

## **Quality Statement**

Agriman is dedicated to delivering the highest quality products and services to customers. Our commitment to quality is integral to our operations and guides the growth and development of Agriman. We strive for continuous improvement in all aspects of our business to exceed customer expectations and achieve excellence.

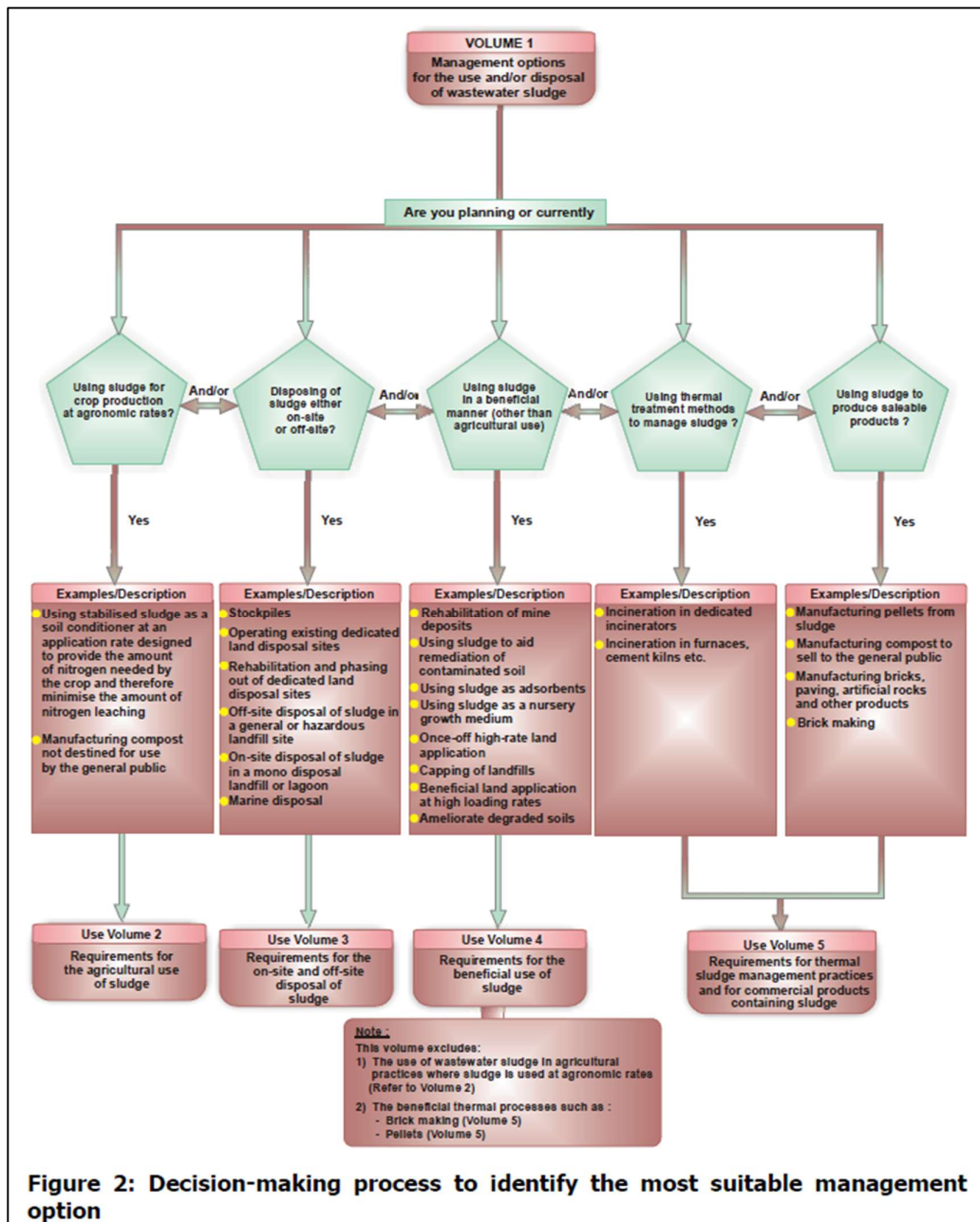
## **Quality Objectives:**

- To meet or exceed customer expectations by delivering high quality products and services.
- To foster a culture of continuous improvement and innovation.
- To ensure compliance with all applicable regulations and standards.
- To provide comprehensive training and development for our employees.
- To establish strong relationships with our suppliers and partners based on quality and reliability.

## **Quality Standards**

Agriman is committed towards high standards and the alignment of its products and services with the applicable legislations and industry standards.

The handling and processing of sludge in South Africa is regulated by the Sludge Disposal Guidelines Volume 1 to 5 as published by the Water Research Commission (WRC), and the accompanying legislation. The range of management options dealing with beneficial and non-beneficial uses of sludge are as set out in Figure 2 of the guidelines, as shown below.



Agriman utilises accelerated solar drying technology and methods to process the sludge into a class A1a registered fertiliser product that has unrestricted use. Agriman's processes and products comply with Volume 5 of the sludge disposal guidelines and the legislation as per Table 13.

**TABLE 13: REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS APPLICABLE TO COMMERCIAL PRODUCTS CONTAINING SLUDGE**

	Fertilizer products	Commercial products: Construction
<b>Applicable Act Governing Practice</b>	Fertilizer, Farm Feed, Agricultural Remedies and Stock Remedies Act (Act 36 of 1974)  Hazardous Substances Act (Act No 15 of 1973)  National Health Act (Act 61 of 2003)	Hazardous Substances Act (Act No 15 of 1973)  National Health Act (Act 61 of 2003)
<b>Authorisation Required</b>	Registration as a fertilizer with Department of Agriculture	None specified
<b>Lead Authority</b>	Department of Agriculture	Department of Health
<b>Regulatory Instrument</b>	Certificate of registration  Applicable health and pollution control regulations, provincial and local bylaws	Applicable health and pollution control regulations, provincial and local bylaws
<b>Regulatory Guidelines</b>	Sludge Guidelines (Volume 5) and/or Minimum Requirements (latest applicable versions)	

Agriman's Growman fertiliser is registered in terms of the Fertiliser, Farm Feeds, Agricultural Remedies and Stock Remedies Act No 36 of 1947 as a Group II fertiliser. The registration is renewed every three years.

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