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Public Notification: RSPO Recertification Audit of Tomanggong Certification Unit, Hap Seng Plantations Holdings Bhd (RSPO membership number 1-0098-11-000-00)

Dear Stakeholder,

This is to inform that the above Management Unit under the Parent Company Hap Seng Plantations Holdings Bhd with RSPO membership number 1-0098-11-000-00 has appointed SIRIM QAS International Sdn. Bhd. to conduct the Recertification Audit at Tomanggong Palm Oil Mill and its supply base, located at Lahad Datu, Sabah, Malaysia. The audit will be conducted from **28 October 2024** until **1 November 2024** against the requirements of:

Malaysia National Interpretation (MYNI) 2019 of RSPO Principles and Criteria 2018 for the Production of Sustainable Palm Oil

RSPO ID number of the Mill is: RSPO_PO1000002136

Refer attachment 1 for information of the production data to be assessed on the mills and estates.

Hap Seng Plantations is one of the largest producers of sustainable palm oil in Sabah, East Malaysia. It is focused on the upstream activities in the palm oil industry where it grows oil palms in its estates, harvests and processes fresh fruit bunches (FFB) into crude palm oil (CPO) in its own mills. Hap Seng Plantations' current total landbank of 40,279 hectares across five estates. These are Jeroco Group of Estates (JGOE), Tomanggong Group of Estates (TMGOE), Sungai Segama Group of Estates (SSGOE), Ladang Kawa Estate, Pelipikan and Kota Marudu Estates, with JGOE, TMGOE and SSGOE being contiguous to each other in Lahad Datu.

Status of New Planting Procedure (NPP) process and RaCP (Remediation and Compensation Procedure) process:

Name of Estate	NPP Status	RaCP Status
Tomanggong Estate	Not applicable	Not applicable
Tagas Estate	Not applicable	Not applicable
Litang Estate	Not applicable	Not applicable

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The audit team for the audit consists of the following:

Audit Team	Role / Area of Requirement	Qualification and Experience
Mohd Zulfakar Kamaruzaman	Audit Team Leader / Social issues, Timebound Plan and RSPO Metric Template	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • B.Sc. Forestry - University Putra Malaysia • More than 5 years working experience related to Oil Palm Plantation • Successfully completed System Accredited Lead Assessor training for QMS, EMS and OHSAS • Successfully completed RSPO P&C Lead Auditor Course • Successfully completed RSPO Supply Chain Certification Lead Auditor Course by David Ogg. • Attended RSPO ISH Training by RSPO Secretariat in 2023.
Rozaimiee Ab Rahman	Auditor / Environmental Issues, GHG and Supply Chain (SC)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Diploma in Fisheries - University Putra Malaysia • B.Sc. Agriculture (Hons) - University Putra Malaysia • More than 5 years working experience related to Oil Palm Plantation • Successfully completed accredited Lead Assessor training for EMS and OHSAS • Successfully completed RSPO P&C Lead Auditor Course by Wild Asia • Successfully completed RSPO Supply Chain Certification training course by David Ogg • Attended RSPO ISH Training by RSPO Secretariat in 2022.
Dzulfiqar Azmi	Auditor / Occupational, Safety & Health Issues and Good Agricultural Practices (GAP)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • B.Sc. (Hons) In Plantation Technology and Management - University Teknologi MARA. • More than 6 years working experience related to Oil Palm Plantation. • Successfully completed Lead Auditor Integrated Management Systems ISO 9001, ISO 14001 & ISO 45001. • Successfully completed RSPO P&C Lead Auditor Course by Checkmark Training. • Successfully completed RSPO Supply Chain Certification Lead Auditor Course by David Ogg. • Attended RSPO ISH Training by RSPO Secretariat in 2023.
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SIRIM QAS International Sdn. Bhd. invites stakeholders to provide comments (if any) on any following matters related to the site for audit. Comments are only accepted within 30 days from the date of this letter and will be considered in the audit.

Comments that are requested to be treated confidential or to remain anonymous, please insert "CONFIDENTIAL" in the subject of your reply.

Commenters will need to include the details below in case we need to contact you for further clarification on any issues that were raised.

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We thank you for your comments and feedback.

Yours faithfully,


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Details of Tomanggong Palm Oil Mill and its supply base:

PALM OIL MILL (POM) FOR THIS AUDIT						
Name of Palm Oil Mill	Mill Capacity (Tonnes/Hr)	Location	GPS Reference		Forecast Annual Output (MT)	
			Latitude	Longitude	CPO	PK
Tomanggong POM	45	Off 80 KM, Jalan Jeroco, 91109 Lahad Datu, Sabah, Malaysia.	5° 25' 38.3" N	118° 39' 33.5" E	31,873	7,189

SUPPLY BASE TO THE ABOVE POM						
Name of Estates / Association	Location	GPS Reference		Area Summary (Ha)		Forecasted annual FFB Production (MT)
		Latitude	Longitude	Total Certified Area	Planted Area	
Tomanggong Estate	Off 80 KM, Jalan Jeroco, 91109 Lahad Datu, Sabah, Malaysia.	5° 24' 01.9" N	118° 39' 51.7" E	2,654.80	2,407.00	51,319
Tagas Estate	Off 80 KM, Jalan Jeroco, 91109 Lahad Datu, Sabah, Malaysia.	5° 21' 47.3" N	118° 38' 14.2" E	2,212.33	2,019.00	39,484
Litang Estate	Off 80 KM, Jalan Jeroco, 91109 Lahad Datu, Sabah, Malaysia.	5° 19' 31.6" N	118° 34' 28.3" E	2,648.62	2,474.70	58,812
TOTAL				7,515.75	6,900.70	149,615