



Progressive and the environment

Progress'ive. adj 1. advanced in outlook

With such an important issue as the Environment you can't really call yourself 'advanced in outlook' without exploring the options.

At PPS we put ink on paper. That's it really. Apart from some pretty nifty designs that's what we do.

The FSC (Forest Stewardship Council) is an independent non profit, non governmental organisation. It is an association of members from environmental and social groups, the timber trade and the forestry profession, community forestry groups and other organisations from around the world.

FSC runs a global forest certification system that includes two key aspects; Forest Management and Chain of Custody certification. This ensures that timber produced in certified forests has been traced from the forest to the end user.

FSC enables you to buy forest products with confidence that you are not contributing to global forest destruction. All FSC managed forests ensure long term timber supplies whilst protecting the environment and the lives of forest dependant peoples.

It's a fact that half of the worlds entire commercial timber is needed to make paper products (source WWF). The paper and print industry has the power to impose a massive impact on how our forests are managed. Progressive want to be part of that impact.

Through using and specifying FSC paper from well managed forests Progressive would be giving value to responsible forestry practices and also ensuring that you, as our clients, do not contribute to this current global destruction.

When we print for you we own the pulp or paper product until job completion and invoice, and there is one simple rule. If you own the paper then you will need a 'Chain of Custody' certification or the chain will be broken and the next owner of the product (you the client) cannot state that the product is FSC Certified.

Publishers and Printers need to adopt Chain of Custody as an integral part of ethical business practice.

Progressive hold FSC 'Chain of Custody' certification and to this end adhere to its beliefs, promises and responsibilities.

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Please contact us for details of our certified products

The mark of responsible forestry

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