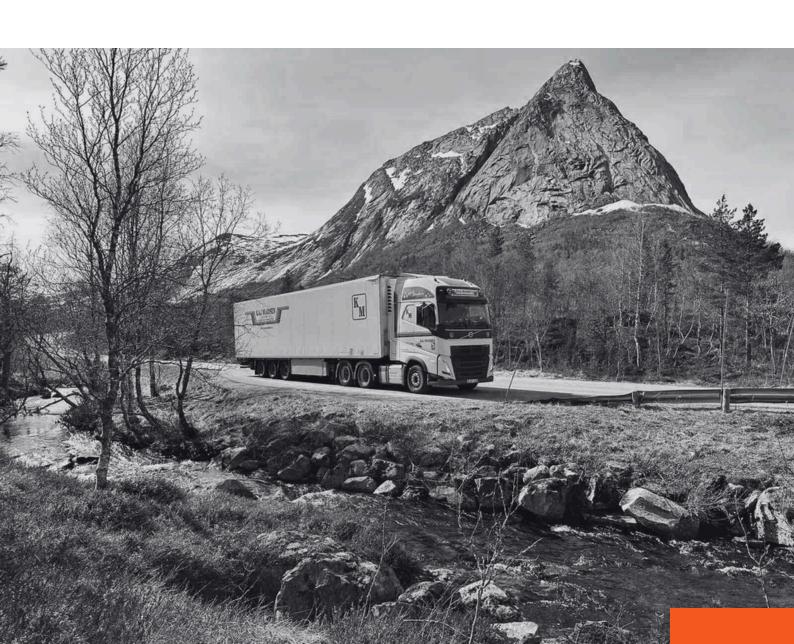


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RESPECT, INCLUSION, AND WORKPLACE CULTURE



We strive to create a workplace where everyone feels valued and respected, regardless of their background.

All employees, suppliers, and stakeholders, regardless of gender, age, ethnicity, religion, disability, sexual orientation, or political beliefs, are treated equally and fairly.

We foster a culture of teamwork, mutual respect, and open communication, ensuring that all voices are heard and valued.

We uphold a strict **zero-tolerance policy** against all forms of **bullying**, **harassment**, and **intimidation**, whether *verbal*, *physical*, *psychological*, or otherwise. It includes, but is not limited to, **sexual harassment**, **inappropriate remarks** or **behavior**, unwanted **advances**, and any actions that create a hostile or uncomfortable atmosphere.

WORKPLACE SAFETY AND WELL-BEING

A **safe**, **healthy**, and **secure work environment** is one of our top priorities at Kaj Madsen. We are committed to ensuring the well-being of all employees, suppliers, and business partners by maintaining strict safety protocols, regular training, and a proactive risk management approach.

We maintain a zero-tolerance policy regarding substance (alcohol, drugs, or any other substances that impair performance or pose a safety risk) in the workplace. The use of .

Employees or suppliers found under the influence while *on duty* will face disciplinary action, up to and including termination of employment or immediate contract suspension.

All employees and suppliers are expected to:

- Adhere to all health and safety regulations,
- Report any unsafe conditions, hazards, or accidents immediately to their supervisor or the designated safety officer.
- **Participate** in safety training programs and emergency preparedness drills.



We take **mental well-being** seriously, recognizing that a healthy work environment is not only about physical safety but also about fostering a positive and supportive atmosphere. Employees are encouraged to *speak up* if they experience **stress**, **burnout**, or **mental health** challenges to ensure a healthy work-life balance.

INTEGRITY AND ETHICAL BUSINESS PRACTICES

Our business practices are built on the foundation of **ethical conduct** and **responsible decision-making**, ensuring that every action taken within the company reflects our commitment to *fairness*, *trust*, and *accountability*.

COMPLIANCE

Employees and suppliers must comply with all applicable laws, industry regulations, and internal policies to maintain full integrity of our operations.

We expect our every employee and supplier to act with responsibility, diligence, and good judgment in all professional interactions.

CONFLICT OF INTEREST

All employees and suppliers must avoid conflicts of interest, ensuring that personal or external influences do not compromise their professional integrity, work responsibilities or the company's best interests to ensure mutual trust, accountability, and longterm success.

CONFIDENTIALITY

All employees and suppliers are expected to safeguard sensitive company information and handle it professionally.

Disclosure of proprietary or confidential data to unauthorized parties is strictly prohibited, as it can jeopardize company's competitive position, legal standing, and trust with stakeholders.



As part of our zero-tolerance policy on bribery and corruption, we strictly prohibit any form of offering, giving, requesting, or accepting bribes or improper payments, whether directly or indirectly.

This applies to all *employees*, *suppliers*, *contractors*, and *business partners* engaging in transactions or negotiations on behalf of the company. All business dealings must always be conducted ethically, transparently, and in full compliance with international anti-corruption laws.

COMMITMENT TO SUSTAINABILITY

We recognize the importance of sustainability and are committed to **minimizing our environmental footprint** while promoting responsible business practices. As a company operating in the transport and logistics sector, we acknowledge our role in **reducing emissions**, **optimizing resource efficiency**, and **fostering a more sustainable supply chain**.

Our sustainability efforts focus on:

REDUCING CARBON EMISSIONS

We continuously seek ways to improve fuel efficiency, optimize transport routes, and invest in lower-emission vehicles and technologies to reduce our overall environmental impact.

MINIMIZING WASTE

Employees and suppliers are encouraged to **adopt waste-reduction strategies**, including **responsible packaging**, **recycling initiatives**, and **efficient use of materials** in daily operations.

ENERGY EFFICIENCY

We strive to enhance **energy efficiency** across all facilities, implementing measures to **reduce unnecessary energy consumption** and **invest in renewable energy sources** where possible.

SUSTAINABLE SOURCING

We work closely with our suppliers to ensure that **materials** and **products** used within our operations **align with ethical** and **environmental standards**, *prioritizing* sustainably sourced materials whenever feasible.

COMPLIANCE AND CONTINUOUS IMPROVEMENT

Our company adheres to **all applicable environmental regulations** and **industry standards** while proactively seeking new ways to improve our sustainability performance.

We expect our **employees**, **suppliers**, and **business partners** to actively contribute to these efforts by **adopting environmentally responsible behaviors**, **reducing waste**, and **integrating sustainability principles** into their daily work.

PROMOTING DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION IN LEADERSHIP

We are committed to **breaking traditional gender barriers** in the transport industry and ensuring that leadership opportunities are accessible to all individuals based on merit, skills, and performance.

Our approach to diversity is not just about meeting targets but about **fostering** a workplace culture where everyone has a fair and equal chance to succeed.



As part of this commitment, we strive to create a more balanced and inclusive environment by continuously increasing opportunities for **underrepresented gender** in **administrative** and **leadership** roles.



This initiative is about ensuring that **talented individuals, regardless of gender**, have **equal opportunities to grow** and **succeed** within our organization.



EQUAL CAREER ADVANCEMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Ensuring that every **promotion**, **leadership training**, or **professional development program** is based solely on *skills*, *experience*, and *qualifications*.

BUILDING AN INCLUSIVE CULTURE

Creating a work environment where everyone, regardless of gender, background, or identity, feels valued and empowered to pursue leadership roles.

To achieve this, we focus on:

INCLUSIVE RECRUITMENT PRACTICES

Encouraging a wider talent pool by removing biases from the hiring process to ensure all candidates are assessed fairly and objectively.

WORKPLACE POLICIES THAT SUPPORT DIVERSITY

Implementing flexible work arrangements, mentorship programs, and leadership development initiatives that support career growth.

ACCOUNTABILITY, REPORTING, AND ETHICAL RESPONSIBILITY

We are committed to fostering **a culture of integrity**, **transparency**, and **accountability**. Maintaining high ethical standards is a shared responsibility, and we expect all employees, suppliers, and business partners **to uphold the principles outlined in this Code of Conduct**.



Employees and suppliers are urged to **report** any potential breaches of this Code to their **supervisor** or a **designated HR representative**.

Alternative whistleblower mechanisms are also available to ensure that concerns can be raised confidentially and without fear of retaliation.

Retaliation against individuals who report concerns in good faith is **strictly prohibited** and will not be tolerated.

Failure to comply with the principles outlined in this document may lead to **disciplinary action**, including but not limited to:

- verbal or written warnings,
- suspension or termination of contracts or employment,
- legal action,
- reporting to relevant authorities in cases of severe violations.



ensuring that everyone within our organization supply and chain takes accountability for ethical conduct, safeguard the integrity of our business operations and reinforce a responsible, fair, and trustworthy work environment.



FINAL COMMITMENT

This Code of Conduct reflects our sincere commitment to being a responsible, ethical, and forward-thinking organization.

By adhering to these principles, we create a positive and productive work environment for everyone at Kaj Madsen and our supply chain. Any dispute shall be subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the District Court of Kolding, Denmark.

THANK YOU

