



Foundation “Living with the Earth”.

Goals and working methods of the foundation:

Promoting the sustainable living together of all forms of life, plants, trees, animals and human beings with the earth on any scale, considering that a sustainable society is a holarchy (Gk holo=whole), distinguishing four main aspects:

A. A spiritual aspect:

Being open for and towards the unknown, the perhaps all-embracing; being overwhelmed with wonder in all existence, being attentive; living, thinking consciously, being prepared to participate and carry responsibility; striving for creativity and beauty, being free.

B. An ecological aspect:

Maintaining biodiversity, as much as possible enlarging and cherishing biomass, “green space”; justly sharing and utilising natural cycles, necessary for the continuation of all forms of living with the earth, in health and peace.

C. A social aspect:

Paying attention and giving care to each other and to nature; conferring with each other, working and sharing on the basis of equality; joyfully and lovingly spending time on sport, games, theatre, singing, music, dancing, art.

D. An economic aspect:

Aiming at the opening out and well-being of all people and nature with the earth; replacing the use of fossil energy by the use of alternative sources and natural cycles; sparingly utilising raw materials, fabrics and products; reusing products, fabrics and raw materials.

and furthermore, everything that is directly or indirectly related to or may be conducive to these aspects, all in the widest sense of the word.

The foundation attempts to realize its purpose among other things by:

- a. Striving for concerned experts in its own board
- b. Study and research
- c. Information to and/or communication with and/or co-operation with private persons, organisations, societies, foundations, companies, institutions and authorities
- d. Supporting activities and innovative developments aimed at or fitting in a sustainable society
- e. Opposing common and new ways of thinking and customs which stand in the way of sustainably living with the earth
- f. Striving for a sincere use of the term “sustainable”. (In Dutch sustainable and durable are the same word.)

N.b.: Above points are meant in the most general sense, also outside The Netherlands.

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