

- March 2008 - Corporate Express expanded its broad offering of environmentally friendly paper products with a Forest Stewardship Council (FSC)-certified multifunction grade office paper: Domtar EarthChoice® 20 lb. 8.5 x 11.

The Forest Stewardship Council is an international organization that promotes responsible stewardship of the world's forests. The FSC certification label enables consumers to recognize products that support the growth of responsible forest management worldwide.

- Virtual 2008 Sourcebook launched. Online shopping and ordering reduces use of paper to print a catalog. The virtual catalog also provides an online experience to customers who continue to prefer to flip through a catalog.
- January 21, 2008 – Corporate Express announced today that it will be one of the first companies in North America to pilot a prototype diesel hybrid-electric delivery truck from Isuzu Commercial Truck of America, Inc. with the goals of reducing carbon dioxide emissions and minimizing environmental impact. The prototype vehicles are expected to be in use by April 2008.
- January 2008 Corporate Express announced its biodiesel delivery truck fleets in Colorado and Kansas (a total of 45 trucks). B20 fuel, as compared to using regular petroleum diesel, reduces carbon monoxide by 24%, hydrocarbons by 29%, particulates by 18% and nitrogen oxides by 4%, according to the National Renewable Energy Laboratory in Golden, Colorado.
- December 2007, Sustainable Earth(SE) Product launch. Sustainable Earth 66 disinfectant added to this comprehensive line of Sustainable Earth (SE) environmentally preferred facility cleaners



# Statement of Commitment

*“Sustainable development is development that meets the needs of the present without compromising the ability of future generations to meet their own needs.”*

– World Commission on Environment and Development

As a global company, we believe in demonstrating leadership, responsibility and accountability regarding sustainability. This policy outlines our commitment to reduce our environmental impact while balancing social equity and economic vitality. We strive to make a meaningful contribution to the communities in which we operate as we work toward meeting the needs of the present without compromising the needs of future generations. We believe that companies can be socially and environmentally responsible while continuing to be economically successful, and we strive to do all three.



## Sustainable Earth