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Date: 10 March 2015

<u>Notification on RSPO Initial Certification Assessment (IC) of Sungai Binti POM – PT Agro Bukit - Goodhope Asia</u> <u>Holdings Ltd.</u>

Dear Stakeholders,

PT Mutuagung Lestari will conduct Initial Certification Assessment at PT Agro Bukit (RSPO membership number 1-0175-14-000-00) – PT Agro Bukit and its supply base, located in Sawahan village, Mentaya Hilir Utara Sub District, Kotawaringin Timur District, Kalimantan Tengah Province, Indonesia against the requirement of the RSPO Standard i.e. National Interpretation of Roundtable on Sustainable Palm Oil, Principles and Criteria (RSPO INA – NIWG, May 2008) Republic of Indonesia and Supply Chain Requirment for CPO Mill.

The organization is a member of RSPO and has been taking an active role in the RSPO certification processes. Goodhope Asia Holdings Ltd. implementing program to achieve RSPO Sustainable Palm Oil requirement for all of its production. Mutuagung Lestari has arranged to conduct the assessment of Sungai Binti POM – PT Agro Bukit management unit which operating 1 (one) mill and 4 (four) estates on 13 to 17 April 2015.

Information on production data of Mill and estates to be assessed are as follows:

		GPS Reference			Annual Volume	
Name of Mill	Location	Latitude	Longitude	Mill Capacity (Tonnes/ hour)	CPO Output (Tonnes/ year)	PK Output (Tonnes/ year)
Sungai Binti	Mentaya Hilir Utara Sub District, Kotawaringin Timur District, Kalimantan Tengah Province, Indonesia	2° 33' 48.166" N	112° 62' 4.556" E	90	63,301.00	13,727.30

* Source: Production data of March 2014 – February 2015

Nama of	Location	GPS Reference		Area	Planted	FFB
Estate(s)		Latitude	Longitude	(Ha)	Area (Ha)	Production (tonnes/year)
Tanah Putih	Mentaya Hilir Utara Sub District, Kotawaringin Timur District, Kalimantan Tengah Province, Indonesia	2° 30'43.541"– 2° 30'43.663" N	112° 42' 55.059" – 112° 46' 13.816" E	3,586.00	3,137.00	47,841.66
Sawahan	Mentaya Hilir Utara Sub District, Kotawaringin Timur District, Kalimantan Tengah Province, Indonesia	2° 30'43.663" – 2° 30'13.298" N	112° 46'13.816" – 112° 51'12.578" E	4,777.00	3,823.00	85,069.83
Sungai Lenggana	Mentaya Hilir Utara Sub District, Kotawaringin Timur District, Kalimantan Tengah Province, Indonesia	2° 33' 44.227" – 2° 32' 43.690" N	112° 46' 14.468" – 112° 50' 27.300" E	2,539.00	2,256.00	62,711.13
Sungai Binti	Mentaya Hilir Utara Sub District, Kotawaringin Timur District, Kalimantan Tengah Province, Indonesia	2° 33' 44.496" – 2° 33' 44.227" N	112° 42' 57.868" – 112° 46' 14.468" E	3,028.00	2,882.00	75,101.04
	Total			13,930.00	12,098.00	270,723.66

* Source: Production data of March 2014 – February 2015

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The assessor team for the certification assessment will consist of:

- 1. Bukti Bagja as Lead Auditor for legal aspect, environmental aspect, ecology and conservation and supply chain.
- 2. Rudi Ramdani as auditor for Good Agricultural Practice and social aspect.
- 3. Naila Karima as auditor for safety and health, waste management, Gender and environmental aspect.
- 4. Sofyan Hadi Lubis as auditor for social aspect, environmental aspect, and worker welfare.

PT. Mutuagung Lestari invites stakeholders to provide comments (if any) on any of the following matters related to the site for assessment,

- a. Environmental protection within the estate or mill including use of pesticide and effluent management.
- b. Biodiversity within the estate and mill
- c. Opportunities for employment
- d. Contribution for local development
- e. Provision of housing, sanitation, facility and education support
- f. Other issues related with the assessment

Comments accepted within 30 days from the date of this latter will be considered in the certification assessment. Please include the following details in case we may need to contact for your clarification on any issued raised.

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If you wish your comments to be treated confidentiality or remain anonymous, please mark your reply 'CONFIDENTIAL'. Please send your comments to:

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We thank you for your comments and feedback. Yours faithfully,

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