

## Particulars

### About Your Organisation

#### 1.1 Name of your organisation

SarVision B.V.

#### 1.2 What is/are the primary activity(ies) or product(s) of your organisation?

- ☐ Palm Oil Grower
- ☐ Processor and/or Trader
- ☐ Consumer Goods Manufacturer
- ☐ Retailer
- ☐ Bank and/or Investor
- ☐ Social and/or Development NGO
- ☒ Environmental and/or Conservation NGO
- ☒ Affiliate

#### 1.3 Membership number

8-0227-19-000-00

#### 1.4 Membership category

Organisations

#### 1.5 Membership sector

Affiliate

## NGOs

### 1. Operational Profile

#### 1.1 What are the main activities of your organisation?

Providing services and products in Remote Sensing. Focus: Forest-, crop- and flood monitoring in help of satellite radar imagery. Natural Capital Accounting. Biodiversity modelling

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#### 1.2 What activities has your organisation undertaken to publicise programmes to support the RSPO, RSPO certification, the uptake of RSPO-certified sustainable palm oil and oil palm products, or to support good standing RSPO members during the reporting period?

Finalizing ESA Tropical Peat View project in collaboration with Indonesian government (LAPAN, BRG). For this project a complete Near Real Time peat forest monitoring system has been developed and is now fully operational for entire Borneo with data back to 2016 up to Oct 2019. With WWF the TPV is being updated up to current. We propose a follow up of the TPV for all peat areas in Indonesia, including detection of hydrology changes underneath the peat forest canopy, and extended with selective logging detection. This system can be used by RSPO members to monitor illegal logging and classifying forest areas that are not suitable for palm oil plantation. In addition the system allows the detection of undesired draining of peat forest into former drainage canals causing a high vulnerability for fire of peat forest areas near the plantations. Further we created for WWF an updated palm oil plantation map for Borneo for the year 2017.

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#### 1.3 What percentage of your organisation's overall activities focus on palm oil?

5.0%

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#### 1.4 Did members of your organisation participate in RSPO working groups and/or taskforces during the reporting period?

No

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#### 1.5 Does your organisation have any collaborations with public or private sector palm oil industry players to support them in their efforts to increase the production or consumption of certified sustainable palm oil (CSPO)?

No

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#### 1.6 How is your organisation's work on palm oil funded?

Private sector, NGO or Governmental

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## 2. TimeBound Plan

**2.1 Which year did your organisation start or expects to start participating in RSPO working groups and/or taskforces?**

2020

**2.2 Which year did your organisation start or expects to start undertaking and publicising programmes to support the RSPO, RSPO certification, uptake of RSPO-certified sustainable palm oil and oil palm products and/or good standing RSPO member?**

2020

### 3. Actions for Next Reporting Period

#### 3.1 Please outline activities that your organisation will take in the coming year to promote the production or consumption of certified sustainable palm oil (CSPO)

Promoting the use of a radar based Near Real Time forest monitoring system that allows: - The detection of illegal deforestation, canal and road development within or next to palm oil concessions. - Use of the monitoring system to avoid deforestation within or outside the palm oil concessions -avoidance of forest and peat fires in or near the palm oil concession areas -allowing to send intervention teams to areas with undesired activities - Pre-classification of unsuitable areas for the establishment of palm oil plantations

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#### 4. Shared Responsibility

*The Board of Governors of the Roundtable on Sustainable Palm Oil (RSPO) approved new Shared Responsibility rules on 31 October 2019, requiring all members to share sustainability requirements and obligations. Reporting of Shared Responsibility indicators will be done through several channels, including ACOP. As the implementation of Shared Responsibility reporting is still on-going and in development, the Shared Responsibility section in ACOP is not yet final and may change in future ACOP cycles. For more information on Shared Responsibility, please go to <https://rspo.org/news-and-events/news/what-are-the-new-shared-responsibility-rules> or email the ACOP team at [acop@rspo.org](mailto:acop@rspo.org)*

##### Labour & Labour Rights

##### 4.1 Does your company have a publicly-available policy covering Labour & Labour Rights?

Yes

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##### 4.1.1 Does the policy cover:

- ☒ No discrimination
- ☐ Wage and working conditions
- ☒ Freedom of association
- ☒ No child labour
- ☒ No harassment
- ☒ No forced or trafficked labour

##### 4.1.2 Has your company previously uploaded or linked its Labour & Labour Rights policy in previous ACOP reporting cycles?

No

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##### Ethical Conduct & Human Rights

##### 4.2 Does your company have a publicly-available Policy covering Ethical Conduct & Human Rights?

Yes

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##### 4.2.1 Does the policy cover:

- ☒ Recruitment
- ☒ Contractors
- ☒ Sub-Contractors & Third-Party Contractors

##### 4.2.2 Has your company previously uploaded or linked its Ethical Conduct & Human Rights policy in previous ACOP reporting cycles?

No

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**Occupational Health & Safety****4.3 Does your company have a publicly-available Policy covering Occupational Health & Safety?**Yes

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**Climate Change & Greenhouse Gas (GHG)****4.4 Does your company have a publicly-available policy covering Climate Change & Greenhouse Gas (GHG)?**No

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**Complaints & Grievances****4.5 Does your company have a Complaints & Grievances Mechanism?**Yes

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**4.5.1 Is your Complaints & Grievances mechanism in line with the RSPO's grievance mechanism? For details of the RSPO's grievance mechanism, please go to <https://askrspo.force.com/Complaint/s/>**No

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**Smallholders****4.6 Does your company support oil palm independent smallholder groups?**No

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**4.6.3 Do you have any future plans to support oil palm Independent Smallholders?**Yes

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## 5. Challenges

### 5.1 What significant obstacles or challenges has your company encountered in the promotion of certified sustainable palm oil (CSPO)? What efforts has your company taken to address these obstacles or challenges?

- ☐ Awareness of RSPO in the market
- ☐ Difficulties in the certification process
- ☐ Certification of smallholders
- ☐ Competition with non-RSPO members
- ☐ High costs in achieving or adhering to certification
- ☐ Human rights issues
- ☐ Insufficient demand for RSPO-certified palm oil
- ☐ Low usage of palm oil
- ☐ Reputation of palm oil in the market
- ☐ Reputation of RSPO in the market
- ☐ Supply issues
- ☒ Traceability issues
- ☐ No challenges faced
- ☐ Others

Others

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### 5.2 In addition to the actions already reported in this ACOP report, what other ways has your company supported the vision of the RSPO to transform markets to make sustainable palm oil the norm?

- ☐ Engagement with business partners or consumers on the use of CSPO
- ☒ Engagement with government agencies
- ☐ Promotion of CSPO outside of RSPO venues such as trade workshops or industry associations
- ☐ Promotion of physical CSPO
- ☐ Providing funding or support for CSPO development efforts
- ☒ Research & Development support
- ☒ Stakeholder engagement
- ☐ No actions taken
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#### 1.6 How is your organisation's work on palm oil funded?

Relation to the use of a Near Real Time forest monitoring system. Funded by ESA, NGO's, governments or private companies

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## 2. Actions for Next Reporting Period

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Promote the use of our radar based Near Real Time forest monitoring system to: -avoid illegal deforestation and development of canals and roads -avoid conversion of unsuitable areas for oil palm -provide Near Real Time information on undesired activities in or near the palm oil concession areas -avoiding forest and peat fires -providing information on flooding: historic, current and future

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