### **AGORA PRINTING BUSINESSES**

The Agora Group owns an offset printing business in Warsaw, which executes orders for printing of press titles of the company and its external customers. The efficiency of the printing business is controlled by a functioning internal Quality Management System based on the implemented quality control and complaint handling procedures (internal and external incompatibilities). In 2018, Agora S.A. has developed a special document ("Quality Management System Policy") and applies the principles defining approach to management of their environmental impact. The document was revised in July 2020.

The main environmental objectives of the current **"Quality Management System Policy"** relate to:

- reducing the consumption of natural resources by controlling rational water consumption, controlling the consumption of electricity and thermal energy, as well as technological losses;
- meeting the legal requirements on environmental, and occupational health and safety issues;
- preventing pollution, and reducing and segregating waste, meeting the requirements of the environmental, and occupational health and safety legislation.

#### ENERGY

#### Non-renewable energy

### Table: Energy consumed by Agora printing businesses from non-renewable energy sources

|  | 2019    | 2020    |
|--|---------|---------|
| Electricity [MWh]                      | 7 144   | 7 002   |
| Thermal energy [GJ]                    | 7 037   | 6 895   |
| Heat gas consumption [m <sup>3</sup> ] | 261 043 | 225 146 |

Data from invoices from energy suppliers

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#### **<u>Renewable energy</u>**

Printing house does not use renewable energy sources.

#### **MATERIAL AND RAW MATERIAL CONSUMPTION**

#### Table: Materials and raw materials used and their consumption

| [kg]                                  | 2019    | 2020    |
|---------------------------------------|---------|---------|
| Non-renewable materials/raw materials | No data | 400 239 |
| Renewable materials/raw materials     | No data | 13 981  |

Data from invoices

In 2019, the key supplier of printing paper decided to discontinue production of newsprint paper (100% recycled paper) in 2020. The decision affected the share of recycled materials in 2020. The amount of materials produced from recycled paper decreased compared to 2019 from **51.9%** to **45.3%**.

#### WATER AND EFFLUENTS

## Table: Amount of water consumed in printing production and amount of generated effluents

|                   | 2019  | 2020  |
|-------------------|-------|-------|
| Water consumption | 5 813 | 4 148 |

|                     | 2019  | 2020  |
|---------------------|-------|-------|
| Effluents generated | 5 813 | 4 148 |

Data from invoices.

Since 2019, Agora's printing house has been gradually implementing the technology of process-free processing of offset boards (new type of boards), which means a significant reduction in water consumption in the process of developing boards. In 2019, new boards accounted for **18%** of the production volume, and in 2020 – **29%.** This, in turn, translated into a reduction in water consumption from **5,813**  $\mathbf{m}^3$  in 2019 to **4,148**  $\mathbf{m}^3$  in 2020.

#### WASTE

Table: Weight of all waste generated in the printing house owned by Agora S.A. in 2020, and then their division according to the method of segregation

|  | 2019   | 2020   | % change |
|--|--------|--------|----------|
| Production waste (including waste paper)   | 1 895  | 2 023  | 6.78%    |
| Hazardous waste (including batteries,<br>accumulators, used light bulbs, mercury-<br>containing waste) | 16 296 | 23 544 | 44.5%    |
| Wastes from electrical and electronic equipment  | 0      | 0      | 0        |

Register of data on waste conducted in the BDO system

Waste shall be segregated according to the waste codes, in accordance with the existing waste manufacturing permit, in labelled and described containers or bins. Waste is collected by specialised waste disposal, recycling or other disposal companies.

# ACHIEVING 2020 ENVIRONMENTAL GOALS IN AGORA'S PRINTING HOUSE

| Maintaining the water and energy consumption at the planned level                                 | Achived |
|---|---------|
| Efficient material management aimed at reducing energy consumption and rational water consumption | Achived |

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL AGORA'S PRINTING HOUSE PLANS FOR 2021**

