

February 19 of 2015

Dear Mr(S),

**ANNOUNCEMENT OF PUBLIC CONSULTATION REGARDING THE PROCESS OF CERTIFICATION OF  
NATURACEITES S.A. ACCORDING TO THE REQUIREMENTS OF RSPO PRINCIPLES & CRITERIA  
STANDARD**

IBD Certificações informs that the **NATURACEITES S.A.** is now in the application process for **RSPO Principles & Criteria Certification** related to the production of sustainable oil production. The audit is scheduled for **March 23th to 26<sup>th</sup>**.

<b>Naturaceites S.A.</b>	
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Scope	Production , Processing, Milling, Refining, Storing and Trading of Palm Oil, Palm Kernel and Palm Kernel Oil
Number of sites	6
Website:	www.naturaceites.com

<b>Base of suppliers</b>						
Name or category	Planted area (Ha)		GPS Location		Location	Estimated Annual Production of FFB (mt)
	Total	Mature	Latitude	Longitude		
Pataxte	950.00	950.00	15.3483N	89.2921W	NaturAceites región Polochic, El Estor, Izabal	25,072
Chapin	1,191.00	1,191.00	15.3862N	89.2655W	NaturAceites región Polochic, El Estor, Izabal	37,704
Panacté	1,291.50	1,289.00	15.30856N	89.60487W	NaturAceites región Polochic, El Estor, Izabal	46,043
Río Zarco	1,066.00	1,052.20	15.3861N	89.3553W	NaturAceites región Polochic, El Estor Izabal	26,722
La Cabaña	622.00	622.00	15.4428N	89.4784W	NaturAceites región Polochic, El Estor Izabal	9,724
Chabiland	970.00	970.00	15.37471N	89.46825W	NaturAceites región Polochic, El Estor Izabal	28,945
<b>Total</b>	<b>6.090,50</b>	<b>6.074,20</b>				<b>174,21</b>

POM	Location	Production Summary (ton)	
		Palm Oil	Palm Kernel Oil
Pataxte	NaturAceites región Polochic, El Estor, Izabal.	60.415	5.084
<b>TOTAL</b>			

**About IBD**

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In addition to organic certification protocols, IBD also offers social and environmental certifications: RSPO (Roundtable on Sustainable Palm Oil), UEFT (Union for Ethical BioTrade), EcoSocial All Fair, 4C Association, Rainforest Alliance/Sustainable Agriculture Network.

## Public Consultation

The public consultation process is one of the main stages of the RSPO certification process, and it gives the possibility for interested parties, or affected by the company parties, to demonstrate and expose their views. With that in mind, IBD invites interested parties to provide in written form, data for the audit to be held at **NATURACEITES S.A.**, especially regarding environmental, labor and social aspects. We are open to positive and negative comments.

Among the topics to be commented on, but not limited to, are:

- **Environmental:** Compliance with current legislation, conservation of biodiversity, environmental protection,...
- **Labor:** Respect for workers' rights, employment opportunities,...
- **Social:** Impacts on the local community, relationship with these communities, transparency with the communities,...

These and any other topics that may be considered relevant may be directed to:

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We emphasize that we can contact you if we need more information on any raised issued. However, you may or may not be identified, and if you prefer to keep a low profile, your information will be considered confidential.

Comments received within 30 days, will be considered for this audit.

## About the audit team

Leader Assessor : David Ogg

Has more than 10 years of experience working in plantations and Good Agriculture Practices. Working with RSPO audits since 2009. Trained in similar programs like RSPO SCC, Globalgap, ISCC and GMP.

Assistant Assessor: Cuauhtemoc Cedillo

Has experience with management of natural resources, productive projects in rural areas, environmental laws and regulations.

Assistant Assessor : Huascar Blanco

Has large experience with palm oil plantations and production. Has experience with Food and Quality Management Systems. Globalgap auditor and internal auditor for ISO 14000, 9001 and FSSC 22000.

Assistant Assessor : Manfredo López Pineda

Has experience with Food Safety Management Systems, agrochemicals, large plantations and palm oil production.

Expert: Ingrid Ayub

Has experience as auditor leader for Sustainable Agriculture Network (SAN), auditor leader in Integrated Management Systems, ISO 19011: 2011 and certified inspector organic farms.

Since now, we appreciate your time and attention, and specially, your participation.

Best regards,



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