

MALAYSIAN SUSTAINABLE PALM OIL - ANNUAL SURVEILLANCE ASSESSMENT Public Summary Report

Sime Darby Plantation Berhad

Head Office:

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Certification Unit:

Flemington Palm Oil Mill (SOU 4)

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Plantations including Flemington Estate, Bagan Datoh Estate, Sungai Samak Estate and Sabak Bernam Estate

Location of Certification Unit: Strategic Operating Unit (SOU 4) – Flemington Palm Oil Mill, Sungai Sumun, 36369 Teluk Intan, Perak, Malaysia

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Section 1: Executive Summary

1.1 Organizational Information and Contact Person					
MPOB License	Flemington POM – MPOB License; no: 529874-004000 Sungai Samak Estate – MPOB License; no: 526340-002000 Sabak Bernam – MPOB License; no: 545859-002000 Bagan Datoh Estate – MPOB license no: 525521-002000 Flemington Estate – MPOB license no: 525193-002000				
Company Name	Sime Darby Plantation Berhad (Flemington Palm Oil Mill SOU 4)				
Address	(HQ): Level 3A, Main Block Plantation Tower, No. 2, Jalan P.J.U 1A/7 47301 Ara Damansara Selangor, Malaysia (Site): Strategic Operating Unit (SOU 4) — Flemington Palm Oil Mill, Sungai Sumun, 36369 Teluk Intan, Perak, Malaysia				
Group name if applicable:	Sime Darby Plantation Berhad				
Subsidiary of (if applicable) N/A					
Contact Person Name	Mdm. Shylaja Devi Vasudevan Nair (Head, Sustainability Unit PSQM)				
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1.2 Certification Information						
Certificate Number	690017					
Issue Date 09 February 2018		030017	Expiry date	08 February 2023		
		Sustainable Palm Oil and Palm Oil Products of Sustainable Oil Palm Fruits				
Stage 1 Date	N/A (The certification unit is RSPO certified)					
Stage 2 / Initial Assessm (IAV)	1, 2 & 4 November 2017					
Continuous Assessment	15 - 17 August 2018					
Continuous Assessment	22 – 24 July 2019					
Continuous Assessment	N/A					
Continuous Assessment	N/A					



Other Certifications						
Certificate Number	Standard(s)	Certificate Issued by	Expiry Date			
RSPO 590802	RSPO	BSI Services (M) Sdn Bhd	04/10/2021			
MSPO 714138	MSPO SCCS	BSI Services (M) Sdn Bhd	17/09/2024			

1.3 Location of Certification Unit							
Name of the Certification Unit (Palm Oil Mill/ Estate/	Site Address	GPS Reference of the site office					
Smallholder/ Independent Smallholder)	Site Address	Longitude	Latitude				
Flemington Palm Oil Mill (60 mt/hr)	Sungai Sumun, 36369 Teluk Intan, Perak, Malaysia	100° 51′ 26″ E	3° 55′ 41″ N				
Flemington Estate	Sungai Sumun, 36369 Teluk Intan, Perak, Malaysia	100° 52′ 84″ E	3° 53′ 46″ N				
Bagan Datoh Estate	Bagan Datoh, 36100 Perak, Malaysia	100° 47′ 24″ E	3° 59′ 33″ N				
Sungai Samak Estate	Ulu Bernam, 36500 Perak, Malaysia	101° 08′ 87″ E	3° 44′ 49″ N				
Sabak Bernam Estate	Sabak Bernam, 45200 Perak, Malaysia	101° 00′ 24″ E	3° 45′ 33″ N				

1.4 Plantings & Cycle						
Fatata			Age (Years) - ha	1		
Estate	0 - 3	4 - 10	11 - 20	21 - 25	26 - 30	
Flemington	689.29	528.11	444.18	131.34	-	
Bagan Datoh	1,410.39	1,374.48	428.65	387.53	4.44	
Sungai Samak	286.43	826.90	1,653.10	-	-	
Sabak Bernam	928.38	886.21	182.21	359.19	-	
Total	3,314.49	3,615.70	2,708.14	878.06	4.44	

1.5 FFB Production (Actual) and Projected (tonnage)							
Producer Group	Estimated (<i>October</i> 2018 – September 2019)	Actual (August 2018 – June 2019)	Forecast (<i>October 2019 – September 2020</i>)				
Flemington	26,200.00	23,078.03	36,484.43				
Bagan Datoh	61,322.00	60,599.51	77,861.58				
Sungai Samak	71,131.66	59,638.81	84,592.87				
Sabak Bernam	21,844.00	24,790.70	29,828.31				



Total 180,497.66 168,107.05 228,767.19
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1.6 Certified CPO / PK Tonnage						
Mill	Estimated (<i>October</i> 2018 – September 2019)	Actual (August 2018 – June 2019)	Forecast (<i>October 2019 – September 2020</i>)			
	CPO (OER: 20.50%)	CPO (OER: 20.05%)	CPO (OER: 21.70%)			
Flemington Palm Oil Mill	37,002.02	33,705.46	49,642.5			
60 MT/hr	PK (KER: 5.50%)	PK (KER: 5.15%)	PK (KER: 5.50%)			
	9,927.37	8,657.51	12,582.20			

1.7 Certified Area							
Estate	Total Planted (Mature + Immature) (ha)	HCV (ha)	Infrastructure & Other (ha)	Total Area (ha)	% of Planted		
Flemington	1,792.92	7.38	177.66	1,977.96	90.64		
Bagan Datoh	3,605.49	2.00	174.37	3,781.86	95.40		
Sungai Samak	2,766.43	0.49	251.50	3,018.42	91.65		
Sabak Bernam	2,355.99	1.24	154.56	2,511.79	93.80		
TOTAL	10,520.83	11.11	758.09	11290.03	93.22		

1.8 Details of Certification Assessment Scope and Certification Recommendation:

BSI Services Malaysia Sdn Bhd has conducted the Annual Surveillance 2 Certification Assessment of Strategic Operating Unit (SOU 4) - Flemington Palm Oil Mill located in Sungai Sumun 36369 Teluk Intan, Perak, Malaysia comprising 1 mill; 4 estates and infrastructures.

The assessment was conducted onsite to assess the compliance of the certification unit against the MS 2530-3:2013 Malaysian Sustainable Palm Oil (MSPO) Part 3: General principles for Plantations and Organized Smallholders and MS 2530-4:2013 Malaysian Sustainable Palm Oil (MSPO) Part 4: General principles for Palm Oil Mill.

The onsite assessment was conducted on 22 – 24 July 2019.

Based on the assessment result, Sime Darby Flemington SOU4 complies with the MS 2530-3:2013 Malaysian Sustainable Palm Oil (MSPO) Part 3: General principles for Plantations and Organized Smallholders and MS 2530-4:2013 Malaysian Sustainable Palm Oil (MSPO) Part 4: General principles for Palm Oil Mill and recommended for certification.



Section 2: Assessment Process

Certification Body:

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Assessment Methodology, Programme, Site Visits

This on-site assessment was conducted from 22 - 24/07/2019. The audit programme is included as Appendix A. The approach to the audit was to treat the mill or plantations as a MSPO Certification Unit. A range of environmental and social factors were covered. This includes consideration of topography, palm age, proximity to areas with HBVs, declared conservation areas and local communities.

The methodology for collection of objective evidence included physical site inspections, observation of tasks and processes, interviews of staff, workers and their families and external stakeholders, review of documentation and monitoring data. MS 2530-3:2013 and MS 2530-4:2013 were used to guide the collection of information to assess compliance. The comments made by external stakeholders were also taken into account in the assessment.

The estates or smallholders sample were determined based on formula $S = r\sqrt{n}$ where n is the number of estates while when applicable, the smallholders sample were determined following the MSPO Certification Requirement. The sampling of smallholders were based on the formula $(r\sqrt{n})$; where r is the risk factor (may defers 1, 1.5 and 2 depending on risk), where n is total number of group members. The sampled smallholder listed in Appendix C.

Meetings were held with stakeholders to seek their views on the performance of the company with respect to the MSPO requirements and aspects where they considered that improvements could be made. At the start of each meeting, the interviewer explained the purpose of the audit followed by an evaluation of the relationship between the stakeholder and the company before discussions proceeded. The interviewer recorded comments made by stakeholders and these have been incorporated into the assessment findings.

Structured worker interviews with male and female workers and staff were held in private at the workplace in the mill and the estates. Fieldworkers were interviewed informally in small groups in the field. In addition, the wives of workers and staff were interviewed in informal group meetings at their housing. Separate visits were made to each of the local communities to meet with the village head and residents. Company officials were not present at any of the internal or external stakeholder interviews. A list of Stakeholders contacted is included as Appendix B.

All the previous nonconformities are remains closed. The assessment findings for the initial assessment are detailed in Section 4.2.



This report is structured to provide a summary of assessment finding as attached in the Section 3. The assessment was based on random samples and therefore nonconformities may exist that have not been identified.

This report was externally reviewed by MSPO approved Peer Reviewer prior to certification decision by BSI.

The following table would be used to identify the locations to be audited each year in the 5 year cycle

1. Assessment Program						
Name (Mill / Plantation / Group smallholders)	Year 1 (Certification)	Year 2 (ASA 1)	Year 3 (ASA 2)	Year 4 (ASA 3)	Year 5 (ASA 4)	
Flemington Palm Oil Mill	√	√	√	√	√	
Flemington Estate	√	-	√	-	√	
Bagan Datoh Estate	√	-	√	-	√	
Sabak Bernam Estate	-	√	-	√	-	
Sungai Samak Estate	-	√	-	√	-	

Tentative Date of Next Visit: July 6, 2020 - July 8, 2020

Total No. of Mandays: 6

BSI Assessment Team:

Hu Ning Shing - Lead Assessor

She holds Bachelor Degree in Science majoring in Applied Chemistry, graduated from University of Malaya on 2011. She has 5 years working experience in rubber and palm oil industry. She also has the experiences as auditor for several standards including ISO 9001, MSPO and RSPO in her previous certification body. She completed the ISO 9001 Lead Auditor Course on 2016, Endorsed RSPO P&C Lead Auditor Course in 2012 and Endorsed RSPO SCCS Lead Auditor Course in 2015. She had been involved in RSPO auditing since November 2015 in more than various companies in Malaysia. During this assessment, she assessed on the aspects of social, legal, workers & stakeholders consultation and SCC for CPO mill. She is fluent in Bahasa Malaysia and English languages.

Mohamed Hidhir Zainal Abidin – Team Member

He holds Bachelor Degree in Chemical Engineering, graduated from National University of Malaysia on 2006. He has 7 years working experience in palm oil industry specifically on palm oil milling for 5 years. He also has the experiences as auditor for several standards including ISO 9001, ISO 140001, OHSAS 18001, MSPO and RSPO in his previous certification body. He completed the ISO 9001 Lead Auditor Course, ISO 14001 Lead Auditor Course and OHSAS 18001 Lead Auditor Course in 2012, Endorsed RSPO P&C Lead Auditor Course in 2013, MSPO Awareness Training in 2014 and Endorsed RSPO SCCS Lead Auditor Course in 2015. He had been involved in RSPO auditing since May 2012 in more than various companies in Malaysia. During this assessment, he assessed on the aspects of legal, mill best practices, safety and health, environmental and workers and stakeholders consultation.

Accompanying Persons: N/A



Section 3: Assessment Findings

3.1 Details of audit results

This assessment has be assessed using the following RSPO normative requirements. The assessment details are provided in Appendix A.

- ☐ MSPO MS 2530-2:2013 General Principles for Independent Smallholders
- ☑ MSPO MS 2530-3:2013 General Principles for Oil Palm Plantations and Organized Smallholders

3.2 Details of Nonconformities and Opportunity for improvement

The nonconformity is listed below.

During the Certification Assessment there were two (2) Minor nonconformities and three (3) opportunity for improvement raised. The key in certification unit name Certification unit submitted Corrective Action Plans for the nonconformity. Corrective action plans with respect to the nonconformity was reviewed by the BSI audit team and accepted.

The implementation of the corrective action plans to address the minor nonconformity will be followed up during the next surveillance assessment. The implementation of the Corrective Actions for the Major Nonconformity(ies) has been verified for it effectiveness and closed accordingly.

Minor Nonconformities:					
Ref	Area/Process Clause				
NC ID from eReport	1801305-201905-N1	4.4.5.11 Part 3			
Requirements:	In cases where on-site living quarters are p habitable and have basic amenities and facilities. Minimum Standards Housing and Amenities A applicable legislation.	s in compliance with the Workers'			
Statement of Nonconformity:	Condition of the living quarters was found unsat	isfactory.			
Objective Evidence:	Site visit to living quarters of New Coconut Division found the following issues: i. House No. 116 A and 116 B – Stay by replanting contractor's workers. 8 workers stay in 116 B with two bedrooms while 7 workers stay in 116 A with two bedrooms. This was not complied with the Housing Agreement signed by the contractors which only allowed 8 persons for 2 houses. Window glasses were missing and condition of the houses was unsatisfactory. ii. House No. 118 A and 118 B – Recyclable items such as tin and plastic bottles were found inside dustbin. iii. House 118 A – Ceiling lamp was found half hanging on the ceiling. iv. The flooring behind the backyard was found cracked and drainage was blocked with stagnant water.				
Corrections:	The Axillary Police (AP), take action to do monitoring on the head count for the contractor workers. Contractor it's self-need to declare the actual active workers to the estate. The management will do the comprehensive housing inspection and fast respond to the housing defeated complaint. Estate agreed to erect the recycle item bin at the housing area.				



Root cause analysis:	There is no comprehensive monitoring by the estate management on the numbers of the contractor workers and housing condition. The management only do the census and provide the sufficient accommodation for the contractor workers as per agreed in the agreement. Estate management didn't received any complaint or report regarding on the house defeated. Beside, the awareness on the implementation of the segregation recyclable item among the workers is unsatisfactory.	
Corrective Actions:	1. To enhance the understanding and create the awareness of the good environmental, management will conduct the refresher training for the segregation and recycle campaign.	
	2. The management will enforce to obstructing the contractor workers to enter the estate if they are not listed in the registration.	
	3. To brief the union or workers representative on the complaint procedure (housing issue).	
Assessment Conclusion:	The implementation of the corrective actions will be verified during next assessment.	

Minor Nonconformities:		
Ref	Area/Process	Clause
NC ID from eReport	1801305-201905-N2	4.5.5.1 Part 4
Requirements:	The management shall establish water management plans to maintain the quality and availability of natural water resources (surface and ground water). The water management plan may include: a) Assessment of water usage and sources. b) Monitoring of outgoing water which may have negative impacts into the natural waterways at a frequency that reflects the mill's current activities.	
Statement of Nonconformity:	Monitoring of outgoing water was not effectively	monitored.
Objective Evidence:	Based on report dated 25/6/19 (report no. IE6-IE315/2019), O&G was not tested due to insuffi in the certificate of analysis with reference to class Standard (NWQS).	cient sample as per remark stated
Corrections:	Mill Management will send more bottle for sampl all the result and inform to the management if the	
Root cause analysis:	The Mill management neglected the remarks from the sampling as stated in the jadual pematuhan.	
Corrective Actions:	After the sample received at the R&D, person in recheck the sample sufficient to O&G test. The F the all sample required.	
Assessment Conclusion:	The implementation of the corrective action assessment.	ns will be verified during next



Opportunity For Improvement		
Ref	Area/Process	Clause
NC ID from eReport	1801305-201905-I1	4.4.5.3 Part 3
Requirements:	Management shall ensure that employees' pay and conditions meet legal or industry minimum standards and as per agreed Collective Agreements. The living wage should be sufficient to meet basic needs and provide some discretionary income based on minimum wage.	
Objective Evidence:	The management could further investigate the rea 8 workers who received wages through cash.	son of rejection of the bank for the

Opportunity For Improvement		
Ref	Area/Process	Clause
NC ID from eReport	1801305-201905-I2	4.5.3.3 Part 3
Requirements:	The palm oil mill management shall establish Standard Operating Procedure for handling of used chemicals that are classified under Environmental Quality Regulations (Scheduled Waste) 2005, Environmental Quality Act, 1974 to ensure proper and safe handling, storage and disposal. Scheduled waste shall be disposed as per Environmental Quality Act 1974 (Scheduled Waste) Regulations, 2005	
Objective Evidence:	Retention of records for 6th schedule @ consignm of the consignment has yet to be consistently mai	

Opportunity For Improvement			
Ref	Area/Process	Clause	
NC ID from eReport	1801305-201905-I3	4.4.4.1 Part 4	
Requirements:	An occupational safety and health policy and plan shall be documented, effectively communicated and implemented.		
Objective Evidence:	Implementation and monitoring for OSH plan can be further improved related to the following elements:		
	 i) Contractor management - Monitoring of work area during/aft completion of job - To inspect condition of related working tools if activity 		
	ii) ii) Emergency response plan - Tl kits as per SDS	ne used of appropriate and suitable spill	

	Noteworthy Positive Comments
1	Good cooperation and commitment from the management and staff.
2	Management, staff and workers were able to demonstrate good understanding on sustainability.



3.3 Status of Nonconformities Previously Identified and OFI

Major Nonconformities:		
Area/Process	Clause	
Flemington POM and supply base	4.3.1.1	
i) All operations are in compliance with the apratified international laws and regulations. ii)Employment Act 1955, Clause 60, Section 3 employee employed on piece rates who works or his ordinary rate per piece."	subsection (d) "In the case of an	
Compliance with the Employment Act 1955 was	not effectively implemented.	
In Sungai Samak Estate, Yew Lian Division, sar found that they worked on rest day without pay piece. For the month of March 2018; employee worked 1 day on Employee no. 107855 has worked for 3 days on days on rest day and 134366 has workers on 1 April Employee no. 107855, 126839 and 134366 has the month of July 2018.	ring double of the normal rate per eno. 107855, 126839,134366 has their rest day. rest day, 126839 has worked for 3 day on rest day in the month of 2018.	
 Training on Employment Act 1955, particular provisions will be organized to Sungai Samak Estate 2. To cease the existing practice of paying loose workers with in-complete task. If work is offered paid twice of normal rate. Estate Management of documentation for Employee ID No. 107855, 12 	e fruit collectors on rest day for ad on rest day, workers will be will prepare the necessary 26839 and 134366 for March,	
not understand the legal requirement pertaining work on rest day provisions. 2. From our understanding, Section 60 (1) states that no employee shall day unless he is engaged in work which by reacarried on continuously or continually by two or This section essentially implies that both emplo for work to be carried out on a rest day Based on our further investigations, the Estate Section 60 (3) is not applicable because: 1. These employees were not required/instruct their supervisors to work on their rest day. To consent for them to work on a rest day;	be compelled to work on a rest ason of its nature requires to be more shifts etc yer and employee must consent Management is of the view that ted by the estate manager / Therefore, the estate did not	
	Flemington POM and supply base i) All operations are in compliance with the apratified international laws and regulations. ii)Employment Act 1955, Clause 60, Section 3 employee employed on piece rates who works on his ordinary rate per piece." Compliance with the Employment Act 1955 was In Sungai Samak Estate, Yew Lian Division, sar found that they worked on rest day without pay piece. For the month of March 2018; employee worked 1 day on Employee no. 107855 has worked for 3 days on days on rest day and 134366 has workers on 1 April Employee no. 107855, 126839 and 134366 has the month of July 2018. 1. Training on Employment Act 1955, particular provisions will be organized to Sungai Samak E. 2. To cease the existing practice of paying loos workers with in-complete task. If work is offered paid twice of normal rate. Estate Management documentation for Employee ID No. 107855, 17 April and July 2018 (the months the NCR was remained to understand the legal requirement pertaining work on rest day provisions. 2. From our understanding, Section 60 (1) states that no employee shall day unless he is engaged in work which by reactive or continuously or continually by two of this section essentially implies that both emplos for work to be carried out on a rest day Based on our further investigations, the Estate Section 60 (3) is not applicable because: 1. These employees were not required/instructheir supervisors to work on their rest day.	



	complete tasks that were assigned to them on their normal working days during the week;
	3. Full payment of their wages were made at the time they were assigned their tasks on normal working days during the week and therefore is subject to the normal rate of pay and not the rate for rest day.
	However, there are opportunities for improvements in the implementation / mechanism to document the productivity, work offered and not offered as well as consent for work to be carried out on rest day to ensure consistency in the manner that the estate manages this issue.
Corrective Actions:	i)Training on Employment Act 1955, particularly on work on rest day provisions will be organized to all Operating Units in SOU 4 Flemington by HQ.
	ii)Estate Management together with the relevant department e.g. HR, IR and Upstream Malaysia will work together on the definition of the work offered by developing proper mechanisms to document important elements e.g. monitoring of productivity and consent to work by both parties on rest day of the loose fruit pickers to ensure compliance with Section 60 (3) of the Employment Act 1955.
	iii)To disseminate and communicate the mechanism to all relevant parties by HR IR and Upstream Malaysia.
Assessment Conclusion:	1. Based on the productivity record, the loose fruit picker that worked on rest day were paid twice. The productivity record and piece rated input for loose fruit picker (Yew Lian Division) was sighted. September 2018 a. 107855 (2/9/18: 454kg, 16/9/18:366kg, 23/9/18: 513kg) b. 108053 (2/9/18: 198kg, 16/9/18: 380kg, 23/9/18: 218kg) c. 134366 (2/9/18: 238kg, 16/9/18: 303kg, 23/9/18: 418kg)
	October 2018 a. 107855 (7/10/18:451kg,14/10/18:476kg, 28/10/18: 432kg) b. 108053 (14/10/18: 356kg, 28/10/18: 324kg) c. 134366 (7/10/18: 377kg, 14/10/18: 398kg,28/10/18:397kg)
	 2. Sample payslip workers; a. 107855 (Sept 18 – 3 days work on rest day, Oct 18 – 3 days work on rest days), b. 108053 (Sep 18 – 3 days work on rest day, Oct 18 – 2 days work on rest day) c. 134366 (Sep 18 – 3 days work on rest day, Oct 18 – 3 days work on rest day)
	3. Training on employment act was done on 31/10/2018 by Group IR, Sime Darby Plantation Berhad (HQ), Mr Mohd Akmal Md Zainal. The management of Sg Samak Estate (Manager, Assistant, Chief Clerk and other staff) was attended the training.
	Corrective action is found to be effective, thus the major NC was closed on 09/11/18 supported with sufficient documented evidence. Continuous implementation will be further verified in the assessment.
Status during ASA 2:	During the ASA2, sampled of payslip for December 2019, January 2019, March 2019 and June 2019 as below found that worked on rest day was paid according to the Employment Act 1955 as verified through the system.
	i. Employee No.: 21256 (FE)



i	i. Employee No.: 121795 (FE)
ii	i. Employee No.: 147117 (FE)
iv	v. Employee No.: 145195 (FE)
	v. Employee No.: 144949 (FE)
v	i. Employee No.: 92570 (BDE)
vi	i. Employee No.: 139934 (BDE)
vii	i. Employee No.: 134436 (BDE)
i i	k. Employee No.: 141407 (BDE)
	k. Employee No.: 139124 (BDE)
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	us, the implementation of corrective action was found effective and major non-
COI	nformance remained closed on 24/7/2019.

Opportunity For Improvement		
Ref	Area/Process	Clause
1672920-201808-I1	Flemington POM and supply base	4.4.5.11 (part 3)
Requirements:	In cases where on-site living quarters are provided, these quarters shall be habitable and have basic amenities and facilities.	
Objective Evidence:	Observed at Yew Lian Division line site, a few sit further related to: i) Clogged and stagnant water at parameter and hii) Water container to be kept closed and consis larvae. iii) Avoidance of poultry and availability of signage site. Monitoring of drug and medicine - Currently stock basis to check incoming and issuance of medicine further to include monitoring of expiry of medicinuse.	for any prohibited activities at line tk check carried out on fortnightly ne. The process can be improved
Status during ASA 2:	During ASA2, the opportunity for improvement to was not closed and escalated to minor non-conformation.	

3.4 Issues Raised by Stakeholders

IS#	Description		
1	Feedbacks:		
	Contractors – They have signed on the agreement prior commence of work. They were understood on the terms and conditions such as the payment terms and the compliance of MSPO requirements. They informed that the payment made by company was on time. In conclusion, they have good relationship with the managements.		
	Management Responses:		
	The management will continue to maintain good relationship with the contractors.		



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3.5 Summary of the Nonconformities and Status

CAR Ref.	CLASS	ISSUED	STATUS
1672920-201808-M1- 4.3.1.1	Major	17/8/2018	Closed out on 9/11/2018.
1801305-201905-N1 –	Minor	24/7/2019	"Open"
4.4.5.11 Part 3			
1801305-201905-N2 –	Minor	24/7/2019	"Open"
4.5.5.1 Part 4			



3.6 Summary of the findings by Principles and Criteria

MS 2530-3:2013 Malaysian Sustainable Palm Oil (MSPO) Part 3: General principles for Plantations and Organized Smallholders

	on / Indicator	Assessment Findings	Compliance		
4.1 Principle 1: Management commitment & responsibility					
Criterio	n 4.1.1 – Malaysian Sustainable Palm Oil (MSPO) Policy				
4.1.1.1	A policy for the implementation of MSPO shall be established. - Major compliance -	Head, Global Sustainability Operations, Mr. Tang Men Kon has issued an inter-office mail (Ref. No.: SQM.RSPO.1811/22.11) dated 23/11/2018 regarding the statement on commitment towards MSPO implementation. Sime Darby Plantation Berhad is committed to comply and implement the MSPO certification to demonstrate our commitment towards the production of certified sustainable palm oil products.	Complied		
4.1.1.2	The policy shall also emphasize commitment to continual improvement. - Major compliance -	In the memorandum above, Sime Darby has clearly emphasized to achieve commitment towards a systematic approach in ensuring continuous improvement in the operation, compliance to statutory, legal and other regulatory requirements and establishment of traceability within the supply chain.	Complied		
Criterio	n 4.1.2 – Internal Audit				
4.1.2.1	Internal audit shall be planned and conducted regularly to determine the strong and weak points and potential area for further improvement. - Major compliance -	RSPO & MSPO Internal Audit for Y2019 was carried out on 11-12/3/2019 for Flemington Estate and 5-6/3/2019 for Bagan Datoh Estate by Sustainability Unit, GSQM Department & RSQM. The audit was carried out based on MS 2530-3:2013, MS 2530-4:2013, RSPO P&C MYNI 2014 and RSPO SCCS 2017. There were total 2 Major Nonconformities, 4 Minor Non-conformities and 5 Opportunity for Improvement raised for MSPO in Flemington Estate and 2 Major Nonconformities, 1 Minor Non-conformities and 2 Opportunity for	Complied		



Criterio	on / Indicator	Assessment Findings	Compliance
		Improvement raised for MSPO in Bagan Datoh Estate. The methodology of audit was documentation review, interview and site observations.	
4.1.2.2	The internal audit procedures and audit results shall be documented and evaluated, followed by the identification of strengths and root causes of nonconformities, in order to implement the necessary corrective action. - Major compliance -	Sime Darby Plantation Berhad has developed Internal Audit Procedure, Doc. No.: SD/SDP/PSQM/IAP, Rev. 2 dated 1/11/2017. The frequency of the internal audit shall be carried out at least once a year. There was total 2 Major Non-conformities, 4 Minor Non-conformities and 5 Opportunity for Improvement raised in Flemington Estate and 2 Major Non-conformities, 1 Minor Non-conformities and 2 Opportunity for Improvement raised for MSPO in Bagan Datoh Estate. Root causes and corrective action plan were discussed during the management review meeting.	Complied
4.1.2.3	Report shall be made available to the management for their review. - Major compliance -	The internal audit report has distributed to the mill's management and Sime Darby Plantation HQ management. Management review meeting was conducted to review the findings of the internal audit.	Complied
Criterio	n 4.1.3 – Management Review		
4.1.3.1	The management shall periodically review the continuous suitability, adequacy and effectiveness of the requirements for effective implementation of MSPO and decide on any changes, improvement and modification. - Major compliance -	Management review between executives and staffs was carried out once a month to review the suitability, adequacy and effectiveness of implementation of MSPO and other operations. The latest management review was carried out on 22/3/2019. Meeting was chaired by Flemington Estate's Manager and attended by other relevant personnel.	Complied
		A Management Review Meeting: MSPO/ RSPO Internal Consultative Assessment Report was conducted on 12/3/2019 in Bagan Datoh	



on / Indicator	Assessment Findings	Compliance
	Estate. The meeting was chaired by Senior Manager and attended by other personnel.	
n 4.1.4 — Continual Improvement		
The action plan for continual improvement shall be based on consideration of the main social and environmental impact and opportunities of the company. - Major compliance -	SOU4 estates had a documented continual improvement plan for 2017/2018. The plan was on: Communication & whistle blower (Social): 1. To communicate it at Stakeholders meetings. 2. To communicate it to workers. 3. To display the procedure. Removal of schedule waste (Environmental): 1. To collect and keep the SW at estate store. 2. Disposing SW weekly 3. Inspection by HA every week concurrent with line site inspection. To increase awareness on Safety & Health (OSH): 1. To conduct safety campaigns. 2. To conduct safety trainings.	Complied
The company shall establish a system to improve practices in line with new information and techniques or new industry standards and technology (where applicable) that are available and feasible for adoption. - Major compliance -	SDPB Research & Development department was responsible for improving practices in line with new information and techniques or new industry standards and technology. The improvements were then included as procedures into their best practices manuals like Agriculture Reference Manual (ARM), EQMS, etc. SD3 system using MTG (Mini Tractor Grabber) has been used widely in the estate due 100% flat area. Other mechanized operation such as	Complied
	The action plan for continual improvement shall be based on consideration of the main social and environmental impact and opportunities of the company. - Major compliance - The company shall establish a system to improve practices in line with new information and techniques or new industry standards and technology (where applicable) that are available and feasible for adoption.	Estate. The meeting was chaired by Senior Manager and attended by other personnel. The action plan for continual improvement shall be based on consideration of the main social and environmental impact and opportunities of the company. - Major compliance - SOU4 estates had a documented continual improvement plan for 2017/2018. The plan was on: - Communication & whistle blower (Social): 1. To communicate it to workers. 3. To display the procedure. - Removal of schedule waste (Environmental): 1. To collect and keep the SW at estate store. 2. Disposing SW weekly 3. Inspection by HA every week concurrent with line site inspection. - To increase awareness on Safety & Health (OSH): 1. To conduct safety campaigns. 2. To conduct safety trainings. The company shall establish a system to improve practices in line with new information and techniques or new industry standards and technology (where applicable) that are available and feasible for adoption. - Major compliance -



Criterio	on / Indicator	Assessment Findings	Compliance
4.1.4.3	An action plan to provide the necessary resources including training, to implement the new techniques or new industry standard or technology (where applicable) shall be established. - Major compliance -	has been introduced to increase efficiency rate and productivity. Approved budget for mechanization as per the following items: Flemington Estate i) Sime Kubota MTG L3200DT(mini tractor grabber) ii) 1.5 ton Gooseneck single scissor lift iii) Mechanical buffalo (LF100 sprayer) semi mechanized Bagan Datoh Estate i) Sime Kubota L3200DT x 2 units ii) Water gate project Provisions were made in the annual and forecast business plans / budgets for the necessary resources including training, to implement the new techniques. The latest in best practices introduced and implemented towards mechanized operation. Example kaizen sheet @ lean six sigma project sighted as the following: i) To reduce monthly backhoe hours utilization from 400 to 300 hours. ii) To reduce EVIT running cot for spraying activ0ty form RM18 to RM 8 per hour iii) To reduce security expenses cost by reducing 1 man day at main division on Sunday and Public Holiday	Complied
4.2 Prin	ciple 2: Transparency		
Criterion	4.2.1 – Transparency of information and documents relevant	to MSPO requirements	
4.2.1.1	The management shall communicate the information requested by the relevant stakeholders in the appropriate languages and forms, except those limited by commercial confidentiality or	Sime Darby Plantation Berhad has developed Estate Quality Management System — Procedure for External Communication, Appendix 5.5.3.2, version 1 dated 1/4/2008 to put in place a system to effectively communicate with external interested parties on matters pertaining to performance of the mill. Timeframe for external	Complied



Criterion / Indicator		Assessment Findings	Compliance
	disclosure that could result in negative environmental or social outcomes. - Major compliance -	communication to provide feedback within two weeks of the date of receipt for communication requiring direct feedback and within one week of the completion of the investigation for communication requiring investigation. Manager is responsible for address the communication and requests.	
4.2.1.2	Management documents shall be publicly available, except where this is prevented by commercial confidentiality or where disclosure of information would result in negative environmental or social outcomes. - Major compliance -	The management has disseminate the information of the documents that made publicly available such as management plan, OSH plan, audit reports and land titles upon request during the stakeholder meetings. Besides, internal and external stakeholders could access to the company's website (http://www.simedarbyplantation.com/Sustainability.aspx) to obtain information such as policies, annual report and complaint procedures. Policies were displayed at the notice board of the respective operating units as well.	Complied
Criterio	n 4.2.2 – Transparent method of communication and consult	ation	
4.2.2.1	Procedures shall be established for consultation and communication with the relevant stakeholders. - Major compliance -	Sime Darby Plantation Berhad has developed Estate Quality Management System - Procedure for External Communication, Appendix 5.5.3.2, version 1 dated 1/4/2008 to put in place a system to effectively communicate with external interested parties. Timeframe for external communication to provide feedback within two weeks of the date of receipt for communication requiring direct feedback and within one week of the completion of the investigation for communication requiring investigation.	Complied
		Besides, the company has developed a documented procedure in Sustainable Plantation Management System on handling social issues, Appendix 5, Version 1, and Issue No.1, dated 01/11/2008. The	



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		procedure has detailing the process of handling social issues raised by the stakeholders and resolve in an effective, timely and appropriate manner.	
4.2.2.2	for issues related to Indicator 1 at each operating unit.	Assistant Manager and few appointed staffs of the Flemington Estate has been appointed as Social Officer to handle any issue related to social in the estate. Seen the appointment letter dated 1/1/2019 issued by the Estate Manager.	Complied
		Acting Senior Manager of Bagan Datoh Estate has been appointed as Social Officer to handle issue related to social in the estate. Appointment letter dated 1/7/2019 was sighted.	
4.2.2.3	List of stakeholders, records of all consultation and communication and records of action taken in response to input from stakeholders should be properly maintained. - Major compliance -	A combine stakeholder meeting for Flemington POM and Flemington Estate was conducted on 9/7/2019 with the participation of stakeholders such as contractors, government authorities and local communities. Seen the meeting minutes and photo evident of the meeting. Issues were raised during the meeting and incorporated into Action Plan for Social Impact Assessment.	Complied
		Stakeholder list was developed which included local communities, suppliers, contractors, government authorities and supplying estates.	
		Bagan Datoh Estate has carried out stakeholder meeting on 19/2/2019 with participation of affected parties such as contractors, government authorities, smallholders and local communities. Seen the meeting minutes and no issue was reported by the stakeholders.	
Criterio	n 4.2.3 – Traceability		
4.2.3.1	The management shall establish, implement and maintain a	Sime Darby Plantation has developed Plantation Quality Management System – Standard Operating Procedure for Sustainable Supply Chain	Complied



Criterio	on / Indicator	Assessment Findings	Compliance
	standard operating procedure to comply with the requirements for traceability of the relevant product(s). - Major compliance -	and Traceability, Doc. No.: Appendix 15, Version 2 dated April 2019. The objective of the procedure is to provide guideline for estates to establish and ensure effective implementation on sustainable supply chain and traceability of certified sustainable materials (FFB). Procedure of incoming of FFB and outgoing of CPO was explained in the procedure.	
4.2.3.2	The management shall conduct regular inspections on compliance with the established traceability system. - Major compliance -	The management conducted regular inspections on compliance with the established traceability system. Seen the Checkroll - FFB Despatch Details report where updated on daily basis. Sampled of FFB Despatch Detail on 17/6/2019 with total Estate Weight of 80,980 kgs in Flemington Estate and 11/7/2019 with total Estate Weight of 197,110 kgs in Bagan Datoh Estate. The company is using SAP system and CRS system to monitor the daily input and output.	Complied
4.2.3.3	The management should identify and assign suitable employees to implement and maintain the traceability system. - Minor compliance -	The Estates' Manager has the overall responsibility for the implementation of the Standard Operating Procedure for Sustainable Supply Chain and Traceability. Besides, estate manager has appointed Assistant Manager in Flemington Estate and Senior Assistant Manager in Bagan Datoh Estate as the person-in-charge for monitoring of the mass balance incoming and outgoing, sustainable and non-sustainable materials. Seen the appointment letter dated 12/10/2017 and 1/7/2019 respectively.	Complied
4.2.3.4	Records of sales, delivery or transportation of FFB shall be maintained. - Major compliance -	The were no sale of FFB carried out by Flemington Estate and Bagan Datoh Estate because all its FFB were sent own company's mill. Records of FFB delivery to the mill were maintained and sampled recorded as below:	Complied
		Flemington Estate: i. FFB Consignment Note# 58648 dated 20/7/2019; Field No.: 2016F; Vehicle No.: WAU 1537; Weight: 7,470 kg	



Criterio	on / Indicator	Assessment Findings	Compliance
4.3 Prin	ciple 3: Compliance to legal requirements	ii. FFB Consignment Note# 58610 dated 25/6/2019; Field No.: 2016F; Vehicle No.: WAU 1537; Weight: 6,820 kg Bagan Datoh Estate: i. Weighbridge Ticket# 73541 dated 13/6/2019; Field No.: 95M1; Vehicle No.: AAV9258-1N; Weight: 8,500 kg ii. Weighbridge Ticket# 74091 dated 9/7/2019; Field No.: 2014D; Vehicle No.: BBM3588-6N; Weight: 6,000 kg	
Criterio	n 4.3.1 – Regulatory requirements		
4.3.1.1	All operations are in compliance with the applicable local, state, national and ratified international laws and regulations. - Major compliance -	A mechanism to ensure compliance to legal and other requirement has been documented in EQMS & MQMS (Estate & Mill Quality Management System) under Standard Operation Manual distributed to all operating units under SOU4. PSQM Department and respective operating units will undertake the responsibility of identifying, managing, updating and tracking the legal requirement as well as monitoring the status of legal compliance. Refer to Estate/Mill Quality Management System, Level 2: Standard Operating Manual, Appendix 5.2.4: Procedure for Legal and Other Requirements dated 10 December 2008. Licenses/permit checked at Flemington Estate: Licence/permit Walidity Period 1 MPOB selling and transporting of 1/12/18 – 30/11/19 FFB license: 525193002000 Diesel Storage license: Valid until 29/10/19 TI/SK/028(02), serial no.:A035956	Complied



Criterio	n / Indicator		Assessment Fine	dings		Compliance
		3 Baga 1 2 3 4	Diesel: 20,000 litre Petrol: 100 litre Air compressor license PMT- 103618 an Datoh Estate Licence/permit MPOB selling and transporting of FFB license: 525521002000 Diesel Storage license: TI/SK/015(02), serial no.:A035957 Diesel: 13,000 litre Air compressor license PK PMT 3646 Permit to buy highly toxic/controlled chemical for	Valid until 4/11/19 Valid until 8/4/20		
4.3.1.2	The management shall list all laws applicable to their		Acephate, PRK/2019/ACP/021(GL) Quantity: 230 kg of applicable legal and other require ng the assessment and compiled in the	ements was made avai		Complied
	operations in a legal requirements register. - Major compliance -		a) Documented procedure has implemented refer to Estate/Mill C Level 2: Standard Operating Procedure for Legal and Othe December 2008. b) The Legal & Other Requirements	been established Quality Management Sys Manual, Appendix 5 er Requirements dated	and stem, 5.2.4: d 10	



Criterion / Indicator		Assessment Findings	Compliance
		the necessary regulatory requirements.	
4.3.1.3	The legal requirements register shall be updated as and when there are any new amendments or any new regulations coming into force. - Major compliance -	Tracking system available to identify changes in the relevant regulations through head office, website information and the information are communicated from the Group Head Office. The latest change in regulation applicable to the POM operation is the Labour Law.	Complied
		The Legal & Other Requirements Register (LORR) covers all the necessary regulatory requirements. The LORR for both the estates was reviewed on 1/1/18 to include the Employment Insurance System EIS for compliance.	
4.3.1.4	The management should assign a person responsible to monitor compliance and to track and update the changes in regulatory requirements.	Tracking system available to identify changes in the relevant regulations through head office, website information and the information are communicated from the Group Head Office.	Complied
	- Minor compliance -		
Criterio	n 4.3.2 – Lands use rights		
4.3.2.1	The management shall ensure that their oil palm cultivation activities do not diminish the land use rights of other users.	The was no evidence to show that oil palm cultivation activities Flemington Estate and Bagan Datoh Estate had diminished the land use rights of others. Verified documents to show legal ownership of its	Complied
	- Major compliance -	land and interviewed with local communities confirmed that no activities of oil palm that has diminished the land user rights.	
4.3.2.2	The management shall provide documents showing legal ownership or lease, history of land tenure and the actual use of the land.	Verified the land titles shown that the legal ownership of the company. Sample of land title based on the latest quit rent for 2019 are:	Complied
	- Major compliance -	Flemington Estate:	



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		 i. No. Hakmilik: 141481; Lot No.: 5138; Area Lot: 446.4 ha; District: Hilir Perak ii. No. Hakmilik: 1885; Lot No.: 1661; Area Lot: 2.1499 ha; District: Hilir Perak 	
		 Bagan Datoh Estate: No. Hakmilik: 46870; Lot No.: 1012; Area Lot: 131.0674 ha; District: Hilir Perak No. Hakmilik: 53891; Lot No.: 701; Area Lot: 468.6227 ha; District: Hilir Perak 	
4.3.2.3	Legal perimeter boundary markers should be clearly demarcated and visibly maintained on the ground where practicable. - Major compliance -	During the field visit it was noted that legal boundaries are clearly demarcated and visibly maintained at Flemington Estate. Field P17C is adjacent to Village and QR mil and boundary marker/stone is demarcated and visibly maintained on the ground.	Complied
4.3.2.4	Where there are, or have been, disputes, documented proof of legal acquisition of land title and fair compensation that have been or are being made to previous owners and occupants; shall be made available and that these should have been accepted with free prior informed consent (FPIC).	There is no land dispute in the Flemington Estate and Bagan Datoh Estate at the time of audit. The land belongs to Sime Darby Plantation Berhad and land ownership documents verified.	Complied
	- Minor compliance -		



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4.3.3.1	Where lands are encumbered by customary rights, the company shall demonstrate that these rights are understood and are not being threatened or reduced.	There is no customary land or negotiated agreements within the Flemington Estate and Bagan Datoh Estate land area.	Complied
	- Major compliance -		
4.3.3.2	Maps of an appropriate scale showing extent of recognized customary rights land, if any, should made available.	The right to use the land is not disputed and there were no customary land within the Flemington Estate and Bagan Datoh Estate.	Complied
	- Minor compliance -		
4.3.3.3	Negotiation and FPIC shall be recorded and copies of negotiated agreements should be made available.	There is no land dispute or customary rights issues in the Flemington Estate and Bagan Datoh Estate.	Complied
	- Major compliance -		
4.4 Prin	ciple 4: Social responsibility, health, safety and emplo	oyment condition	
Criterio	n 4.4.1: Social Impact Assessment (SIA)		
4.4.1.1	Social impact should be identified and plans are implemented to mitigate the negative impacts and promote the positive ones. - Minor compliance —	Social Impact Assessment was carried out by Sustainability Strategy Unit, PSQM Department on $27/7 - 1/7/2016$ which covered for whole SOU 4 Flemington. The method of assessment was through interview, field observation and documentation review. The assessment has involved the participation of relevant stakeholders such as local authorities, workers' representatives, contractors and local communities.	Complied
		Flemington Estate: Action Plan for Social Impact Assessment was developed and monitored by the estates' management. The findings in the action plan were extracted from stakeholder meeting and complaints book. The	



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	latest management plan for FY2019 dated 13/7/2019 was sighted. For eg: i. Area of concern: Request to construct building at estate land at Flemington Division, Field 2015B (Road to Kg. Baru, Batu 16). Action Plan: The area is under temporary occupational lease. Any matter, need to get approval from District Office @ Bagan Datuk. Status: The management has replied a letter dated 8/12/2018 to the requester to inform that the company does not have the right to allow anyone to construct at the area. The management informed the representative to contact Land Office/ District Office to get approval. Acknowledgement of receipt of the letter by the representative was sighted. Bagan Datoh Estate: The Senior Assistant has developed Social Impact Assessment Plan FY2019 on 1/7/2019 to identify the area of concerns and action plan to be carry out. Sampled of the area of concerns and action to be taken as below: i. Area of concern: Discuss regarding annual leave take for Bagan Datoh Division and Melentang Division. Action Plan: Discussion between estate management and union team and agreed with the management. Status: Seen the Union meeting minutes conducted on 1/2/2019 that the Union representatives and management have mutually agreed on the annual leave schedule for public holiday. Schedule for Annual Leave was sighted as well.	



Criterio	on / Indicator	Assessment Findings	Compliance
Criterio	n 4.4.2: Complaints and grievances		
4.4.2.1	A system for dealing with complaints and grievances shall be established and documented. - Major compliance -	The company has developed a documented procedure in Sustainable Plantation Management System on handling social issues, Appendix 5, Version 1, and Issue No.1, dated 01/11/2008. The procedure has detailing the process of handling social issues raised by the stakeholders and resolve in an effective, timely and appropriate manner.	Complied
		Sime Darby Plantation Berhad has developed Estate Quality Management System - Procedure for External Communication, Appendix 5.5.3.2, and version 1 dated 1/4/2018 to put in place a system to effectively communicate with external interested parties. Timeframe for external communication to provide feedback within two weeks of the date of receipt for communication requiring direct feedback and within one week of the completion of the investigation for communication requiring investigation.	
4.4.2.2	The system shall be able to resolve disputes in an effective, timely and appropriate manner that is accepted by all parties. - Major compliance -	The Eleminator Estate and Ragan Datch Estate has implemented	Complied
4.4.2.3	A complaint form should be made available at the premises, where employees and affected stakeholders can make a complaint. - Minor compliance -	The Flemington Estate and Bagan Datoh Estate's management has maintained Complaint Book and Housing Repair Book to receive any complaints or grievances from stakeholders. The complaints lodged related to housing repair were resolved accordingly and it was acknowledged by the complaints after the action has been taken. For eg: The bedroom's lamp at House No. 125A was malfunction reported on 4/4/2019. The management has assigned contractor to carry out	Complied



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		repair work and seen the Invoice No.: 0859 dated 12/4/2019. The complainant has acknowledged on the completed work.	
made aware that complaints or suggestions can be made any time		Interviewed with the internal and external stakeholders during stakeholder consultation found that they were aware of the complaint procedure and they were briefed by the management during stakeholder meeting.	Complied
	- Minor compliance -		
4.4.2.5	Complaints and resolutions for the last 24 months shall be documented and made available to affected stakeholders upon request.	Record review found that previous complaints and requests from March 2016 were still available in Flemington Estate and Bagan Datoh Estate.	Complied
	- Major compliance -		
Criterion	4.4.3: Commitment to contribute to local sustainable develo	opment	
4.4.3.1	Growers should contribute to local development in consultation with the local communities. - Minor compliance -	Flemington Estate's management has made contribution to the local communities such as offered job opportunity to the local people. Beisdes, donation to school for the construction of new hut in the school compound and donation to NUPW for their activities. Seen the both payments voucher records dated 22/5/2019. Bagan Datoh Estate's management has provided the estate's area for the school to carry out cross country event, donated to school sport's day and contributed funds to temple's event. Besides, job opportunities were offered to the local communities as verified through the	Complied
		employee master listing and interviewed with the local communities.	
Criterion	4.4.4: Employees safety and health		



Criterio	on / Indicator	Assessment Findings	Compliance
4.4.4.1	An occupational safety and health policy and plan shall be documented, effectively communicated and implemented. - Major compliance -	The Group Occupational Safety & Health Management Policy had been established and implemented for all mills and estates. a) The policy was signed by the Managing Director of Sime Darby Plantation on January 2015 and displayed prominently on notice boards in English and local language Bahasa Malaysia. b) The Policy is implemented through the OSH activities by the on-site Safety Officers and monitored by OSH Manager from Head Office. c) Included in the policy is the commitment of the Company to provide and maintain a safe and healthy working environment of its employees & contractors & visitors. In interviews with the workers and staff during the site visit (Flemington Estate Field 2015T, workshop, SW store, general store) revealed that the employees had been briefed and understood the intent of the policy.	Complied
4.4.4.2	 The occupational safety and health plan shall cover the following: a) A safety and health policy, which is communicated and implemented. b) The risks of all operations shall be assessed and documented. c) An awareness and training programme which includes the following requirements for employees exposed to pesticides: all employees involved shall be adequately trained on safe working practices 	Briefings to employees are made through town hall and briefing session. Sighted records of the Town Hall program held at both the estates. The last session was conducted by ESH regional team on 15/4/19 at Flemington Estate. Apart from specific session, safety policy and targets were available on notice board in both English & Bahasa Malaysia. HIRARC for both estates are available for review. All the operation and non-operation activities were covered. HIRARC for both the estates were sighted having details as follows of common activities. No Activity	Complied



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ii. all precautions attached to products shall be properly observed and applied	1	Office		9	Pruning 8 harvesting	ķ	
d) The management shall provide the appropriate PPE at the	2	Security		10	Manuring		
place of work to cover all potentially hazardous operations as	4	Weeding P&D		11 12	Replanting Waste		
identified in the risk assessment and control such as Hazard Identification, Risk Assessment and Risk Control (HIRARC).	5	Boundary census	&	13	Workshop		
e) The management shall establish Standard Operating	6	Road bridge	es	14	Nursery		
Procedure for handling of chemicals to ensure proper and safe handling and storage in accordance to Occupational Safety	7	Drainage culverts	&	15	Break time		
Health (Classification Packaging and Labeling) Regulation 1997 and Occupational Safety Health (Use and Standard of Exposure of Chemical Hazardous to Health) Regulation 2000.	8	transportati		16	Weighbridge		
f) The management shall appoint responsible person(s) for workers' safety and health. The appointed person(s) of trust		igton Estate ence of accid		t revi	ew was conducted	on 4/4/19 after	
and collective agreements.	pestici	des and che		_	the workers and s following training	•	
g) The management shall conduct regular two-way	record		I		- · ·	1	
communication with their employees where issues affecting their business such as employee's health, safety and welfare	1	Date 12/7/19	IPM –	ВОВ с	Training ensus training		
are discussed openly. Records from such meeting are kept and the concerns of the employees and any remedial actions	1	13/6/19	PPE tra	aining	-spraying		
taken are recorded.		3/7/19	Inter-p	ump (calibration and maint	enance	
h) Accident and emergency procedures shall exist and		19/3/19	Trunk	injecti	on training		
instructions shall be clearly understood by all employees.		9/4/19	USECH	H 200	0 training		
		26/4/19	RB spr	aying	method		



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 i) Employees trained in First Aid should be present at all field operations. A First Aid Kit equipped with approved contents should be available at each worksite. j) Records shall be kept of all accidents and be reviewed periodically at quarterly intervals. - Major compliance - 	Details of other competency). OSH are initiated from inspection on PPE, The estates provide helmets, safety should be requirement. Standard and CHF. Both estates had available in PSQM. Chemical Safety Manager and Chemical Sa	training are available 4.4.6.1 (training and programs are also included. Common programs HQ level e.g. OSH meeting, workplace inspection, training on MSPO/RSPO etc. de PPE to the employees such as apron, safety oes relevant to the work handled by the workers. is based on company's SOP (Pictorial Safety A assessor's recommendation. established SOP for chemical handling. This is — Operational Control Procedure under subject anagement. This includes compliance related to Conduct/reassess CHRA (conducted on 23rd July & 7th August 2015. Review of chemical register Chemical management assessment review Conduct health surveillance. as sighted. The latest medical surveillance was une 2019 for group of sprayers by registered OHD, 1 under Sabak Dispensary. Based on the result, all to be fit to work. As for Bagan Datoh estate, the reillance was carried out on 27/6/19 by registered /00/279. From the report, all workers sent for the are fit to work.	



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	Both the Estate Managers were appointed as the Chairman of the ESH committee, letters of appointment signed by the Regional CEO were sighted. No changes noted for the ESH committee at Flemington Estate. For Bagan Datoh Estate, new manager has been appointed as Safety & Health Committee Chairman effective from 1/7/19. The Senior Assistant/Assistants in turn were assigned as the OSH coordinator and responsible for all safety and environmental issues. All appointments are valid for a 2-year term. Both estates management conduct regular two-way communication with their employees through the quarterly ESH meeting. The minutes of meeting for Flemington Estate on 12//7/19, 26/4/19 and 22/1/19 were sighted and verified. Workers during the meeting participated in the discussion mainly on line site and safety. The agenda discussed during the ESH meeting among other includes the following; i) Accident incidences/SIME CARD report/HIRARC /visit from PQSM-OSH/GCAD report/safety report for Contractors/OSH program/medical surveillance. For Bagan Datoh estate, latest minute of meeting dated 25/6/29 is referred to.	
	Accident and emergency procedures are available. There was formation of ERP Team & ERP for all the identified incidences. The organisation chart for the ERP team was established and displayed for information of the employees. The important telephone contact numbers were also provided therein. ERT are initiated for fire & flood, chemical spillage & motor vehicle, wild & poisonous animal attack, first aid team. Procedures guidelines were produced by PSQM and	



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	amended to tailor to the situation differences in the estates and mills. Sighted latest fire drills report dated 19/5/19.			
	Both estates trained their nominated employees for First Aid main those involved in the field operations. A First Aid Kit equipped will approved 17 items are available and replenished on a weekly base Distribution of the 1st Aid Kit for both the estates are made at the following places/personnel;			
	Office / AP Post / Chemical Store / Fertiliser Store / Workshop / Field staff / Mandores. The boxes kept by the mandore were sighted during the field visit. Both Estates had regular monthly briefing to the 1st Aid Kit holders on the management of the content and usage.			
	Records of all accidents are kept. Accident are reviewed during safety meetings. Reported to DOSH via JKKP 6/JKKP 8 and to Sime Darby's headquarters using online system called SMS-IT.			
	Year Flemington Estate Bagan Datoh Estate			
	1 2018 3 cases (41 LTI) 5 cases (78 LTI)			
	2 2019 1 case (19 LTI) 0 case			
	Most of the accident reported categorized under class III (temporary disability).			
	HIRARC was reviewed accordingly and investigation was also held by the committee. Annual reporting to DOSH via JKKP 8 was sighted, reference no. JKKP 8/27558/2018 dated 18/1/19.			



Criterion / Indicator		Assessment Findings	Compliance		
Criterio	Criterion 4.4.5: Employment conditions				
4.4.5.1	The management shall establish policy on good social practices regarding human rights in respect of industrial harmony. The policy shall be signed by the top management and effectively communicated to the employees. - Major compliance -	Sime Darby Plantation Bhd has developed Social and Humanity Management policy covers the necessary aspects of human rights. Employees are aware of their rights and workers and staff union monitor to ensure no violations. Briefing of policies were given to the workers and contractors on 12/7/2019 and 17/7/2019 in Flemington Estate and 7/2/2019 in Bagan Datoh Estate. Seen the training attendance list.	Complied		
4.4.5.2	The management shall not engage in or support discriminatory practices and shall provide equal opportunity and treatment regardless of race, colour, sex, religion, political opinion, nationality, social origin or any other distinguishing characteristics. - Major compliance -	SDPB has implemented Social Policy, Social & Humanity Management Policy dated January 2015 where the management is committed to treat all employees fairly in terms of recruitment, progression, terms and conditions of work and representation regardless of race, caste, nationality, gender, sexual orientation, union membership, political view, religion and/or age. Interviewed with the workers found that no discrimination has occurred. They were allowed to change any workstation if they found not fit or capable on the job offered by the management.	Complied		
4.4.5.3	Management shall ensure that employees' pay and conditions meet legal or industry minimum standards and as per agreed Collective Agreements. The living wage should be sufficient to meet basic needs and provide some discretionary income based on minimum wage. - Major compliance -	There was employment contracts for staffs and workers. Pay and conditions are documented and are above the Minimum Wage Order 2018. Sampled of employment contracts confirmed that terms and conditions are clearly outlined and have been signed by the worker. Sampled of payslip for December 2018, January 2019, March 2019 and June 2019 as below: i. Employee No.: 21256 (FE) ii. Employee No.: 121795 (FE) iii. Employee No.: 147117 (FE) iv. Employee No.: 145195 (FE) v. Employee No.: 144949 (FE)	Complied		



Criterio	n / Indicator	Assessment Findings	Compliance
		vi. Employee No.: 92570 (BDE) vii. Employee No.: 139934 (BDE) viii. Employee No.: 134436 (BDE) ix. Employee No.: 141407 (BDE) x. Employee No.: 139124 (BDE) Verified the SIME-SEMUA system (SAP system) in Bagan Datoh Estate found that the workers below were paying wages through cash without bank account due to rejection from bank. i. Employee No.: 129085 ii. Employee No.: 76547 iii. Employee No.: 138523 iv. Employee No.: 144779 v. Employee No.: 117421 vi. Employee No.: 129086 vii. Employee No.: 134837 ix. Employee No.: 134837 ix. Employee No.: 143650 The management could further investigate the reason of rejection of the bank for the 8 workers who received wages	
		through cash. Thus, OFI was raised. The contractors have signed on the contract agreement prior	0 1: /
4.4.5.4	Management should ensure employees of contractors are paid based on legal or industry minimum standards according to the employment contract agreed between the contractor and his employee. - Minor compliance -	commencement of work in the estates. In the agreement, it was clearly stated that the contractors should ensure compliance according to legal requirements. Sampled of the payslips of contractor's workers for June 2019 as below:	Complied
		i. Passport No.: BN 9215131 (FE) ii. Passport No.: EF 5128002 (FE)	



Criterio	on / Indicator	Assessment Findings	Compliance
4.4.5.5	The management shall establish records that provide an accurate account of all employees (including seasonal workers and subcontracted workers on the premises). The records should contain full names, gender, date of birth, date of entry, a job description, wage and the period of employment. - Major compliance -	i. Employee No.: 121794 (FE) ii. Employee No.: 147117 (FE) iii. Employee No.: 145195 (FE) iv. Employee No.: 135040 (FE) v. Employee No.: 129180 (FE) vi. Employee No.: 71843 (BDE) vii. Employee No.: 133449 (BDE) viii. Employee No.: 101971 (BDE) ix. Employee No.: 140289 (BDE) x. Employee No.: 133451 (BDE) Besides, contractors have provided the records of employees to the management to maintain.	Complied
4.4.5.6	All employees shall be provided with fair contracts that have been signed by both employee and employer. A copy of employment contract is available for each and every employee indicated in the employment records.	The employees that recruited by the estates are from local, Indonesia, Bangladesh, India and Nepal. They are all under direct employment to the estates. Besides, the estate has engaged contractor to carry out replanting work with contract's workers. All of them have signed on the employment contract prior to work. Terms and conditions of	Complied



Criterio	on / Indicator	Assessment Findings	Compliance
	- Major compliance -	duration of employment, salary, annual leave and sick leave, working hours and termination of service were clearly stated in the contract. Sampled of employment contracts as below: i. Employee No.: 145195 (FE) ii. Employee No.: 141280 (FE) iii. Employee No.: 144949 (FE) iv. Employee No.: 147117 (FE) v. Employee No.: 21256 (FE) vi. Passport No.: BN 9215131 (FE) vii. Passport No.: EF 5128002 (FE) viii. Passport No.: UZ 1158662 (FE) ix. Passport No.: WM 0156982 (FE) x. Employee No.: 139934 (BDE) xi. Employee No.: 133449 (BDE) xiii. Employee No.: 134436 (BDE) xiv. Employee No.: 134436 (BDE)	
4.4.5.7	The management shall establish a time recording system that makes working hours and overtime transparent for both employees and employer. - Major compliance -	Seen the Estate Daily Attendance Report for monthly basis where it recorded the number of days work and hours of overtime work. The data was transferred from the checkroll record book for the workers to the SAP system.	Complied
4.4.5.8	The working hours and breaks of each individual employee as indicated in the time records shall comply with legal regulations and collective agreements. Overtime shall be mutually agreed and shall always be compensated at the rate applicable and shall meet the applicable legal requirement.	Interviewed with the workers confirmed that they have rest time in between of the working hours. Overtimes were paid according to the rate stated in the agreement and regulatory requirements. The overtime offered upon mutually agreement.	Complied



Criterio	n / Indicator	Assessment Findings	Compliance
	- Major compliance -		
4.4.5.9	Wages and overtime payment documented on the pay slips shall be in line with legal regulations and collective agreements. - Major compliance -	Wages and overtime were paid according to the Daily Attendance Report and productivity reports. Total hours of overtime and daily attendance has recorded in the SAP system and the payslips. Refer to indicator 4.4.5.3.	Complied
4.4.5.10	Other forms of social benefits should be offered by the employer to employees, their families or the community such as incentives for good work performance, bonus payment, professional development, medical care and health provisions. - Minor compliance -	The management has contributed 10kg of rice once every 2 months for all their workers. Besides, all the workers are provided with free medical facilities. In additional, all the workers are entitled with the phone allowance of RM 5 for every month. Free housing facilities were provided to all the workers and their families. Besides, every employee is provided with festival allowance of RM 100/ year. Employee with children will be given RM 100/ year of allowance. The estates' management has subsidized the transportation to send the children to school for RM 12.50/ month.	Complied
4.4.5.11	In cases where on-site living quarters are provided, these quarters shall be habitable and have basic amenities and facilities in compliance with the Workers' Minimum Standards Housing and Amenities Act 1990 (Act 446) or any other applicable legislation. - Major compliance -	The estates' management has provided free housing facilities to all the workers. Basic amenities such as water and electricity were provided to the workers. The housing condition was accordance to the Workers' Minimum Standards Housing and Amenities Act 1990 (Act 446). Interviewed with the workers confirmed that they did not have any complain or grievance related to housing to be reported. Linesite inspection was carried out on weekly basis by using the Housing Complex/ Creche/ Community Hall Inspections checklist. The last inspection was carried out on 15/7/2019 in Teluk Buluh Division, 18/7/2019 in New Coconut Division and 19/7/2019 in Flemington Division and 15/7/2019 in both divisions in Bagan Datoh Estate. However, during site visit to living quarters of New Coconut Division found the following issues:	Minor Non- conformance



Criterio	n / Indicator	Assessment Findings	Compliance
		 i. House No. 116 A and 116 B - Stay by replanting contractor's workers. 8 workers stay in 116 B with two bedrooms while 7 workers stay in 116 A with two bedrooms. This was not complied with the Housing Agreement signed by the contractors which only allowed 8 persons for 2 houses. Window glasses were missing and condition of the houses was unsatisfactory. ii. House No. 118 A and 118 B - Recyclable items such as tin and plastic bottles were found inside dustbin. iii. House 118 A - Ceiling lamp was found half hanging on the ceiling. iv. The flooring behind the backyard was found cracked and drainage was blocked with stagnant water. 	
4.4.5.12	The management shall establish a policy and provide guidelines to prevent all forms of sexual harassment and violence at the workplace. - Major compliance -	Thus, a minor non-conformity was raised. SDPSB has implemented Social Policy and Social & Humanity Management Policy dated January 2015 where the management is committed to develop and apply a policy to prevent sexual harassment and other forms of violence against women and to protect their reproductive rights. Interviewed with the female workers found that no sexual harassment or violence case reported so far. Besides that, Gender Committee was established to monitor and discuss issues related to the sexual harassment. The last meeting conducted on 24/4/2019 in Bagan Datoh Estate and meeting minutes was sighted.	Complied
4.4.5.13	The management shall respect the right of all employees to form or join trade union and allow workers own representative(s) to facilitate collective bargaining in accordance with applicable laws and regulations. Employees shall be given the freedom to join a trade union relevant to	SDPB has implemented Social Policy dated January 2015 where the management is committed and respect the rights of all personnel to form and join trade unions of their choice and to bargain collectively. The mill management allowed their workers to form or join any association such as NUPW. Union meeting was conducted on	Complied



Criterio	n / Indicator	Assessment Findings	Compliance
	the industry or to organize themselves for collective bargaining. Employees shall have the right to organize and negotiate their work conditions. Employees exercising this right should not be discriminated against or suffer repercussions. - Major compliance -	12/7/2019 with the members and management representatives to discuss issues related to workers in Flemington Estate and 2/1/2019 in Bagan Datoh Estate. Seen the meeting minutes and found properly documented. Issues were recorded in the meeting minutes. Interviewed with the workers confirmed that they are allowed to join Union based on their willingness.	
4.4.5.14	Children and young persons shall not be employed or exploited. The minimum age shall comply with local, state and national legislation. Work by children is acceptable on family farms, under adult supervision, and when not interfering with their education programmes. Children shall not exposed to hazardous working conditions.	The company has developed Child Protection policy dated January 2015. Operating units are complied with the minimum age requirement. No employees below the age of 18 were sighted through verified the Employee Master Listing and interviewed with the workers.	Complied
	- Major compliance -		
Criterion	1 4.4.6: Training and competency		
4.4.6.1	All employees, contractors and relevant smallholders are appropriately trained. A training programme (appropriate to the scale of the organization) that includes regular assessment of training needs and documentation, including records of training shall be kept. - Major compliance -	Both Estates have organised trainings for their employees. There were also sessions held with presence of contractors and neighbouring community. a) Flemington Estate held the following sessions during the period of review Date Training Subject 15/4/19 Safety Townhall Session 8/7/19 First aid training	Complied
l		22/6/19 New workers induction training 18/6/19 Manuring training	



Criterio	n / Indicator		Assessment Findings	Compliance
		10-11/4/19 18/2/19	On-site training for tractor driver Rat baiting training	
		4/12/18	Spraying/inter-pump training	
		4/1/19	Chemical Safe Handling training	
			Datoh Estate organised similar training as follows;	
		Date	Training Subject	
		12/7/19	IPM – BOB census training	
		13/6/19	PPE training –spraying	
		3/7/19	Inter-pump calibration and maintenance	
		19/3/19	Trunk injection training	
		9/4/19	USECHH 2000 training	
		26/4/19	RB spraying method	
		13/5/19	SDS training	
		16/4/19	Fire Drill Training	
		with the annua	, ,	
4.4.6.2	Training needs of individual employees shall be identified prior to the planning and implementation of the training programmes in order to provide the specific skill and competency required to all employees based on their job	4 operating ur both Flemingt program has	d for identifying the training needs are used in this SOU nits for the both estates and mill. The training needs for on and Bagan Datoh Estates for the FY 2019 training been established. The details of the training needs	Complied
	description.		ries of job descriptions, sections, and employees group. s program are subjects among others are;	
	- Major compliance -		nment e.g. environmental,	
	. rajo. compilarios		& health policy,	
			ve work place inspection	



Criterio	on / Indicator	Assessment Findings	Compliance
4.4.6.3	A continuous training programme should be planned and implemented to ensure that all employees are well trained in their job function and responsibility, in accordance to the documented training procedure. - Minor compliance -	d) PPE training and demonstration e) scheduled waste management, f) environmental responsibility, HCV & Biodiversity training, g) field activities, h) equipment handling, i) vehicles maintenance/safe driving etc. Training details are planned and summarised in the OSH program. This is in compliance and detailed in 4.4.6.1 above. Training program are made on annual basis. In addition, it is subject for a review during the financial year should need arises.	Complied
4.5 Prin	ciple 5: Environment, natural resources, biodiversity	and ecosystem services	
Criterio	n 4.5.1: Environmental Management Plan		
4.5.1.1	An environmental policy and management plan in compliance with the relevant country and state environmental laws shall be developed, effectively communicated and implemented. - Major compliance -	There is an environmental management policy issued on Group level signed by the Managing Director in Jan 2015. a) Communications to the employees were through training session and briefing at muster grounds. The environmental subjects are emphasised during training related to MSPO/RSPO, scheduled waste, and spillages. Refer training records for both estates in 4.4.6.1 above. b) Subjects on environmental are included the annual training program titled "environmental responsibility & biodiversity-environmental aspect impact assessment".	Complied



Criterio	on / Indicator	Assessment Findings	Compliance
4.5.1.2	The environmental management plan shall cover the following: a) An environmental policy and objectives; b) The aspects and impacts analysis of all operations. - Major compliance -	The EMP policy is available as specified in 4.5.1.1 above. Objectives, target and duration are shown in the Environmental Management program (EMP) incorporating the action plan to be initiated by the estates. The EMP for both estates were sighted and verified. Details of the objectives were also mentioned in 4.5.4.1. The estates identified the aspects and impacts analysis of its operations. Many of which are common. Areas/activities identified at; a) Nursery (beneficial plant) b) Main entrance/compound c) Road/office/store/ d) Workshop/power station/ e) Petrol/diesoline/scheduled waste store f) Water treatment plant / g) FFB transportation h) P&D /weeding/spraying/harvesting & collection/manuring i) Replanting Findings were discussed in OSH/ meetings. The last update of the EAI list is dated 1/1/19 and 2/7/2019 for Fleminton and Bagan Datoh Estates (bund maintenance) respectively.	Complied
4.5.1.3	An environmental improvement plan to mitigate the negative impacts and to promote the positive ones, shall be developed, effectively implemented and monitored. - Major compliance -	This is available in the EIA Plan and Pollution Prevention Plan dated January 2019 compiled for 2019. Details as elaborated below; Environmental Issues Mitigating measures Time frame	Complied

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1	Leakage of pesticides during mixing & washing into outside land	To recollect water used at mixing area to be recycled during mixing To clean & maintain containment sump at chemical mixing area to contain leakages. To place all chemicals containers on metal	On-going	
2	Open burning at line site	trays To provide rubbish bin To record rubbish collection To update line site inspection Rubbish disposed at MDTI	On-going	
3	High usage of pesticide chemicals	To increase planting of BP To increase barn owl ratio 1:5 ha Perform pest census prior treatment.	On-going	
4	Oil spillage at workshop	To place metal tray during services. To clean/maintain oil trap.	On-going	
5	Replanting	Implement zero burning policy Ensure no soil erosion	On-going	



Criterio	on / Indicator	Assessment Findings	Compliance
		6 Scheduled waste To ensure all scheduled On-going waste disposed safely & update record. Monitoring is made through data analysis and the daily field and site supervision.	
4.5.1.4	A programme to promote the positive impacts should be included in the continual improvement plan. - Minor compliance -	This is available in the EIA Plan and Pollution Prevention Plan dated January 2019 compiled for 2019. Details as incorporated therein detailed in 4.5.1.3.	Complied
4.5.1.5	An awareness and training programme shall be established and implemented to ensure that all employees understand the policy and objectives of the environmental management and improvement plans and are working towards achieving the objectives. - Major compliance -	A training program is available in the SOU Training Program updated on a yearly basis or revised as per the management requirement. Included in this programme are subjects related to environment e.g. environmental, safety & health policy, scheduled waste management, environmental responsibility, HCV & Biodiversity training. Both estates also emulated similar program for in house training.	Complied
4.5.1.6	Management shall organize regular meetings with employees where their concerns about environmental quality are discussed. - Major compliance -	Similar forums are used by the mill and the estates in discussing concerns on environmental quality A management review meeting is held annually to discuss issues on water management plan, electricity use, diesel consumption, waste management, SIA plan, renewable energy, aspect/impact, HIRARC. In addition, environmental issues are tabled during the quarterly ESH meeting.	Complied
Criterio	n 4.5.2: Efficiency of energy use and use of renewable energy	ру	
4.5.2.1	Consumption of non-renewable energy shall be optimized and closely monitored by establishing baseline values and trends shall be observed within an appropriate timeframe. There	Monthly record on energy consumption for both renewable and non- renewable sources were kept and documented in both estates. It is monitored to optimize use of renewable energy. Data is being compiled for comparison and control for future improvement.	Complied



Criterio	on / Indicator	Assessmer	nt Findings	Compliance
	should be a plan to assess the usage of non-renewable energy including fossil fuel, electricity and energy efficiency in the operations over the base period. - Major compliance -	Monitoring is made using diesel/mi irregularities variances. a) Flemington Estate (2.62 lit 19) b) Bagan Datoh Estate (1.63 l 19)		
		Reason provided e.g. rainy sea breakdown, age of vehicle/machin graph recorded were sighted and v	nery, contour of estate. Data with	
4.5.2.2	The oil palm premises shall estimate the direct usage of non-renewable energy for their operations, including fossil fuel, and electricity to determine energy efficiency of their operations. This shall include fuel use by contractors, including all transport and machinery operations.	The estimate for the direct usage of non-renewable energy for their operations, including fossil fuel, and electricity to determine energy efficiency of their operations inclusive of fuel use by contractors, including all transport and machinery operations was available in the		Complied
	- Major compliance -			
4.5.2.3	The use of renewable energy should be applied where possible. - Minor compliance -	There was no opportunity to use recurrent technology. Mainly such prowhereby fibres and shell are used a production thereafter for power ge	actices are made in the mills as fuel in the boiler for steam	Complied
Criterio	n 4.5.3: Waste management and disposal			
4.5.3.1	All waste products and sources of pollution shall be identified and documented. - Major compliance -	All waste and pollution are identification. Management Action Plan for 2019 the estates and mill operations amount of the control of the cont	Complied	



Criterion / Indicator		Assessmen	t Findings	Compliance
	Domestic waste rubbish	Linesites, office, workshop, store,	Collection/disposal 2x/week Estate for onwards collection by Majlis Daerah T Intan	
	Industrial waste-fertiliser bags	Empty bags store	Inventory of bags, reuse for LF collection, sell to appointed contractor	
	Scrap metal	workshop	Inventory maintained, tender at zone level for sale to licensed contractor.	
	SW 404 Clinical waste	Clinic	Inventory maintained. Storage in sharp bin in clinic. Disposal through VMO	
	SW rags, plastics, filters	workshop	Inventory maintained. Storage in scheduled waste store. Disposal through licensed contractor.	
	Spent lubricant & hydraulic oil	workshop	Inventory maintained. Storage in scheduled waste store. Disposal through licensed contractor	
	Disposed containers, bags, equipment contaminated with chemicals, pesticides, SW,	Scheduled waste store	Inventory maintained. Storage in SW store. All containers are labelled. Empty containers collected by authorized vendor.	



Criterio	on / Indicator	Assessment Findings	Compliance
4.5.3.2	A waste management plan to avoid or reduce pollution shall be developed and implemented. The waste management plan should include measures for:	Details of the types and management plan are shown in 4.5.3.1 above.	Complied
	a) Identifying and monitoring sources of waste and pollution		
	b) Improving the efficiency of resource utilization and recycling of potential wastes as nutrients or converting them into value-added by-products		
	- Major compliance -		
4.5.3.3	The management shall establish Standard Operating Procedure for handling of used chemicals that are classified under Environment Quality Regulations (Scheduled Waste) 2005, Environmental Quality Act, 1974 to ensure proper and safe handling, storage and disposal. - Major compliance -	The procedures for handling used chemicals classified under Environment Quality Regulations (Scheduled Waste) 2005, Environmental Quality Act, 1974 are available prepared on Group level by PSQM and implemented in all estates and mills for all the applicable practices. The operational control procedures for the scheduled wastes management provides guidelines as follows; a) Management of class 1 chemical containers b) Management of class 2 (and higher) chemical containers. c) Management of fertiliser bags	Complied
		These documents were established on 28/2/2015 issued throughout the Group Estates and remain effective for practice in all operating units.	
		Note: Retention of records for 6 th schedule (consignment note) 2 nd copy of the consignment has yet to be consistently maintained after	



Criterio	on / Indicator	Assessment Findings	Compliance
		completion of disposal. E.g Aliran Segar (disposal date 14/6/19 and 5/7/19)	
4.5.3.4	Empty pesticide containers shall be punctured and disposed in an environmentally and socially responsible way, such that there is no risk of contamination of water sources or to human health. The disposal instructions on manufacturer's labels should be adhered to. Reference should be made to the national programme on recycling of used HDPE pesticide containers. - Major compliance -	Under the operational control procedure established as given in 4.5.3.3 above the guideline and practice for handling empty pesticides are as follows; a) All class 2 and above containers are tripled rinsed and hole punctured at the bottom only if the waste generator is to dispose as non-scheduled waste. b) Containers to be disposed as scheduled waste need not go the triple rinsing and hole punctured process. These guidelines are based on Department Of Agriculture ref 91/120/038/014 dated 7/11/2002. During the site visit this has been adhered mainly containers are tripled rinsed and hole punctured at the container base.	Complied
4.5.3.5	Domestic waste should be disposed as such to minimize the risk of contamination of the environment and watercourses. - Minor compliance -	Under the action plan of the waste management plan, collection is 2 to 3x/week. Monitoring is made by an Executive/staff. Flemington Estate and mill disposed their domestic waste through the local city council.	Complied
Criterio	n 4.5.4: Reduction of pollution and emission		
4.5.4.1	An assessment of all polluting activities shall be conducted, including greenhouse gas emissions, scheduled wastes, solid wastes and effluent.	Both estates assessed their polluting activities. This has been incorporated in the Environmental Improvement Plan/Pollution Prevention Plan for 2019. Details as provided in 4.5.1.3 and 4.5.1.4	Complied



- Major compliance -		
Plajor compilance	Therein is given potential sources of pollutants, objective & targets and action to be taken.	
An action plan to reduce identified significant pollutants and emissions shall be established and implemented.	Details of action plan for identified pollutants are shown in 4.5.1.3	Complied
- Major compliance -		
4.5.5: Natural water resources		
The management shall establish a water management plan to maintain the quality and availability of natural water resources (surface and ground water). The water management plan may include: a. Assessment of water usage and sources of supply. b. Monitoring of outgoing water which may have negative impacts into the natural waterways at a frequency that reflects the estate's current activities. c. Ways to optimize water and nutrient usage to reduce wastage (e.g. having in place systems for re-use, night application, maintenance of equipment to reduce leakage, collection of rainwater, etc.). d. Protection of water courses and wetlands, including maintaining and restoring appropriate riparian buffer zones at or before planting or replanting, along all natural waterways within the estate.	The Water Management Plan for the estates has been established for 2019. No major changes noted in the plan. Both estates management has provided contingency plans in event of water crisis for financial year 2019. Water usage is recorded on monthly basis for both estates. Steps/options to be adopted taken are; - to ensure consistency of water supply LAP - to train/educate staff/workers to conserve water - to revise demand and supply volume / conditions In event of a severe water pollution situation: - to address the source of pollution and eradication to reusing/recycling/rationing - apply rain harvest collection Water courses and wetlands are protected including maintaining and restoring appropriate riparian buffer zones. The guidelines are detailed in the River Reserve Management (Management of River Reserve in Sime Darby Plantation dated April 2014). The buffer zones established are as following:	Complied
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	 e. Where natural vegetation in riparian areas has been removed, a plan with a timetable for restoration shall be established and implemented. f. Where bore well is being use for water supply, the level of the ground water table should be measured at least annually. - Major compliance - 	policy for the protecti employees for an effect drain flowing out to Be points. Latest report da off-limit parameters wi NWQS for natural water to check the possible so out on 5 th July 2019 to pending from R&D depart	50 meters 40 meters 20 meters 10 meters 5 meters er crossing for both the estates. However, the fon of watercourse are made known to all live implementation when the need arises. Field ernam river is being monitor at few sampling sted 29/4/19 (ref: IE452/2019) has shown the hich does not conform with class IIA/IIB of rways. Investigation was done by estate team ource of pollution. Retest was recently carried check current compliance status. Result is still extrement. supply from LAP hence does not require an at for the domestic consumption.	
4.5.5.2	No construction of bunds, weirs and dams across main rivers or waterways passing through an estate. - Minor compliance -	internally by the PQ construction of such	y the estates. This requirement is also audited SM personnel. During the field visit no was observed. This was further supported from interviews among the employees.	Complied
4.5.5.3	Water harvesting practices should be implemented (e.g. water from road-side drains can be directed and stored in	both the estates howe	ctices of water harvesting are noted mainly in ever not on entirety as the estates are also Construction of MCP = Moisture Conservation	Complied



Criterio	on / Indicator	Assessment Findings	Compliance
	conservation terraces and various natural receptacles). - Minor compliance -	Pit are made at interval of every 40 feet & every 2 palms should the management decides the necessity of such. Road side pits were also available at every 3 palm rows, to divert in event of water overflowing and also to benefit the nearest palm at the pit end to obtain additional moisture.	
Criterio	n 4.5.6: Status of rare, threatened, or endangered species a	nd high biodiversity value	
4.5.6.1	Information shall be collated that includes both the planted area itself and relevant wider landscape-level considerations (such as wildlife corridors). This information should cover: a) Identification of high biodiversity value habitats, such as rare and threatened ecosystems, that could be significantly affected by the grower(s) activities. b) Conservation status (e.g. The International Union on Conservation of Nature and Natural Resources (IUCN) status on legal protection, population status and habitat requirements of rare, threatened, or endangered species), that could be significantly affected by the grower(s) activities. - Major compliance -	There are HCV areas identified within Flemington and Bagan Datoh Estate based on HCV assessment report dated September 2016. Based site review, auditor also has verified and confirmed the identified area. HCV area with total of 9.38 ha located at Bernam and Perak river and mill's water catchment area which categorized under HCV 4. Based on the HCV report, no RTE found in the estate.	Complied
4.5.6.2	If rare, threatened or endangered species, or high biodiversity value, are present, appropriate measures for management planning and operations should include: a) Ensuring that any legal requirements relating to the	Regular patrols within the operating unit estates were carried out and findings recorded by the respective Estate executives to monitor the Conservation / buffer zone areas. Mechanism for reporting the sightings of various types of wildlife, were found to have been in place. Monitoring and control of any illegal hunting, fishing or collecting activities was also implemented. Signage that prohibit hunting, fishing	Complied



Criterio	on / Indicator	1	Assessment Findings		Compliance
	 protection of the species are met. b) Discouraging any illegal or inappropriate hunting, fishing or collecting activities; and developing responsible measures to resolve human-wildlife conflicts. - Major compliance - 	(i.e. Bagan Datoh maintained. Latest patrolling was of found. For Bagan Data observed. No illegal ac	ivities were verified on-site at the entertal Estate) found to have been done on 19/7/19. No illegal activition Estate, latest report dated tivities observed. Only monkey, biduring patrolling activities.	satisfactorily ties and RTE 19/6/19 was	
4.5.6.3	A management plan to comply with Indicator 1 shall be established and effectively implemented, if required.	HCV management plar include:	n for 2019 was sighted. Among est	tablished plan	Complied
	- Major compliance -	Objective	Management programme	Progress	
		To ensure signage is maintain at site and retrievable on map	Marking of slope (erosion prone area) on the map and in the field	On going	
		To monitor bund	Monitoring by patrolling AP	On going	
		To create awareness	Regular briefing during muster on HCV	Latest session on Feb 19	
Criterio	n 4.5.7: Zero burning practices				
4.5.7.1	Use of fire for waste disposal and for preparing land for oil palm cultivation or replanting shall be avoided except in specific situations, as identified in regional best practice. - Major compliance -	The operating units ac any replanting. From fi is no open burning be	Zero open burning" is enforced single Ihered to the policy of "Zero oper ield visits and interviews with the veing practiced in the estates. Both anned over the forthcoming years.	burning" for workers there estates had	Complied



Criterio	on / Indicator	Assessment Findings	Compliance
		in 4.6.2.2. In addition, Sime Darby Plantation assigned 1 person based in HQ being in charge to detect any open fire in the Company's fields using the Global Spot Watch.	
4.5.7.2	A special approval from the relevant authorities shall be sought in areas where the previous crop is highly diseased and where there is a significant risk of disease spread or continuation into the next crop.	N/A. Details in 4.5.7.1 above	Complied
	- Major compliance -		
4.5.7.3	Where controlled burning is allowed, it shall be carried out as prescribed by the Environmental Quality (Declared Activities) (Open Burning) Order 2003 or other applicable laws.	N/A. Details in 4.5.7.1 above	Complied
	- Major compliance -		
4.5.7.4	Previous crops should be felled or mowed down, chipped and shredded, windrowed or pulverized or ploughed and mulched.	This is included in the specification of work orders in event of land preparation during a replanting. It is a standard practice in Sime Darby Plantation.	Complied
	- Minor compliance -		
4.6 Prin	ciple 6: Best Practices		
Criterio	n 4.6.1: Site Management		
4.6.1.1	Standard operating procedures shall be appropriately documented and consistently implemented and monitored. - Major compliance -	The SOP for the estates and mill operations are available which is prepared on Group basis. There are levels of the documentation identified as follows;	Complied



Criterio	on / Indicator	Assessment Findings	Compliance
4.6.1.2	Where oil palm is grown within permitted levels on sloping land, appropriate soil conservation measures shall be implemented to prevent both soil erosion as well as siltation of drains and waterways. Measures shall be put in place to prevent contamination of surface and groundwater through runoff of either soil, nutrients or chemicals. - Major compliance -	 a) Level 1 Estate quality management system std operation manual b) Level 2 EQMS quality management manual c) Level 3 standard operating procedure d) Level 4 work instruction e) Level 5 records. As part of check and balance for the operation, annual PA visit was carried out on 18-20 th December 2018. Refer to PA report, STR/SOU4/01/18-19. Overall rating given was good and rated at 82%. The estates construct terraces at slope area of more than 6 degrees. Planting of cover crop are made to retain the soil structure and conservation. a) Road side pit are made to divert water at slope areas to prevent road erosion and surface damage. Terraces are constructed inclined towards the terrace wall.	Complied
4.6.1.3	A visual identification or reference system shall be established for each field. - Major compliance -	All fields are marked and identified. Information like year planting (field no) and the total hectare is shown in all markers. There are both stencilled at the palm trees and also displayed in signages at the boundary/corners of every fields. This is observed during the field visit in both estates.	Complied
Criterior	1 4.6.2: Economic and financial viability plan		



Criterio	on / Indicator	Assessment Findings	Compliance
4.6.2.1	A documented business or management plan shall be established to demonstrate attention to economic and financial viability through long-term management planning. - Major compliance -	The annual business plan is available as per the Group Financial Procedure. & Guidelines. Both estates and the mill had a similar format i.e. in the form of annual budget with a 5 year projection. (Budget year, PY2, PY3, PY4, PY5) This business plan is prepared as guidance for future planning. The budget contains palm year of planting, age categories, and FFB production. Component of operating expenditure includes a) Administration, b) harvesting & collection, c) field upkeep, transportation, d) road and bridges, e) labour overhead, f) EVIT (running accounts for engines, vehicles, implements & tractors. Inclusive in the business plan is also Capital Expenditure (CAPEX) among others replacement / upgrading of building, vehicles replacement, workers' amenities etc. the budget for 2018/19 for both the estates was sighted and verified.	Complied
4.6.2.2	Where applicable, an annual replanting programme shall be established. Long term replanting programme should be established and review annually, where applicable every 3-5 years. - Major compliance -	Both estates established a replanting program spanned over a 5-year period till 2024. All programs were sighted. All replanting program and planning in all the Group Estates are monitored by the Replanting Unit. Assistance and audit are performed as and when required and necessary. Flemington Estate (FY 2020 to FY 2024) 2020 – New coconut division, field 95N3: 72.18 ha 2021 – New coconut division, field 95N: 59.16 ha Bagan Datoh Estate (FY 2020 – 2024) 2020 – Melentang division: 241 ha, Bagan Datoh: 82 ha	Complied



Criterio	on / Indicator	Assessment Findings	Compliance
		2022 – Melentang division: 98 ha, Bagan Datoh: 102 ha	
4.6.2.3	The business or management plan may contain: a) Attention to quality of planting materials and FFB b) Crop projection: site yield potential, age profile, FFB yield trends c) Cost of production: cost per tonne of FFB d) Price forecast e) e) Financial indicators: cost benefit, discounted cash flow, return on investment - Major compliance -	This requirement i.e. crop material, crop projection, yield, production cost is available. It is provided in the business management plan shown in item 4.6.2.1 above. The estates had a format and guideline to calculate the returns on the field operations i.e. Income=sale of FFB (with award of CPO/CPK from the mill) less the expenditure (fixed and direct cost). This format is sighted	Complied
4.6.2.4	The management plan shall be effectively implemented and the achievement of the goals and objectives shall be regularly monitored, periodically reviewed and documented. - Major compliance -	 The estates performance is recorded in the monthly progress report. a) Details on the actual vs budget i.e. crop production, fixed and direct cost are shown therein. b) The management also provides variance report on the performance and reviewed on a monthly basis. c) The supervisory personnel maintained a daily cost for the field operations. The SOU meeting involving the Managers scheduled monthly basis with the Regional CEO for the performance review. 	Complied



Criterio	on / Indicator	Assessment Findings	Compliance
4.6.3.1	Pricing mechanisms for the products and other services shall be documented and effectively implemented. - Major compliance -	Estates has engaged contractors for varieties of works such as replanting, FFB transporter and maintenance works. Sampled of the agreement between company and the contractors as below: i. Company Name: Rajan Excavator Contractor Sdn Bhd for replanting on land preparation and related workers which 31/12/2019. ii. Company Name: Fame Transportation Sdn Bhd for FFB transport which valid until 31/8/2019.	Complied
		Pricing of the works/ services and mechanism were clearly stated in the agreement and agreed by the contractors.	
4.6.3.2	All contracts shall be fair, legal and transparent and agreed payments shall be made in timely manner. - Major compliance -	Payment terms were clearly stated in the agreement signed by the contractors. Verified the invoice submitted and payment records as below: i. INV# IV-01840 dated 3/5/2019; Payment made on 8/5/2019 ii. INV# IV-01927 dated 2/7/2019; Payment made on 8/7/2019 iii. INV# IV-00492 dated 29/6/2019; Payment made on 8/7/2019 iv. INV# FTSB/0519/005 dated 2/6/2019; Payment made on 4/6/2019 Besides, interviewed with contractors also confirmed that payment was made promptly.	Complied
Criterio	n 4.6.4: Contractor		
4.6.4.1	Where contractors are engaged, they shall understand the MSPO requirements and shall provide the required	The contractors engaged by the estates' management has signed on a letter regarding the compliance of RSPO/ MSPO/ ISCC. All the	Complied



Criterio	on / Indicator	Assessment Findings	Compliance
	documentation and information. - Major compliance -	contractors need to follow the RSPO/ ISCC/ MSPO guideline in accordance with Sime Darby Plantation of EQMS. Briefing of RSPO/ MSPO and all policies were given to the workers and contractors on 12/7/2019 in Flemington Estate and 29/4/2019 in Bagan Datoh Estate to the contractors. Seen the training attendance list. Interviewed with the contractors confirmed that they were provided with training and have signed on the letter.	
4.6.4.2	The management shall provide evidence of agreed contracts with the contractor. - Major compliance -	Estates has engaged contractors for varieties of works such as replanting, FFB transporter and maintenance works. Sampled of the agreement between company and the contractors as below: i. Company Name: Rajan Excavator Contractor Sdn Bhd for replanting on land preparation and related workers which 31/12/2019. ii. Company Name: M.Rajan Contractor for machinery such as hiring excavator. iii. Company Name: Fame Transportation Sdn Bhd for FFB transport which valid until 31/8/2019.	Complied
4.6.4.3	The management shall accept MSPO approved auditors to verify assessments through a physical inspection if required. - Minor compliance -	A letter dated 30/10/2017, 1/11/2017 and 1/1/2019 on RSPO/ISCC/MSPO awareness issued to all the contractors, vendors of the Flemington Estate and Bagan Datoh. This letter was sighted and has stated that all Contractors need to follow RSPO/ISCC/MSPO guideline in accordance with the Sime Darby Plantation of Mill/ Estate Quality Management System.	Complied
4.6.4.4	The management shall be responsible for the observance of the control points applicable to the tasks performed by the	All works performed at the estates are checked and verified by the	Complied



Criterion / Indicator	Assessment Findings	Compliance
contractor, by checking and signing the assessment of the contractor for each task and season contracted.	checked by representatives from HQ usually from the Engineering Dept.	
- Major compliance -		

4.7 Principle 7: Development of new planting - Bagan Datoh and Flemington Estate did not carry out any new plantings since January 2015. Therefore, Principle 7 is not applicable during this main assessment. The immature areas are replanted area.



MS 2530-4:2013 Malaysian Sustainable Palm Oil (MSPO) Part 4: General principles for Palm Oil Mill.

Criterio	on / Indicator	Assessment Findings	Compliance			
4.1 Prin	4.1 Principle 1: Management commitment & responsibility					
Criterio	n 4.1.1 – Malaysian Sustainable Palm Oil (MSPO) Policy					
Policy for the implementation of MSPO shall be established. - Major compliance - Head, Global Sustainability Operations, Mr. Tang Men Kon has issan inter-office mail (Ref. No.: SQM.RSPO.1811/22.11) day 23/11/2018 regarding the statement on commitment towards Ms implementation. Sime Darby Plantation Berhad is committed to con and implement the MSPO certification to demonstrate our commitment towards the production of certified sustainable palm oil products.		Complied				
 The policy shall also emphasize on the commitment to continual improvement with the objective of improving the milling operation. Major compliance - 		In the memorandum above, Sime Darby has clearly emphasized to achieve commitment towards a systematic approach in ensuring continuous improvement in the operation, compliance to statutory, legal and other regulatory requirements and establishment of traceability within the supply chain.	Complied			
Criterio	n 4.1.2 – Internal Audit					
determine the strong and weak points and potential area for further improvement. - Major compliance -		RSPO & MSPO Internal Audit for Y2019 was carried out on 6/3/2019 by Sustainability Unit, GSQM Department & RSQM. The audit was carried out based on MS 2530-3:2013, MS 2530-4:2013, RSPO P&C MYNI 2014 and RSPO SCCS 2017. There were total 7 Minor Nonconformities and 1 Opportunity for Improvement raised. The methodology of audit was documentation review, interview and site observations.	Complied			



4.1.2.2	The internal audit procedures and audit results shall be documented and evaluated, followed by the identification of strengths and root causes of nonconformities, in order to implement the necessary corrective action. - Major compliance -	Sime Darby Plantation Berhad has developed Internal Audit Procedure, Doc. No.: SD/SDP/PSQM/IAP, Rev. 2 dated 1/11/2017. The frequency of the internal audit shall be carried out at least once a year. There was total 7 Minor Non-conformities and 1 OFI raised. Root causes and corrective action plan were identified and discussed during the management review meeting. All the non-conformities were closed		
4.1.2.3	Reports shall be made available to the management for their review. - Major compliance -	effectively. The internal audit report has distributed to the mill's management and Sime Darby Plantation HQ management. Management review meeting was conducted to review the findings of the internal audit.	Complied	
Criterio	n 4.1.3 - Management Review			
4.1.3.1	The management shall periodically review the continuous suitability, adequacy and effectiveness of the requirements for effective implementation of MSPO and decide on any changes,	Sime Darby Plantation has developed Plantation Quality Management System – Standard Operating Procedure for Sustainable Supply Chain and Traceability, Doc. No.: Appendix 15, Version 2 dated April 2019.	Complied	



4.1.4.1	The action plan for continual improvement shall be based on a consideration of the main social and environmental impact and opportunities for the company. - Major compliance -	Continuous improvement plan for POM FY2019 was verified and documented under long range budget and CAPEX. The coverage are mainly on the mill operation and safety related budget. For example: i) Plant & machinery: new 45 mt/hr boiler ii) Lab equipment: incubator and DO meter, pH meter and photometer.	Complied
4.1.4.2 The company should establish a system to improve practices in line with new information and techniques; and for disseminating this information throughout the workforce. - Major compliance -		Continual improvement is demonstrated based on project initiated by mill management through KAIZEN/Lean Six Sigma project. The project focus mainly on cost saving and process losses minimization for each financial year. Sample of completed project for 2019: i) To reduce TNB usage at KKS Flemington by 37% compared to previous financial year ii) To reduce monthly oil loss/FFB at KKS Flemington for raw effluent from 0.44% to 0.41% iii) To improve on safety at sterilizer station return cages rail line	Complied
4.2 Prince	ciple 2: Transparency		
Criterion	4.2.1 – Transparency of information and documents relevant	to MSPO requirements	
 The management shall communicate adequate information to other stakeholder on environmental, social and legal issues relevant to sustainable practices in the relevant languages and forms. Major compliance - 		Sime Darby Plantation Berhad has developed Standard Operation Manual (SOM) – Procedure for External Communication, Appendix 5.5.3.2, version 1 dated 1/11/2008 to put in place a system to effectively communicate with external interested parties on matters pertaining to performance of the mill. Timeframe for external communication to provide feedback within two weeks of the date of receipt for communication requiring direct feedback and within one week of the completion of the investigation for communication	Complied



		requiring investigation. Manager is responsible for address the communication and requests.	
4.2.1.2	The management documents shall be publicly available, except where this is prevented by commercial confidentiality or where disclosure of information would result in negative environmental or social outcomes. - Major compliance -	The management has disseminate the information of the documents that made publicly available such as management plan, OSH plan, audit reports and land titles upon request during the stakeholder meetings. Besides, internal and external stakeholders could access to the company's website (http://www.simedarbyplantation.com/Sustainability.aspx) to obtain information such as policies, annual report and complaint procedures. Policies were displayed at the notice board of the respective operating units as well.	Complied
Criterio	n 4.2.2 - Transparent method of communication and consult	tation	
4.2.2.1	Procedures shall be established for consultation and communication with the relevant stakeholders. - Major compliance -	Sime Darby Plantation Berhad has developed Standard Operation Manual (SOM) — Procedure for External Communication, Appendix 5.5.3.2, version 1 dated 1/11/2008 to put in place a system to effectively communicate with external interested parties on matters pertaining to performance of the mill. Timeframe for external communication to provide feedback within two weeks of the date of receipt for communication requiring direct feedback and within one week of the completion of the investigation for communication requiring investigation.	Complied
		Besides, the company has developed a documented procedure in Sustainable Plantation Management System on handling social issues, Appendix 5, Version 1, and Issue No.1, dated 01/11/2008. The procedure has detailing the process of handling social issues raised by the stakeholders and resolve in an effective, timely and appropriate manner.	



4.2.2.2	The management shall nominate management officials at the operating unit responsible for issues related to <i>indicator 1</i> . - Minor compliance -	Assistant Manager of the Flemington POM has been appointed as Social Officer to handle any issue related to social in the mill. Seen the appointment letter dated 15/7/2017 issued by the Mill Manager.	Complied
communication and records of all consultation and communication and records of action taken in response to input from stakeholders shall be properly maintained. - Major compliance -		A combine stakeholder meeting for Flemington POM and Flemington Estate was conducted on 9/7/2019 with the participation of stakeholders such as contractors, government authorities and local communities. Seen the meeting minutes and photo evident of the meeting. No issue raised by the stakeholders from mil.	Complied
		Stakeholder list was developed which included local communities, suppliers, contractors, government authorities and supplying estates.	
Criterio	n 4.2.3 - Traceability		
4.2.3.1	The management shall commit itself to implement and maintain the requirements for the traceability and shall establish a standard operation procedure for traceability. - Major compliance -	Sime Darby Plantation has developed Plantation Quality Management System – Standard Operating Procedure for Sustainable Supply Chain and Traceability, Doc. No.: Appendix 15, Version 2 dated April 2019. The procedure has clearly identified the supply chain contamination risk points. Procedure of incoming of FFB and outgoing of CPO was explained in the procedure.	Complied
		Flemington POM has received FFB from own supplying estates (Flemington Estate, Bagan Datoh Estate, Sungei Samak Estate and Sabak Bernam Estate) and outsider crops. Sampled of the weighbridge tickets from own supply estates and outsider crops with information such as below:	
		i. Estate: Sungei Samak Estate dated 1/6/2019 Ticket No.: 31564 Product: FFB A Crop	



		Division & Field: Sepong, 02M1 and 04M Weight: 17,130 kgs ii. Estate: Sabak Bernam Estate dated 1/6/2019 Ticket No.: 22778 Product: FFB A Crop Division & Field: One, 2015B Weight: 10,060 kgs iii. OCP: Perniagaan Sinaran Mewah dated 18/6/2019 FFB Received Ticket No.: 234347 Product: FFB B Crop and Loose Fruits Weight: 6,740 kgs iv. OCP: Ban Boon Teng Sawit (M) Sdn Bhd dated 18/6/2019 FFB Received Ticket No.: 234359 Product: FFB A Crop and Loose Fruits Weight: 15,020 kgs	Constitut
4.2.3.2	The management shall conduct regular inspections on compliance with the established traceability system. - Major compliance -	According to the Plantation Quality Management System – Standard Operating Procedure for Sustainable Supply Chain and Traceability, Doc. No.: Appendix 15, Version 2 dated April 2019, mill shall verify the information on supply estates based on the Table 2: Information for Verification. Supply chain contamination risk points were identified. The mill is using Sime Weigh System to trace the supply chain.	Complied
4.2.3.3	The management shall identified and assign suitable employees to implement and maintain traceability system. - Minor compliance -	The Mill Manager has the overall responsibility for the implementation of the Standard Operating Procedure for Sustainable Supply Chain and Traceability. Besides, the Mill Manager has appointed Assistant Engineer 1 as the person-in-charge for monitoring of the mass balance incoming and outgoing, sustainable and non-sustainable materials. Seen the appointment letter dated 18/3/2019.	Complied



4.2.3.4	Records of storage, sales, delivery or transportation of crude palm oil and palm kernel shall be maintained. - Major compliance -	The records of CPO and PK sales has been verified. The despatch of the CPO are determine by HQ Sales & Marketing and will be entered into the Sime Weigh System. The weighbridge operator will check the system before releasing the despatch. Sampled of the despatch weighbridge ticket as below:	Complied		
		i. Despatch Ticket No.: 016361 dated 22/4/2019; Nett Weight: 39,550 kgs; Customer: SDP Nuri ii. Despatch Ticket No.: 016608 dated 31/5/2019; Nett Weight: 38,440 kgs; Customer: SDP Nuri iii. Despatch Ticket No.: 016761 dated 26/6/2019; Nett Weight: 33,930 kgs; Customer: BMD – Bursa Malaysia Derivatives Berhad PK: i. Despatch Ticket No.: 016366 dated 22/4/2019; Nett Weight: 29,540 kgs; Customer: Kilang Isi Sawit Sin Huat Hin Sdn Bhd ii. Despatch Ticket No.: 016610 dated 31/5/2019; Nett Weight: 23,710 kgs; Customer: Kilang Isi Sawit Sin Huat Hin Sdn Bhd iii. Despatch Ticket No.: 016764 dated 26/6/2019; Nett Weight: 27,260 kgs; Customer: SDP KCP			
4.3 Prin	ciple 3: Compliance to legal requirements				
Criterio	erion 4.3.1 – Regulatory requirements				
4.3.1.1	All operations shall be in compliance with applicable local, state, national and ratified international laws and regulations.	A mechanism to ensure compliance to legal and other requirement has been documented in EQMS & MQMS (Estate & Mill Quality Management System) under Standard Operation Manual distributed to all operating units under SOU4.	Complied		



- Major compliance -	 a) PSQM Department and respective operating units will undertake the responsibility of identifying, managing, updating and tracking the legal requirement as well as monitoring the status of legal compliance. b) Reference: Estate/Mill Quality Management System, Level 2: Standard Operating Manual, Appendix 5.2.4: Procedure for Legal and Other Requirements dated 10 December 2008. Licenses/permit viewed as complied by the estates for the legislative requirement among others viewed were:
	License /permit Validity period 1 MPOB license no. 529874004000 1/6/19- purchase, storage, processing of FFB max 288,000mt/year. Validity period 31/5/20
	2 Schedule Of Compliance AS (B) A 1/7/19- 91/110/61/081 under DOE 30/6/20 license no. 004234 is still in progress. DOE Licence renewed and valid until 30/6/20
	3 AESP @ authorized entrant and standby person 23/1/2021 NW-PNG-AE-0121-R NW-PNG-AE-0119-R NW-PNG-AE-0122-R NW-PNG-AE-0130-R
	4 AGTES – Confined space 23/2/17 5 Energy Commission, Electrical 30/10/18-installation license, serial no. 29/10/19 31998, license no. 2018/03058



6	Steam	Engineer	Grade	1	23/12/200
	possesse	ed by Mill Ma	nager ref	no	4
	128/200	4			
7		driver grade			01/12/200
	117/200	6 Mr Chandr	an Anama	alai	6
8	Engine (driver grade	1 ref no	PK	28/7/2011
	11/EIS/0)2/34 En Mol	hd Shariza	al	

List of certificated machinery registered with DOSH sighted among others as listed below;

	Machinery/registration no	validity
1	Boiler no 1 – PMD 8703	22/7/2019
2	Boiler no 2 – PMD 8704	14/7/2020
3	Thermal Deareator PMT 147302	14/7/2020
4	Sterilizer no 1 PMT 147319	14/7/2020
5	Sterilizer no 4 PMT 147316	14/7/2020
6	Vertical Air Receiver PK PMT 940	14/7/2020
7	Monorail chain hoist PK PMA 3442	14/7/2020
8	Electrical Chain Hoist PK PMA 6499	14/7/2020

Latest mill inspection by DOSH was done on 15/7/19. Some of the CF is still in the midst of approval from DOSH. Comments for improvement was noted however there is no summon/compound/notice of prohibition received from the visit.

For Clean Air Regulations 2014 compliance, Flemington POM has applied for contravene of license for a period of 1 year starting from 5th June 2019 to 4th June 2020. Letter dated 4th June 2019 was sighted. The status is currently pending and awaiting for approval.



4.3.1.2	The management shall list all relevant laws related to their operations in a legal requirements register. - Major compliance -	The Legal & Other Requirements Register (LORR) covers all the necessary regulatory requirements. The LORR for was reviewed on 22/7/2019. a) List of applicable legal and other requirements was made available during the assessment and complied in the QSHE/04/5.2.4 folder. b) Documented procedure has been established and implemented refer to Estate/Mill Quality Management System, Level 2: Standard Operating Manual, Appendix 5.2.4: Procedure for Legal and Other Requirements dated 10 December 2008	Complied
4.3.1.3	The legal requirements register shall be updated as and when there are any new amendments or any new regulations coming into force. - Major compliance -	The Legal & Other Requirements Register (LORR) covers all the necessary regulatory requirements. a) The LORR for was reviewed on 22/7/2019. b) Tracking system available to identify changes in the relevant regulations through head office, website information and the information are communicated from the Group Head Office. c) The latest change in regulation applicable to the POM operation is the Labour Law. - WMHSA Act 1990 - Minimum wage 2018	Complied
4.3.1.4	The management should assign a person responsible to monitor compliance and to track update the changes in regulatory requirements. - Minor compliance -	Tracking system available to identify changes in the relevant regulations through head office, website information and the information are communicated from the Group Head Office. This correspondence was sighted via an email issued from Head Office for the operating units to update and comply where applicable	Complied
Criterior	4.3.2 - Lands use rights		
4.3.2.1	The management shall ensure that their oil palm milling activities do not diminish the land use rights of other users.	Flemington POM is located inside the land of Flemington Estate. The land is belongs to Sime Darby Plantation Sdn Bhd. Sighted the copy of	Complied



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	- Major compliance -	the land title and the original keep at the headquarters. There is no	
		issue on land use claims evidence during the audit.	
4.3.2.2	The management shall provide documents showing legal ownership or lease, history of land tenure and the actual legal use of the land. - Major compliance -	Flemington POM is located inside the land of Flemington Estate. The land is belongs to Sime Darby Plantation Sdn Bhd. Sighted the copy of the land title and the original keep at the headquarters. There is no issue on land use claims evidence during the audit.	Complied
4.3.2.3	Legal parameter boundary markers should be clearly demarcated and visibly maintained on the ground where practicable.	POM located within the compound of the Flemington estate. It was noted that legal boundaries are clearly demarcated and visibly maintained through construction of bunds, trenches and markings.	Complied
	- Major compliance -		
4.3.2.4	Where there are, or haven been disputes, documented proof of legal acquisition of land and fair compensation that have been or are being made to previous owners and occupants; shall made available and that these should have been accepted with free prior informed consent (FPIC).	There is no land dispute in the Flemington POM at the time of audit. The land belongs to Sime Darby Plantation Berhad and land ownership documents verified.	Complied
	- Minor compliance -		
Criterion	n 4.3.3 – Customary rights		
4.3.3.1	Where lands are encumbered by customary rights, the company shall demonstrate that these rights are understood and are not being threatened or reduced.	There is no customary land or negotiated agreements within the Flemington Palm Oil Mill land area.	Complied
	- Major compliance -		
4.3.3.2	Maps of an appropriate scale showing extent of recognized customary rights shall be made available.	The right to use the land is not disputed and there were no customary land within the Flemington POM.	Complied



4.3.3.3	Negotiation and FPIC shall be recorded and copies of the relevant agreements should be made available. - Major compliance -	There is no land dispute or customary rights issues in the mill.	Complied
4.4 Prin	ciple 4: Social responsibility, health, safety and empl	oyment condition	
Criterio	n 4.4.1: Social Impact Assessment (SIA)		
4.4.1.1	Social impacts should be identified and plans should be implemented to mitigate the negative impacts and promote the positive ones. - Minor compliance -		Complied



Criterio	Criterion 4.4.2: Complaints and grievances					
4.4.2.1	A system for dealing with complaints and grievances shall be established and documented. - Major compliance -	The company has developed a documented procedure in Sustainable Plantation Management System on handling social issues, Appendix 5, Version 1, and Issue No.1, dated 01/11/2008. The procedure has detailing the process of handling social issues raised by the stakeholders and resolve in an effective, timely and appropriate manner.	Complied			
		Sime Darby Plantation Berhad has developed Standard Operation Manual (SOM) — Procedure for External Communication, Appendix 5.5.3.2, version 1 dated 1/11/2018 to put in place a system to effectively communicate with external interested parties on matters pertaining to performance of the mill. Timeframe for external communication to provide feedback within two weeks of the date of receipt for communication requiring direct feedback and within one week of the completion of the investigation for communication requiring investigation.				
4.4.2.2	The system shall be able to resolve dispute in an effective, timely and appropriate manner, which is accepted by all parties. - Major compliance -	The mill has implemented Complaint Book to record complaints reported by the stakeholders. The complaints were incorporated into the Action Plan dated 12/7/2019. The complaints or grievances were resolved within the time frame.	Complied			
4.4.2.3	A complaint form should be made available at the premises, where employees and affected stakeholders can make complaints. - Minor compliance -	The mill management has maintained Complaint Book and Houses Repair Record to receive any complaints or grievances from stakeholders. The complaints lodged related to housing repair were resolved accordingly and it was acknowledged by the complaints after the action has been taken. For eg: The pillar of hanging clothes were rot at House No. 111B on 18/4/2019. The management has repaired by inserted a wooden pillar to support. Seen the evidence of photo of	Complied			



		the action taken. The complainant has acknowledged on 24/4/2019	
		after repair work was completed.	
4.4.2.4	Employees and surrounding communities should be made aware of its existence and that complaints or suggestions may be made at any time.	Interviewed with the internal and external stakeholders during stakeholder consultation found that they were aware of the complaint procedure and they were briefed by the management during stakeholder meeting.	Complied
	- Minor compliance -		
4.4.2.5	Complaints and solutions within the past 24 months shall be documented and be made available to affected stakeholders upon request.	Record review found that previous complaints and requests from February 2017 were still available.	Complied
	- Major compliance -		
Criterio	n 4.4.3: Commitment to contribute to local sustainable devel	opment	
4.4.3.1	Palm oil miller should contribute to local development in consultation with the local communities. Where the mill is an integral part of plantation, such contribution to local community development may be regarded as a joint effort by the mill and the plantation. - Minor compliance -		Complied
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Criterioi	n 4.4.4: Employees safety and health		
4.4.4.1	An occupational safety and health policy and plan which is in line with Occupational Safety and Health Act 1994 and Factories and Machinery Act 1967 (Act 139) shall be documented, effectively communicated and implemented.	The Group Occupational Safety & Health Management Policy had been established and implemented. a) The policy was signed by the Managing Director of Sime Darby Plantation on January 2015 and displayed prominently on notice boards in English and local language Bahasa Malaysia. b) The Policy is implemented through the OSH activities by the	Complied

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	- Major compliance -	on-site Safety Officers and monitored by OSH Manager from Head Office. c) Included in the policy is the commitment of the Company to provide and maintain a safe and healthy working environment of its employees & contractors & visitors.	
		OSH plan is documented and combined under ESH and other requirements plan for 2019. All related compliance and monitoring programme on OSH has been monitored based on required frequency stipulated in FMA and OHSA.	
		Implementation and monitoring for OSH plan can be further improved related to the following elements: i) Contractor management - Monitoring work area during/after completion of job - To inspect related working tools for activity	
		ii) Emergency response plan The used of appropriate and quitable spill kits as per SDS	
4.4.4.2	The occupational safety and health plan should cover the following:	- The used of appropriate and suitable spill kits as per SDS The policy has been established with details elaborated in 4.4.4.1 above. The risk of all operations were assessed and documented under HIRARC. The HIRARC for the mill operations was last reviewed on	Complied
	a) A safety and health policy, which is communicated and implemented.b) The risk of all operations shall be assessed and documented.	15/6/2019. HIRARC for the following stations/operations/activities among others were sighted;	
	c) An awareness and training programme which includes the	Areas/Activities Areas /Activities	
	following requirements for employees exposed to chemicals used at the palm oil mill:	1 Reception Station— 7 Engine Room Weighbridge/Ramp	
	i. All employees involved are adequately trained on safe	2 Fruit Handling 8 Product storage	
	working practices;		



- ii. All precautions attached to products should be properly observed and applied;
- d) The management shall provide the appropriate PPE at the place of work to cover all potentially hazardous operations as identified in the risk assessment and control such as Hazard Identification, Risk Assessment and Risk Control (HIRARC).
- e) The management shall establish Standard Operating Procedure for handling of chemicals to ensure proper and safe handling and storage in accordance to Occupational Safety Health (Classification Packaging and Labeling) Regulation 1997 Occupational Safety Health (Use and Standard of Exposure of Chemical Hazardous to Health) Regulation 2000.
- f) The management shall appoint responsible person(s) for workers' safety and health. The appointed person(s) of trust shall have knowledge and access to latest national regulations and collective agreements.
- g) The management shall conduct regular two-way communication with their employees where issues that affect their business such as those related to employees' safety, health and welfare are discussed openly. Records from such meeting shall be kept ant the concerns of employees and any remedial actions taken shall be recorded.
- h) Accident and emergency procedures shall exist and instructions shall be clearly understood by all employees.
- Employees trained in First Aid shall be present at all mill operations. First Aid equipment should be available at each worksite.
- Records shall be kept of all accidents and be reviewed periodically at quarterly intervals.

4	Threshing			1	Water treatment
				0	
5	Clarification	/	Oil	1	Effluent Treatment
	Room			1	Pond
6	Boiler House			1	Biogas Plant
				2	-

The latest medical surveillance programme was carried out from 4-5/9/18 for a few group of workers from different work units (kernel plant, water treatment and effluent plant, store keeper, workshop operator @ fitter, laboratory and confined space competent person).

Training for employees are provided. The training includes for the employees handling chemicals and other safe working procedures. Details of the trainings organised by the mil management is shown in 4.4.6.1.

The mill issued PPE to all its employees based on CHRA assessor's recommendation and pictorial safety standard. The common PPE provided are safety boots and safety helmets and cotton gloves. Other specified PPE i.e. are issued for designated type of work such as harness (working at height), leather gloves for the cage handlers and workshop personnel, ear plug for employees working at high noise density etc.

SOP of handling of chemicals is available. The document was dated 26/02/17 titled "chemical safety management" 17 pages. Therein is shown requirement & selection of chemicals, assessment of chemicals hazards, selection of supplier and transportation of chemicals storage and handling.



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The management appointed the ill Manager as the Chairman for the ESH committee. As to date, no changes noted in the committee. The appointment was signed by the Regional General Manager via a letter dated 18/7/2017. The Manager in turn elects the Engineers to further execute and monitor all the ESH practices in the day-to-day running of the mill.

Communications on safety are made through safety meeting /site supervision/dialogue/briefing during the weekly muster. The safety meeting was held 3 monthly having a total of 4 meeting in a year.

There were standard agenda discussed as provided by PSQM. Additional issue where deemed important by the committee will be included in the discussion. Minutes of 2 meetings 12/3/19 & 12/6/19 were sighted. Among others the agenda discussed are:

- 1. Workplace inspection
- 2. Line site visit report
- 3. Accident statistics/report/Unsafe act
- 4. Legislative requirement /update
- 5. Hose reel & hydrant /street light report
- 6. Scheduled Waste
- 7. GCAD/PSQM Audit highlight

Accident and emergency procedures are available. There is a formation of ERP Team & ERP for all the identified incidences. The organisation chart for the ERP team was appointed and displayed for information of the employees. Drill for fire ERP was latest organised on 20/04/19. Other ERP were briefed during the weekly gathering and explained during the ad-hoc briefing at individual stations. These trainings are recorded in the log book maintained at the operations site.



		training on 12/9-13/9/17 conducted by St John Ambulans Malaysia is still found to be valid for 3 years until 11 th September 2020. Records of all accidents are kept. Accident are reviewed during safety meetings. Reported to DOSH via JKKP 6/JKKP 8 and to Sime Darby's headquarters using online system called SMS-IT. Date				r 2020. ved during safety	
		disal HIRA the	bility). ARC was rev committee.	Oil room Workshop Total dent reported categorized rewed accordingly and inventional reporting to DOSH 27807/2018 dated 17/1/19	estigation I via JKKF	was also held by	
Criterior	1 4.4.5: Employment conditions	70.0	101100 1101 071	-, 00, 12010 dated 1, 1, 1, 1	•		
4.4.5.1	The management shall establish a policy on good social practice regarding human rights in respect of industrial harmony. The policy shall be signed by the top management and communicated to the employees. - Major compliance -	Man Emp mon work	agement po loyees are litor to ensur	intation Bhd has develop licy covers the necessary aware of their rights and re no violations. Briefing of stractors on 24/6/2019. See materials.	aspects of workers policies w	of human rights. and staff union were given to the	Complied
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4.4.5.2	The management shall not engage in or support discriminatory practices and shall provide equal opportunity and treatment regardless of race, colour, sex, religion, political opinion, nationality, social origin or any other distinguishing characteristics. - Major compliance -		Complied
4.4.5.3	Management shall ensure that employees' pay and conditions meet legal or industry minimum standards as per Collective Agreements. The living wage should be sufficient to meet basic needs and provide some discretionary income based on minimum wage. - Major compliance -	There was employment contracts for staffs and workers. Pay and conditions are documented and are above the Minimum Wage Order	Complied
4.4.5.4	Management should ensure employees of contractors are paid based on legal or industry minimum standards according to the employment contract agreed between the contractor and his employee. - Minor compliance -	The contractors have signed on the contract agreement prior commencement of work in the mill area. In the agreement, it was clearly stated that the contractors should ensure compliance according to legal requirements. Sampled of the payslips of contractor's workers for January 2019 to June 2019 as below: i. Passport No.: BT 0067919 ii. Passport No.: BK 0851510 iii. Passport No.: BL 0282273 iv. Passport No.: BE 0556886	Complied

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		All the workers were paid above the Minimum Wage Order 2018.	
4.4.5.5	The management shall establish records that provide an accurate overview of all employees (including seasonal workers and subcontracted workers on the premises). The records should contain full names, gender, date of birth, date of entry, a job description, wage and the period of employment. - Major compliance -	The mill management has registered all their workers into Employee Master Details Listing where personal details such as full name, gender, date of birth, date join company, race, designation, wages and etc. Sampled of the EMR as below: i. Employee No.: 24837 ii. Employee No.: 82041 iii. Employee No.: 24863 iv. Employee No.: 96139 v. Employee No.: 82002 Besides, contractors have provided the records of employees to the management to maintain.	Complied
4.4.5.6	All employees shall be provided with fair contracts that have been signed by both employee and employer. A copy of employment contract shall be made available for each and every employee indicated in the employment records. - Major compliance -	The employees that recruited by the mill are from local, Indonesia and	Complied



4.4.5.7	The management shall establish a time recording system that makes working hours and overtime transparent for both the employees and employers. - Major compliance -	All the daily attendance were recorded by punch card system on daily basis and overtime was recorded in the individual card. Besides, the summary of Mill Daily Attendance Report for every month was developed and maintained as well.	Complied
4.4.5.8	The working hours and breaks of the individual worker indicated in the time records shall comply with legal regulations and collective agreements. Overtime shall be mutually agreed upon and shall meet the legal requirements applicable. - Major compliance -	Interview with workers and document reviewed on the punch card as well as payslip shown that the overtime payments are in accordance to law and workers are not forced to work overtimes. Sime Darby Plantation Sdn Bhd has obtained approval from Jabatan Tenaga Kerja Semenanjung Malaysia (Ref. No.: BHG.PU/9/134 JLD 9 (11) dated 27/3/2017) to allow their workers to work not more than 130 hours of overtime per month. Verified the summary of Mill Daily Attendance Report found that the overtime does not exceeded 130 hours.	Complied
4.4.5.9	Wages and overtime payment documented on the pay slips shall be in line with legal regulations and collective agreements. - Major compliance -	Wages and overtime were paid according to the "punch card system". Total hours of overtime and daily attendance has recorded in the individual card. Sampled the payslip based on the crop summary for December 2018, January 2019 and March 2019 as below: i. Employee No.: 24837 ii. Employee No.: 143657 iii. Employee No.: 123501 iv. Employee No.: 96139 v. Employee No.: 82002 All of them above have achieved the Minimum Wage Order 2016 and Minimum Wage 2018. Hours of overtime has recorded in the payslip and the payment for overtime were paid according to the legal requirements.	Complied
4.4.5.10	Other forms of social benefits should be offered by the employer to employees, their families or community such as incentives for good work performance, bonus payment, support of professional	The management has contributed 10kg of rice once every 2 months for all their workers. Besides, all the workers are provided with free medical facilities. In additional, all the workers are entitled with the	Complied

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	development, medical care provisions and improvement of social surroundings. - Minor compliance -	phone allowance of RM 5 for every month. Free housing facilities were provided to all the workers and their families. Besides, every employee is provided with festival allowance of RM 100/ year. Employee with children will be given RM 100/ year of allowance. The mill management has subsidized the transportation to send the children to school for RM 12.50/ month.	
4.4.5.11	In cases where on-site living quarters are provided, these quarters shall be habitable and have basic amenities and facilities. - Major compliance -	The mill management has provided free housing facilities to all the workers. Basic amenities such as water and electricity were provided to the workers. The housing condition was accordance to the Workers' Minimum Standards Housing and Amenities Act 1990 (Act 446). Interviewed with the workers confirmed that they did not have any complain or grievance related to housing to be reported. If there is any breakdown or defect, they will report to the chargeman. Linesite inspection was carried out on weekly basis by using the Housing Complex/ Creche/ Community Hall Inspections checklist. The last inspection was carried out on 18/7/2019 in Main Division and 16/7/2019 in New Coconut Division.	Complied
4.4.5.12	The management shall establish a policy to prevent all forms of sexual harassment and violence at the workplace. - Major compliance -	SDPSB has implemented Social Policy and Social & Humanity Management Policy dated January 2015 where the management is committed to develop and apply a policy to prevent sexual harassment and other forms of violence against women and to protect their reproductive rights. Interviewed with the female workers found that no sexual harassment or violence case reported so far.	Complied
4.4.5.13	The management shall respect the right of all employees to form and join trade union and allow workers' own representative(s) to facilitate collective bargain in accordance with applicable laws and regulations. Employees shall be given freedom to join trade unions relevant to the industry or organize themselves for collective bargaining. Employees shall have the right to organize and negotiate their work conditions. Employees exercising this right should not be discriminated against or suffer	SDPB has implemented Social Policy dated January 2015 where the management is committed and respect the rights of all personnel to form and join trade unions of their choice and to bargain collectively. The mill management allowed their workers to form or join any association such as NUPW. Union meeting was conducted on 11/7/2019 with the members and management representatives to discuss issues related to workers. Seen the meeting minutes and found properly documented. Issues were recorded in the meeting minutes.	Complied



4.4.5.14	repercussions. - Major compliance - Children and young persons shall not be employed or exploited. The minimum age shall comply with local, state and national legislation. - Major compliance -	Interviewed with the workers confirmed that they are allowed to join Union based on their willingness. The company has developed Child Protection policy dated January 2015. Operating units are complied with the minimum age requirement. No employees below the age of 18 were sighted through verified the Employee Master Listing and interviewed with the workers.	Complied
Criterior	4.4.6: Training and competency		
4.4.6.1	All employees and contractors shall be appropriately trained. A training programme shall include regular assessment of training needs and documentation, including records of training. - Major compliance -	The program mainly covers both requirement of the estates and mill in the SOU 4. The subject for the training are issued and assisted by the SQM personnel. The following topics included in the annual training program 2018/19 among others are extracted below; a) OSH Act 7 regulations 1994. b) Environmental Quality Act 1974 c) USECHH 2000 d) OSH Committee and function. e) Workplace inspection f) First Aid Training/fire fighting g) Scheduled waste training h) RSPO/MSPO/SCCS training i) Water treatment /Environmental Management j) HCV & Biodiversity training. k) NADOPOD/HIRARC l) Personnel hygiene m) 5S /LOTO/Working at height/working in confined space n) ERP chemical & oil spill Records of training for Flemington Mill sighted during this audit is since the last audit is shown below.	Complied

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4.4.6.2	Training needs of individual employees shall be identified prior to the planning and implementation of the training programmes in order to provide the specific skill and competency required to all employees based on their job description. - Major compliance -	establish stations, Included environr environr handling	ned. The details of the training is subjects, and employees group. I in this program are subjects remental, safety & health policy, schonental responsibility, HCV & Biomental responsibility, The composition of the composit	needs included and to elected was adiversity trool of processing the control of processing and t	environment e.g. te management, raining, machine ess parameters,	Complied
		Date 20/4/ 19 20/04 /19 6/8/1 8 15/7/ 19 8/7/1 9 24/6/ 19 11/07 /19 27/6/ 19 6/6/1 8 27/4/ 19 The trai	Subject First aid training Fire evacuation training Scheduled waste management training Noise exposure training Chemical Handling & Labelling SD Policy/COBC/RSPO/MSPO/Whistle Blowing MSPO refresher training MSPO SCCS training Social Training (passport safe keeping briefing) Fire drill / First Aid Briefing	Trainer EHA Assistant manager Assistant	ogram has been	



		training needs is later transferred to the formation of the training program.	
4.4.6.3	A continuous training programme shall be planned and implemented to ensure that all employees are well trained in their job function and responsibility in accordance to the documented training procedure.	This is in compliance and detailed in 4.4.6.1 above. Training program are made on annual basis. In addition, it is subject for a review during the financial year should need arises	Complied
	- Minor compliance -		
4.5 Prin	ciple 5: Environment, natural resources, biodiversity	and ecosystem services	
Criterio	n 4.5.1: Environmental Management Plan		
4.5.1.1	An environmental policy and management plan shall be in line with the relevant country and state environmental laws shall be established, effectively communicated and implemented. - Major compliance -	There is an Environmental Management Policy for the mill issued and endorsed in Jan 2015 by the Managing Director. Inside the policy among others has stated that the Company is committed to protecting the environment and conserving biodiversity through sustainable development.	Complied
4.5.1.2	The environmental management plan shall cover the following: a) An environmental policy and objectives; b) The aspects and impacts analysis of all operations - Major compliance - 	Policy is available and objectives stated therein. The environmental impact evaluation for boiler operation, power generation, crude palm oil storage leakage and spillage, ruptured, effluent pond ruptured, anaerobic process pond release of gas to atmosphere.	Complied
4.5.1.3	An environmental improvement plan to mitigate the negative impacts and to promote the positive ones, shall be developed, implemented and monitored.	The mill monitors aspects and impacts among others the following activities This 2019 plan is available and similar to the reduction of pollution and emission. Mainly the areas relating to significant impact to the environment and the effort implemented are summarised below. The Plan was endorsed on 11/7/19	Complied

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- Major compliance -					
		Environme	Solution	Time	
		ntal Issues	Procedure/Action Plan	frame	
		Erosion of		Done &	
	1	effluent	contain bund parameter.	continu	
		pond bund	Place gunny containing	ous	
			ash around the eroded		
			bund within the		
			mangrove wood		
			placement		
			Place used tyre at the		
			eroded bund to maintain		
		Overflow	bund parameter.	Dana 9	
	٦	of POME	To monitor & check pond level on daily	Done & continu	
	-	. OI POME	basis.	ous	
			To ensure system	ous	
			(POME Discharge) in		
			proper order.		
			To check all pump,		
			drainage & piping in		
			good condition.		
			To check bund and		
			ensure all in functional		
			condition.		
		Piping for	Daily checking	Done &	
	3	raw pond		continu	
		to biogas		ous	
		plant			
		leaking			
		(via pump)			

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	4 Pipe for	Daily checking	Continu	
	mixing	Dully Circuity	OUS	
			Jus	
	anaerobic			
	pond to			
	compost			
	plant			
	leaking			
	(via pump)			
	5 Pipe	To isolate & stop the	continu	
	leakages	related process & close	ous	
	(CPO)	incoming/outgoing		
	during	valves.		
	processing	To barricade the		
	time	spillage, the spillage		
		area to prevent the		
		spilled oil from entering		
		the monsoon drain.		
		To clear the oil at the		
		floor with fibre then		
		using water to clean up		
		the residue & ensure all		
		being discharge into		
	C Chaminal	process drain.	Davis 0	
	6 Chemical	To place metal tray to	Done &	
	spillage at		continu	
	chemical	doing mixing chemical	ous	
	store &	operations		
	boiler			
	station			
	7 Overflow	Daily check & clean clay	continu	
	calcium	bath pit and check	ous	
	carbonate	pump.		
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4.5.1.4	A programme to promote the positive impacts should be included in the continual improvement plan.	waste water to monsoon drain. Records of periodical reporting of the listed issues were available. These were the evidence which showed that the plans been monitored. The plans were reviewed annually during the EPMC and the monthly operations meetings. This is available as per item 4.5.1.3 above. All programme for improvement are shown in the action plan column.	Complied
	- Minor compliance -		
4.5.1.5	An awareness and training programme shall be established and implemented to ensure that employees understand the policy, objectives and management plans and are working towards achieving objectives. - Major compliance -	A training program is available in the SOU 4 Training Program updated on a yearly basis or revised as per the management requirement. Included in this programme are subjects related to environment among others listed below; a) Environmental Quality Act & Regulations 1974 b) Environmental, safety & health policy, c) ERP Oil /chemical spill d) Scheduled waste management, e) Environmental responsibility, HCV & Biodiversity training.	Complied
4.5.1.6	The management shall organize regular meetings with workers where concerns of workers about the environmental quality are discussed. - Major compliance -	The environmental issues are discussed in a meeting by the EPMC (Environmental Performance Monitoring Committee). Latest EPMC meeting was carried out on 14/6/19. The agenda discussed among others as follows; a) matters arising b) workplace inspection c) biogas and compost operation report d) scheduled waste report e) effluent management and performance.	Complied

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Criterio	In addition, environmental issues were also touched during the quarterly ESH meetings and also briefed during the weekly muster. 4.5.2: Efficiency of energy use and use of renewable energy								
4.5.2.1	Consumption of non-renewable energy shall be optimized and closely monitored by establishing baseline values and trends shall be observed within appropriate timeframe. There should be a plan to assess the usage of non-renewable energy including fossil fuel, electricity in the operations over the base period	The monitoring electricity general calculated as elefor the mill entire kwh/mt CPO.	ated by ctricity o	steam generate	turbine to	tabulated urbine th	d for 20 nat produ	19. It i	s Compiled r
	- Major compliance - A monthly record on energy consumption for both renewable and non-renewable sources were also maintained documented. It is monitored to optimize use of renewable energy. The data is compiled for comparison and control for future improvement with aim of gradual reduction particularly diesel. The following data was compiled by the mill to fulfill the requirement and monitoring:								1 r I
		FFB processed mt CPO processed Fibre	Jan 19 16,90 3.02 3,381 .21 2,028	Feb 19 18,38 9.91 3,783 .90 2,206	Mac 19 23,57 2.4 4,805. 04 2,828.	Apr 19 23,09 0.85 4,714 .33 2,770	May 19 21,94 4.46 4,274. 28 2,633.	Jun 19 17,34 6.42 3,408 .34 2,081	
		usage/mt Shell usage/mt	.36 845.1 5	.79 919.5 0	69	.90 1,154 .54	34 1,097. 22	.57 867.3 2	



	- Major compliance -	from the mill ope		as showi descript		ocation				
4.5.3.1	All waste products and sources of pollution shall be identified and documented.	All waste and pollution are identified and documented in the Waste Management Plan for Financial Year 2018/19. The waste generated								Complied
Criterior	1 4.5.3: Waste management and disposal									
4.5.2.3	The use of renewable energy should be applied where possible. - Minor compliance -	system. Surplus of purposes or sold mulching and of	The fibre and shell are used in the boiler for fuel recycled in the process system. Surplus quantity of shell/fibre are delivered to estates for multi purposes or sold to outside buyers. EFB is used in the estates for mulching and compost production. Details of renewable energy fibre/shell used in the mill is shown in 4.5.2.1 above.							Complied
		a) Non-rend mt diese b) Renewal	 In this relation the following data were sighted and verified a) Non-renewable energy usage for Jan – June 2019. Average mt diesel/mt CPO produced is 0.94 b) Renewable energy usage for Jan – June 2019. Average shell/fibre mt /mt CPO is 0.85. 							
4.5.2.2	The oil palm premises shall estimate the direct usage of non-renewable energy for their operations, including fossil fuel, and electricity to determine energy efficiency of their operations. This shall include fuel use by contractors, including all transport and machinery operations. - Major compliance -	Renewable energy usage mt/CPO mt The mill records FFB processed at determine the ef a) All the di b) Fibre/she	nd CPO (ficiency lesel use ell used	oroduced of their d ed (non-r (renewal	I to operation enewablo ole)	s; e) for the	e mill ope	erations	he	Complied



		1	Scheduled waste	filter hydra used	aulic oil, grease,	Scheduled waste store			
		2	Domestic waste	mill empl used	oish from the complex and loyees' quarters paper, plastic & bottles, food e.	Linesite, office, workshop, store, shop			
		3	Production waste	Fibre shell scrap POM solid	boiler ash, iron, EFB, decanter	Mill & compost plant			
		the op DC	e boiler are me erations. Thes DE. There was	onitore e repo no ma	tion generated from the stace orts are reviewed jor issue since the	k emission de by the mill a e last audit.	uring the en nd submitted	tire d to	
4.5.3.2	A waste management plan shall be developed and implemented, to avoid or reduce pollution. The waste management plan should include measure for:	an		e plai	nt Plan for Finand n listed the was elow;				Complied
	a) Identifying and monitoring sources of waste and pollution.b) Improving the efficiency and recycling potential of mill byproducts by converting them into value-added products.	1	Waste description Spent	IPA,	Action to be tak		PIC MS		
	- Major compliance -		-	filter,	Store items ur keys	,	_		



	hydraulic oil, grease, used batteries, fluorescent lamp.	Dispose to registered vendor Abide sale procedure as stipulated by DOE. Comply to procedure stipulated MQMS SOP Handling of scheduled waste. Comply to Environmental Quality Regulations 2005 Establish list of SW/Notify DOE for all SW generated/appropriate SW labelling	
2	rubbish from the mill complex and employees' quarters used paper, plastic & glass bottles, food waste.	hygiene	Ariff/
3	Fibre, palm kernel shell, boiler ash, scrap iron, EFB, POME, decanter solids.	Monitoring of collection & application. Monitoring of field application record. Monitoring of usage & application Monitoring discharge & sales records.	MS Ariff Makhzum i



4.5.3.3	The palm oil mill management shall establish Standard Operating Procedure for handling of used chemicals that are classified under Environmental Quality Regulations (Scheduled Waste) 2005, Environmental Quality Act, 1974 to ensure proper and safe handling, storage and disposal. Scheduled waste shall be disposed as per Environmental Quality Act 1974 (Scheduled Waste) Regulations, 2005 - Major compliance -	The SOP for handling the used chemicals under this classification are documented under operational control procedure dated 26/2/2015 of 53 pages. The document is titled as Document title scheduled waste (hazardous waste) management document ID SD/SDP/PSQM (ESH)/203-EN1. The document is sighted and details of the handling is given for the all the identified SW and used chemicals.	Complied
4.5.3.4	Domestic waste should be disposed as such to minimize the risk of contamination of the environment and watercourse. - Minor compliance -	The scheduled waste store was assessed. The pesticide containers are disposed as scheduled waste. The scheduled waste collection consignment notes are reviewed to confirm the disposal of the pesticide containers are according to the best practice. Pesticide containers are also reused as premix containers. Any of the pesticide containers that are to be disposed are triple rinsed and punctured. Sighted a consignment of SW with details below; Date of disposal: 24/4/2019 Consignment no: 040393-001-0008 Type: SW 110 – fluorescent light @ e-waste Quantity: 0.044 mt Contractor: Kualiti Alam Sdn Bhd. Consignment no: 040393-005-0008 Type: SW 409 – chemical container Quantity: 0.073 mt Contractor: Kualiti Alam Sdn Bhd. Consignment no: 040393-006-0008 Type: SW 410 – contaminated rags/plastic Quantity: 0.156 mt Contractor: Kualiti Alam Sdn Bhd.	Complied



		Consignment no: 040393-007-0008 Type: SW 418 – 040393-007-0008 Quantity: 0.069 mt Contractor: Kualiti Alam Sdn Bhd. Consignment no: 040393-011-0006 Type: SW 322 – non-halogen waste/used chemical Quantity: 0.044 mt Contractor: Kualiti Alam Sdn Bhd. Consignment no: 040393-012-0001 Type: SW 305 – used oil Quantity: 0.378 mt Contractor: Kualiti Alam Sdn Bhd.	
Criterio	n 4.5.4: Reduction of pollution and emission		
4.5.4.1	An assessment of all polluting activities shall be conducted, including greenhouse gas emissions, particulate and soot emissions, scheduled wastes, solid wastes and effluent. - Major compliance -	The polluting activities are identified and documented in the Environmental Aspect & Impact Identification. From the EAI, it will be evaluated for the impact and any impact will be included in the management plan. The evaluation is documented in the Environmental Impact Evaluation. Stack sampling 1st half – 24-25th May 2018 (report ref: L-PG-AQ1805CSD-042 dated 22/6/18) Boiler no.1 (PMD 8703): 0.2272 mg/Nm3 at 12% CO2 Boiler no.2 (PMD 8704): 0.2584 mg/Nm3 at 12% CO2 2nd half – 26th December 2018 (report ref: L-PG-AQ1812CSD-0576 dated 4/2/19) Boiler no.1 (PMD 8703): 0.1964 mg/Nm3 at 12% CO2 Boiler no.2 (PMD 8704): 0.1913 mg/Nm3 at 12% CO2	Complied



			8/6/19, refer to service job	sheet no. 36334. Re	port is	
4.5.4.2	An action plan to reduce identified significant pollutants and emissions shall be established and implemented. - Major compliance -	Environme ntal Issues Erosion of effluent pond bund	Solution Procedure/Action Plan Place mangrove wood to contain bund parameter. Place gunny containing ash around the eroded bund within the mangrove wood placement Place used tyre at the eroded bund to maintain	Time frame Done & continu ous	port is	Complied
		Piping for raw pond to biogas	bund parameter. To monitor & check pond level on daily basis. To ensure system (POME Discharge) in proper order. To check all pump, drainage & piping in good condition. To check bund and ensure all in functional condition. Daily checking	Done & continu ous Done & continu ous		

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		T	ı	1	
	plant				
	leaking				
Ш	(via pump)]	
4	Pipe for	Daily checking	Continu		
	mixing		ous		
	anaerobic				
	pond to				
	compost				
	plant				
	leaking				
	(via pump)				
5	Pipe	To isolate & stop the	continu	1	
ا ا	leakages	related process & close	ous		
	(CPO)		ous		
		incoming/outgoing			
	during	valves.			
	processing	To barricade the			
	time	spillage, the spillage			
		area to prevent the			
		spilled oil from entering			
		the monsoon drain.			
		To clear the oil at the			
		floor with fibre then			
		using water to clean up			
		the residue & ensure all			
		being discharge into			
		process drain.			
6	Chemical	To place metal tray to	Done &	1	
		prevent spillage while	continu		
	chemical	doing mixing chemical	ous		
	store &	operations	ous		
	boiler &	Operations			
	station				

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4.5.4.3	Palm oil mill effluent (POME) shall be treated to ensure compliance with standards as stipulated in the relevant Environmental Quality (Prescribed Premises) (Crude Palm Oil) Regulations 1977. POME discharge limits and method should be in accordance with the respective state and national policies and regulations. - Major compliance -	in the "Jadual P Biochemical Ox course. Regular addition, daily s supervisory pers parameters are for compliance.	effluent of the community of the check sonnel and submitted sighted the check sighted the community of the check sonnel and submitted the check sonnel and	n" license hand (BOD and (BOD) is made king on the deffluent and using "Bod its effluent and its effects and its e	s regularly issued to 0) dischar on montly e effluent attendant orang Pen t results	the mill. ge is 100 nly basis a ponds a s. Reports yata Suku below sul	ed as prescribed The limit for the O mg/l for water and quarterly. In re made by the s for the effluent u Tahun" to DOE bemitted to DOE. ement. (Units in	Complied
		Parameters	Std	3/4/19	10/5/1 9	29/6/1 9		
		PH	5-9	9.2	9	8.9	1	
		BOD	100	67	97	98]	
		Suspended solids	400	340	380	320		
		Oil & grease	50	4	4	4]	
		Ammonical Nitrogen	150	11	119	20]	
		Total N	200	75	125	82]	

Criterion 4.5.5: Natural water resources



4.5.5.1	The management shall establish water management plans to
	maintain the quality and availability of natural water resources
	(surface and ground water). The water management plan may
	include:

- a) Assessment of water usage and sources.
- b) Monitoring of outgoing water which may have negative impacts into the natural waterways at a frequency that reflects the mill's current activities.
- c) Ways to optimize water and nutrient usage and reduce wastage (*e.g.* having in place systems for re-use, night application, maintenance of equipment to reduce leakage, collection of rainwater, etc.).
- Major compliance -

The Water Management Plan for the mill has been established. It was last reviewed on 16/7/18 for the 2018/19 plan. Included therein are the following documents which were sighted and verified;

a) Contingency plan during water shortage

	Area/incident	Action steps	PIC
1	Water shortage/prol onged dry season	to purchase water from LAP to train/educate staff/workers to conserve water - to obtain treated water supply from mill's WTP	MS AAO Ariff Moha na
2	Severe water pollution/ contaminatio n	to purchase water from LAP to perform treatment of polluted water to check monsoon drain water pollution level.	MS AAO Nadz ri Moha na

Water analysis is schedule every 3 month. Latest report dated 25/6/19 (report no. IE647/2019) and 20/3/19 (report no. IE315/2019). No off-limit spec reported however sample taken was insufficient.

b) Water reduction plan

Issues/Areas	Action Steps	Status

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1 Hot water To use sterilizer Done &	
usage as condensate water as continu	
dilution at dilution ous	
press station	
2 Turbine To recycle water as Done	
cooling water hot water	
at engine	
room	
3 All process Prioritize dry cleaning continu	
stations on daily basis ous	
4 Water Used for only Done &	
overflow from cleaning with continu	
vacuum drier pressure pump. ous	
tank	
5 Hot water Only using deoiling Done &	
usage for oil tank supernatant & continu	
recovery at oil recovery ous	
clarifier underground tank	
water	
6 Hot water Minimize usage of 2 Done &	
usage for decanters running continu	
decanter simultaneously & ous	
flushing reduce frequency of	
flushing.	
a) Identification 9 management of waste water	
c) Identification & management of waste water	
locatio Wastewater produced Treatment/	
n containment	



		1	Proces	Decanter heavy	Decanter		
			sing station	phase, condensate, clay bath solution	pit/ETP		
			S	ciay batil solution			
		2	Boiler	Blowdown, cleaning water	Sludge pit, ETP		
		3	Engine room	Steam condensate, turbine cooling water	Monsoon drain, recycled tank		
		4	Labora tory	Cleaning water	Process drain		
		5	Works hop	Cleaning water	Monsoon drain		
		6	washro om	Toilet water, cleaning water	Septic tank		
		ins an Qu	/3/19 (resufficient alysis with ality Sta	eport dated 25/6/19 (eport no. IE315/2019 sample as per remarth reference to class ndard (NWQS). Thus a), O&G was no k stated in the IIA/IIB of N minor NC wa	t tested due to e certificate of lational Water s issued.	
4.5.5.2	Where open discharge of POME into water course is practiced, mills should undertake to gradually phase it out in accordance to the applicable state or national regulations.	Sin	nilar to oth king into	luent treatment and reponers mills within the organ having a zero discharge tate eliminating the wate	nization the mill system or estat	management is blishing a biogas	Complied
	- Major compliance -		rent.	ace chilinating the water	лсош эс аррпса	non practiced at	
4.6 Princ	4.6 Principle 6: Best Practices						
Criterior	1 4.6.1: Mill Management						



4.6.1.1	Standard operating procedures shall be appropriately documented and consistently implemented and monitored. - Major compliance -	The mill processing system is documented in the Sustainability Plantation Management System MQMS/SQM/08 v 1 dated 01/11/2008 which includes the mill SOP, and Mill Quality Management Manual v.1 2008/MQMS/QMM/08. These documents provide guidelines and standards in the mill operations. The Standard Operating procedure (SOP) described details from the reception, sterilisation, threshing, pressing, clarification, depericarping (nut polishing) station, effluent, laboratory, workshop, despatches etc. In addition, there are also manuals available within the industry and MPOB that are used as guidelines.	Complied
4.6.1.2	All palm oil mills shall implement best practices. - Major compliance -	The monitoring of the mill process is made through the shift supervision headed by an Assistant Engineer and the Mill Assistant. All process parameters are documented and summarized in a daily report. The external monitoring is made through visits by the CEO/General Manager and also technical personnel from the Head Office. DOSH performed the annual UPV machinery inspection. In addition, there are audits by PSQM and GCAD. This is to ensure compliance to Policies, procedures in relation mill operations, financial, OSH, welfare among others.	Complied
4.6.2.1	A documented business or management plan shall be established to demonstrate attention to economic and financial viability through long-term management planning. - Major compliance -	The annual business plan is available. The document is in the form of annual budget and the projection for 5 years (Budget year, PY2, PY3, PY4, PY5) prepared as guidance for future planning. New budget projection is based on calendar year. The business plan contains FFB processed, production of CPO & PK. The Component of operating expenditure among others includes; a) Process labour, b) Maintenance external, maintenance parts, c) Consumable, EVIT, d) Administration cost,	Complied

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		e) Labour overhead. Detailed report documented under MG_1001 (processing cost, crop and yield per ha) and RG_MY41 (labour overhead and administration) projected until 2023. Inclusive in the business plan is also Capital Expenditure (CAPEX) among others showing expenditure on; a) Replacement / upgrading of building/ b) Machinery, c) Workers' amenities and staff The profit and loss statement was made available prepared by the Regional office.	
Criterior	4.6.3: Transparent and fair price dealing		
4.6.3.1	Pricing mechanisms for the products and other services shall be documented and effectively implemented.	Flemington POM has processed FFB from company owned estates and outsider crops.	Complied
	- Major compliance -	Contract agreements for the OCP were verified during the audit and sampled contracts as below: i. Agreement No.: P/P/0119/FFB01317L which valid until 31/12/2019. ii. Agreement No.: P/P/0119/FFB01321L which valid until 31/12/2019. iii. Agreement No.: P/P/0119/FFB01320L which valid until 31/12/2019. iv. Agreement No.: P/P/0119/FFB01316L which valid until 31/12/2019. v. Agreement No.: P/P/0119/FFB01322L which valid until 31/12/2019. vi. Agreement No.: P/P/0119/FFB01433L which valid until 31/12/2019.	



		The terms and conditions were stated in the agreement and acknowledged by the OCP.	
4.6.3.2	All contracts shall be fair, legal and transparent and agreed payments shall be made in timely manner. - Major compliance -	There are two payments made for the OCP, Advanced Payment and Final Payment. The Advanced Payment is paid on weekly basis that the payment of 70% of the value equivalent to the total FFB delivered every 7 days or more during the delivery month at the time prior to the end of the week of the said month. For final payment, payment of remaining outstanding monthly purchase price shall be made on or before 10th day of the following month. Sampled of the payment records as below:	Complied
		INV# P/ADVVCH-19353 dated 21/5/2019; Payment made on 27/5/2019	
Criterio	n 4.6.4: Contractor		
4.6.4.1	In case of the engagement of contractors, they shall be made to understand the MSPO requirements and shall provide the required documentation and information. - Major compliance -	The contractors engaged by the mill management has signed on a letter regarding the compliance of RSPO/ MSPO. The terms and requirements that require to be complied by the contractors as below: i. Comply with local legal requirements. ii. Attend the RSPO/ MSPO/ SCCS briefing or training organized by company. iii. Having signed and enforceable agreement with the company. iv. Provide access to the RSPO/ MSPO/ SCCS auditors to contractors' operation site(s) and employees whenever deemed necessary. v. Ensure PPE utilization by contractors' employee while in the premises. Briefing of sustainability were given to the workers and contractors on 24/6/2019. Seen the training attendance list and training materials. Interviewed with the contractors confirmed that they were provided with training and have signed on the letter.	Complied



4.6.4.2	The management shall provide evidence of agreed contracts with the contractor. - Major compliance -	Mill has engaged contractors for varieties of works such as machinery rental, labour supply and maintenance works. Sampled of the agreement between company and the contractors as below: i. Company Name: MS Ramu Enterprise for excavator rental for EFB loading which valid until 31/1/2019. ii. Company Name: Lotus Two Enterprise for labour supply which valid until 31/12/2019. Company Name: M.K. Kumar Enterprise for supply rental machinery which valid until November 2019.	Complied
4.6.4.3	The management shall accept MSPO approved auditors to verify the assessments through a physical inspection, if required. - Minor compliance -	A letter dated 02/7/2019 on RSPO/ISCC/MSPO awareness issued to all the contractors, vendors of the mill. This letter was sighted and has stated that all Contractors need to follow RSPO/ISCC/MSPO guideline in accordance with the Sime Darby Plantation of Mill Quality Management System.	Complied



Section 4: Assessment Conclusion and Recommendation

Acknowledgement of Internal Responsibility and Formal Sign-off of Assessment Findings

Based on the findings during the assessment Flemington Palm Oil Mill and Flemignton SOU 4 Estates Certification Unit complies with the MS 2530-3:2013 and MS 2530-4:2013. It is recommended that the certification of Flemington Palm Oil Mill and Flemignton SOU 4 Estates Certification Unit is approved and/or continued.

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Appendix A: Assessment Plan

Date	Time Subjects		HNS	МН
Sunday	PM	Audit team travelling to Teluk Intan		√
21/07/2019 Monday 22/07/2019 Flemington POM	10nday 0830 - 0900 Opening Meeting: • Opening Presentation by Audit team leader. • Confirmation of assessment scope and finalize Audit plan (including stakeholder's consultation).		√ √	√ √
	0900 - 1300	Flemington POM FFB receiving, warehouse, workshop, wastes management & Landfill, Effluent Ponds, OSH & ERP, Environment issues, POME application, water treatment, laboratory, weighbridge and palm product storage area, staff, workers and contractor interview, housing and facility inspection, clinic, etc.	√	√
	1000 - 1300	Meeting with stakeholders (Government, village rep, smallholders, Union Leader, contractor etc.)	√	-
	1300 – 1400	Lunch	√	√
	1400 - 1630	Flemington POM Document Review P1 – P6 (part 4), P1: Management commitment and responsibility, P2: Transparency, P3: Compliance to legal requirement, P4: Social responsibility, health safety and employment condition, P5: Environment, natural resources, biodiversity and ecosystem services and P6 : Best practices	√	√
	1630 - 1700	Interim Closing Briefing	√	√
Tuesday 23/07/2019 Flemington Estate	0830 - 1300	Flemington Estate Field visit, boundary inspection, field operations, staff & workers interview, buffer zone, HCV area, IPM implementation, OSH&ERP, workshop, storage area (agrochemical, fertilizer, lubricant etc), agrochemical mixing area, Schedule waste management, worker housing, clinic, Landfill, etc.	√	V
	1000 – 1300	Meeting with stakeholders (Government, village rep, smallholders, Union Leader, contractor etc.)	√	-
	1300 -1400	Lunch	√	√
	1400 - 1630	Flemington Estate Document review P1 – P6 (part 3), P1: Management commitment and responsibility, P2: Transparency, P3: Compliance to legal requirement, P4: Social responsibility, health safety and employment condition, P5: Environment, natural resources, biodiversity and ecosystem services and P6: Best practices, P7: Development of New Planting	√	√
	1630 - 1700	Interim Closing Briefing	√	√



Date	Time	Subjects	HNS	МН
Wednesday 24/07/2019 Bagan Datoh Estate	0830 - 1300	Bagan Datoh Estate Field visit, boundary inspection, field operations, staff & workers interview, buffer zone, HCV area, IPM implementation, OSH&ERP, workshop, storage area (agrochemical, fertilizer, lubricant etc), agrochemical mixing area, Schedule waste management, worker housing, clinic, Landfill, , etc.	√	√
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	1630 - 1700	Preparation of Closing Meeting	√	√
	1700 – 1800	Closing Meeting	√	√



Appendix B: List of Stakeholders Contacted

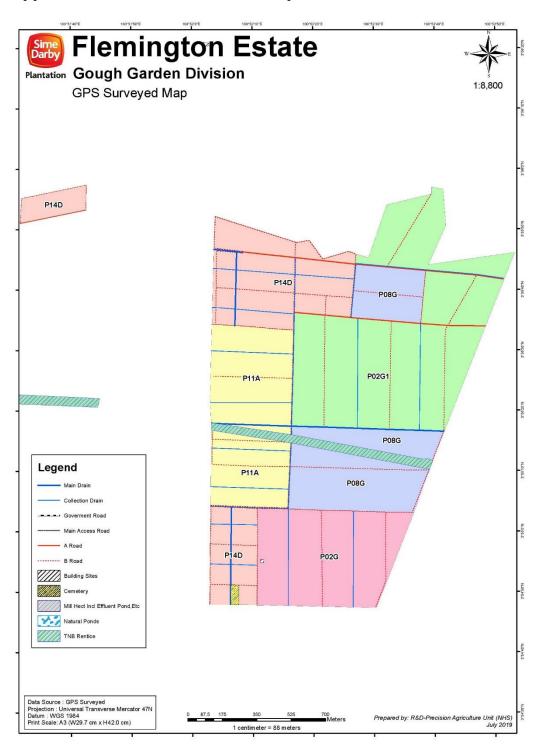
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Workers Representative Government Departments Teacher of SJKT Ladang New Coconut	NGO No complaint by NGO for Flemington CU. Therefore, NGO was not contacted.

Appendix C: Smallholder Member Details

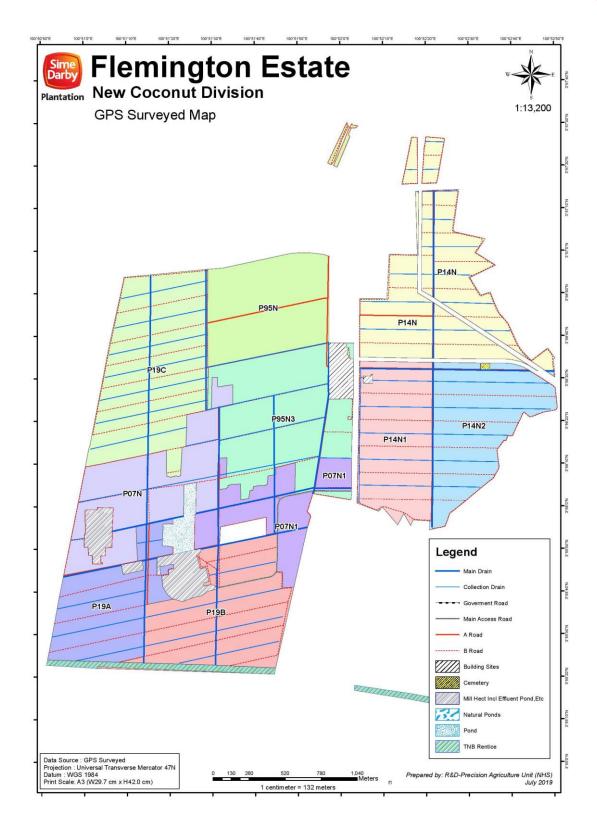
No	Name of smallholder	Year Planted	Land Area (ha)	Forecast FFB (Mt/ha/year)			
1	Not applicable						



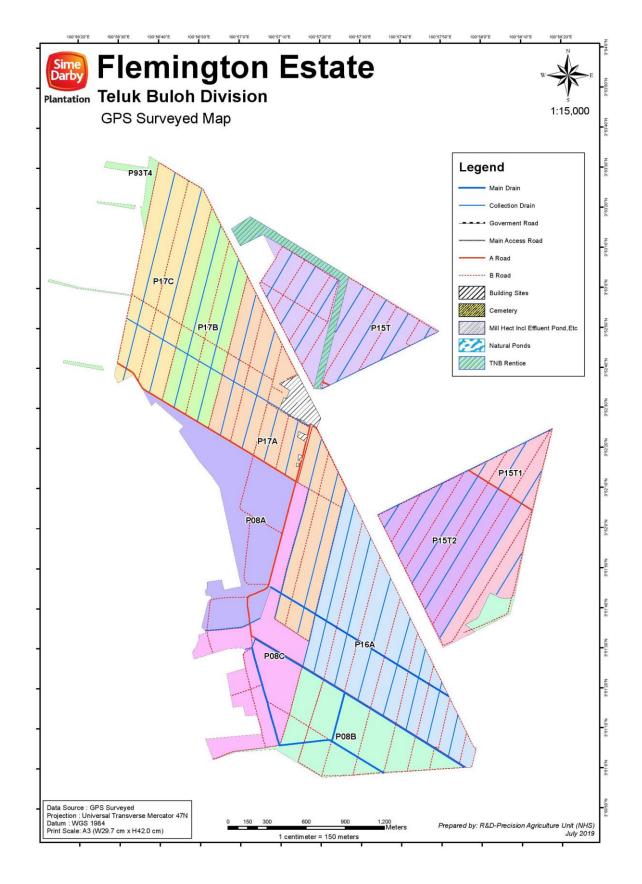
Appendix F: Location and Field Map



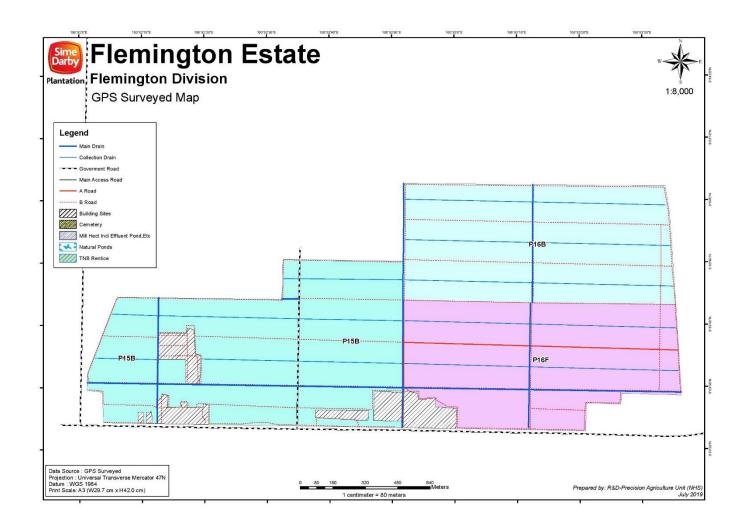




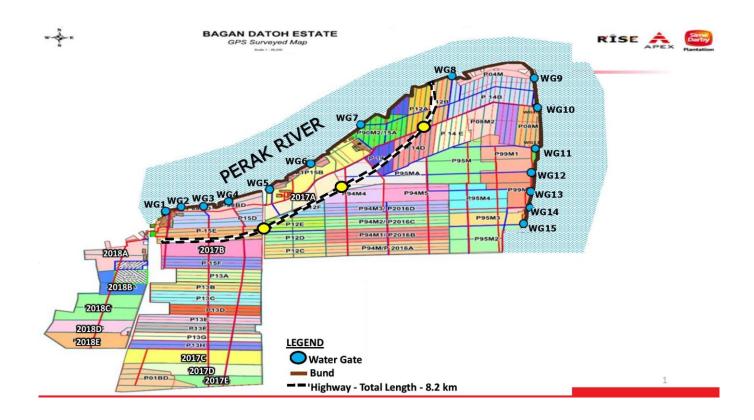














Appendix G: List of Abbreviations

BOD Biochemical Oxygen Demand

CB Certification Bodies

CHRA Chemical Health Risk Assessment COD Chemical Oxygen Demand

CPO Crude Palm Oil EFB Empty Fruit Bunch

EHS Environmental, Health and Safety
EIA Environmental Impact Assessment
EMS Environmental Management System

FFB Fresh Fruit Bunch

FPIC Free, Prior, Informed and Consent

GAP Good Agricultural Practice

GHG Greenhouse Gas

GMP Good Manufacturing Practice
GPS Global Positioning System
HCV High Conservation Value
IPM Integrated Pest Management

ISCC International Sustainable Carbon Certification

LD50 Lethal Dose for 50 sample
MSPO Malaysian Sustainable Palm Oil
MSDS Material Safety Data Sheet

MT Metric Tonnes
OER Oil Extraction Rate

OSH Occupational Safety and Health

PK Palm Kernel
PKO Palm Kernel Oil
POM Palm Oil Mill

POME Palm Oil Mill Effluent

PPE Personal Protective Equipment

RTE Rare, Threatened or Endangered species
SEIA Social & Environmental Impact Assessment

SIA Social Impact Assessment SOP Standard Operating Procedure