

27 December 2017

Dear Stakeholders,

Invitation to comment on RSPO Initial Assessment of FELDA Global Ventures Plantations (Malaysia) Sdn Bhd – Besout Palm Oil Mill and supply base, Sungkai, Perak, Malaysia

FELDA Global Ventures Holdings Berhad (FGV) (RSPO Membership No: 1-0225-16-000-00) has appointed BSI to conduct RSPO Initial Assessment of its Besout Palm Oil Mill and supply base. The assessment will be conducted at 1 Palm Oil Mill and 2 Oil Palm Plantations which are managed by FELDA Global Ventures Plantations (Malaysia) Sdn Bhd (FGVPM). The certification unit is located at Sungkai, Perak, Malaysia

BSI plans to conduct initial assessment of Besout Palm Oil Mill from 6th until 8th February 2018. The assessment will be conducted based on the Malaysian National Interpretation of RSPO P&C for Sustainable Palm Oil Production: MYNI 2014 and RSPO Supply Chain Certification Standard – CPO Mills (Revised 14 June 2017). The assessment will cover legal, environment, economical, workers’ health and safety, and social aspects as required by RSPO P&C.

The following are the information on the certification unit:

Besout Palm Oil Mill and Supply Base	
Mill Name	Besout Palm Oil Mill
Mill Capacity (tonnage/hour)	54 mt/hr
Location	Sungkai, Perak, Malaysia
Address	35600 Sungkai, Perak, Malaysia
GPS Reference (Palm Oil Mill)	101° 16’ 34” E ; 3° 52’ 48” N
CPO Tonnage (Projection 2018)	10,955.12 mt
PK Tonnage (Projection 2018)	2,738.78 mt
FFB Tonnages (Projection 2018)	49,796.00 mt

Estates	GPS Reference	Mature Palm (Ha)	Immature Palm (Ha)	Total Concession (Ha)	FFB Projection (MT)
FGVP Besout 6 estate	101° 16’ 39” E ; 3° 46’ 40” N	1,114.33	1,036.88	2,384.90	22,628.00
FGVP Besout 7 estate	101° 17’ 35” E ; 3° 50’ 35” N	1,911.69	583.31	2,908.04	27,168.00
TOTAL		3,026.02	1,620.19	5,292.94	49,796.00

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The BSI Audit Team assigned for the initial assessment of Besout Palm Oil Mill and Supply Base is as follows:

Mr Mohamed Hidhir Zainal Abidin as Lead Auditor (CPO mill Supply Chain elements assessment, Best Agriculture Practices at mil and estates, OHSAS, Legal, HCV and Social); **Mr Mohd Hafiz Mat Hussain** as Team Member (Legal and Environment) and **Mr Hafriazhar Mohd Mokhtar** as Team Member (Legal, Social and Internal and External Stakeholder Consultation)



In preparation for the assessment, related stakeholders are invited to provide written input to the assessment by commenting on related aspects in FGVPM operation particularly on environment or social aspect. Topics that you may wish to comment on are as follows:

- Environmental Protection
- Biodiversity conservation
- Opportunity for employment
- Company approach to community development
- Your relationship with the company
- Participation in decision making
- Free, prior and informed consent
- Suggestion for improvement

Comment received within 30 days from the date of this letter will be considered in the Assessment. Please include the following details in case we may need to contact you for clarification or follow-up on any issue raised by you.

Name:
Address:
Email:
Phone Number:
Fax Number:

If you wish your comments to be treated confidentially or to remain anonymous, please mark your reply "IN CONFIDENCE"

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Thank you very much for your input.

Your sincerely



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