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Products are designed and engineered with longevity in mind, often surpassing customers' needs in their lifespan, whether they're developed under the Design for the Environment initiative.



What AFC promote:

- While disposal in a landfill can occur, AFC offers alternatives to discarding products. Since AFC products are distributed all over the country, returning products to the original production location would consume resources and generate greenhouse gasses. Consequently, there are alternatives available to the consumer: Donate, repurpose/reuse and recycle.
- The AFC end of life solution that helps the customers dispose furniture in an environmentally friendly way from landfill by providing them with the opportunity to sell, donate, and/or recycle that furniture.
- We encourage our customers to donate furniture's to NGOs who need them.

Second Life Furniture Program:

Second Life was established to help achieve our customer's goal of zero waste. This program ensures our customers garner maximum financial and social benefit with minimum environmental impact to themselves and the communities in which they operate.

SecondLife Furniture Program can include some or all of the options below;

Sell

- We'll help you maximize the sale of your old furniture to individuals in need, who are eager to use it for their own purposes, ensuring that you regain its value.
- To ensure maximum benefit for our customers, AFC will host yearly exhibitions where those in need can purchase products at affordable prices.

Donate

- We will connect with the registered NGO's to donate your used furniture to needy one which will maximize the social return of your assets.
- We aim to stay within 100km of your location to ensure that your furniture contributes directly to the communities where you live and work. By keeping transportation distances short and partnering with nearby charities, we minimize the environmental impact of moving your used corporate assets.

Repurpose/ Reuse

- In case of NGO don't pick up and doesn't have reach to customer, we also connect the customer to old furniture dealer for repurpose/reuse.
- We have tied up with various old furniture dealers for taking back the product from customer in the major cities of the country.

Recycle

- If neither NGOs nor old furniture dealers take the old furniture, we'll disassemble and recycle it using industry best practices by verified recyclers.
- Throughout this process, the extracted materials will be sent to the appropriate recycling facilities to be introduced into new product material requirement.
- This process will decrease the consumption of new raw materials

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