

Date: 30<sup>th</sup> March, 2017

**Notification on RSPO Recertification of Rantau Panjang POM – PT Guthrie Pecconina Indonesia subsidiary of Sime Darby Plantation Sdn Bhd (RSPO Membership: 1-0008-04-000-00-7 September 2004)**

Dear Stakeholders,

PT Guthrie Pecconina Indonesia subsidiary of Sime Darby Plantation Sdn Bhd (RSPO Membership: 1-0008-04-000-00-7 September 2004) – Rantau Panjang POM has applied to Mutuagung Lestari and will conduct Recertification at Rantau Panjang POM and its supply based, located in Rantau Panjang Village, Lawang Wetan Sub-District, Musi Banyuasin District, Sumatera Selatan Province, Indonesia against the requirement of Standard RSPO Principles and Criteria Indonesian National Interpretation 2013, endorsed September 2016 and Supply Chain Requirement for CPO Mill, November 2014.

The organization is a member of RSPO and has been taking an active role in the RSPO certification processes and planned to achieve RSPO Sustainable Palm Oil requirement for all of its production. Mutuagung Lestari has arranged to conduct the assessment to the organization which operating 1 (one) palm oil mill and 5 (five) oil palm estates on **15<sup>th</sup> to 20<sup>th</sup> May, 2017**.

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

| Name of Mill       | Location   | GPS Reference |                | Mill Capacity (Tonnes/hour) | Annual Volume            |                         |
|--------------------|--|---------------|----------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|
|                    |  | Latitude      | Longitude      |                             | CPO Output (Tonnes/year) | PK Output (Tonnes/year) |
| Rantau Panjang POM | Rantau Panjang Village, Lawang Wetan Sub-district, Musi Banyuasin District, Sumatera Selatan Province, Indonesia | S 02° 54' 59" | E 103° 44' 52" | 60                          | 34,670                   | 8,353                   |

\*Source: Production data of January 2016 to December 2016

| Nama of Estate(s)     | Location   | GPS Reference             |                               | Area (Ha)        | Planted Area (Ha) | FFB Production (tonnes/year) |
|-----------------------|--|---------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------|-------------------|------------------------------|
|                       |  | Latitude                  | Longitude                     |                  |                   |                              |
| Rantau Panjang Estate | Rantau Panjang, Karang Anyar and Talang Piase Villages, Lawang Wetan Sub-district, Musi Banyuasin District, Sumatera Selatan Province, Indonesia | S 2° 51' 03" – 2° 57' 01" | E 103° 42' 10" – 103° 47' 17" | 3,534.79         | 2,862.04          | 48,164                       |
| Bumi Ayu Estate       | Bumi Ayu Village, Lawang Wetan Sub-district, Musi Banyuasin District, Sumatera Selatan Province, Indonesia                                       | S 2° 50' 35" – 2° 55' 02" | E 103° 38' 16" – 103° 42' 25" | 2,960.95         | 2,226.02          | 39,811                       |
| Napal Estate          | Napal Village, Lawang Wetan Sub-district, Musi Banyuasin District, Sumatera Selatan Province, Indonesia  | S 2° 49' 25" – 2° 52' 27" | E 103° 37' 36" – 103° 41' 16" | 2,586.15         | 1,822.23          | 30,633                       |
| Karang Ringin Estate  | Karang Ringin and Ulak Tebera Villages, Lawang Wetan Sub-district, Musi Banyuasin District, Sumatera Selatan Province, Indonesia                 | S 2° 46' 02" – 2° 49' 46" | E 103° 35' 53" – 103° 39' 21" | 2,762.28         | 1,687.32          | 20,112                       |
| Mangun Jaya Estate    | Rantau Kasih and Pangkalan Jaya Villages, Lawang Wetan Sub-district, Musi Banyuasin District, Sumatera Selatan Province, Indonesia               | S 2° 48' 55" – 2° 53' 54" | E 103° 33' 22" – 103° 38' 11" | 1,557.47         | 1,481.29          | 19,109                       |
| <b>Total</b>          |  |                           |                               | <b>13,401.64</b> | <b>10,078.90</b>  | <b>157,829</b>               |

\*Source: Production data of January 2016 to December 2016

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of Agriculture, Forestry, and Fishery of Japan (MAFF) as registered overseas certification body (ROCB). MUTU certify and mark products with Japan agriculture standard (JAS) covering Indonesia, Myanmar, Cambodia, Malaysia, Vietnam, Timor Leste, Philippines, Papua New Guinea and China. MUTU is the first ROCB in Asia. National Accreditation Committee has accredited MUTU as Quality Management System certification body (ISO 9001:2015) and Environmental Management System certification body (ISO 14001:2015). Indonesia Ecolabelling Institute (LEI) has also accredited MUTU as Sustainable Forest Management System certification body, Certification Body of Indonesian Sustainable Palm Oil (ISPO), Since March 2014, MUTU has been accredited by ASI (Accreditation Services International) as a RSPO certification body.

The assessor team for the certification assessment will consist of:

1. **Sandra Purba** as Lead Auditor for legality aspect, land tenure and management conflict, conservation and supply chain.
2. **Leonada** as auditor for Occupational Health and Safety, waste management, and environmental aspect
3. **Brigitta Prita** as auditor for social aspect, worker welfare, and transparency information.
4. **Joko Alam** as auditor Good Agricultural Practices, Good Manufacturing Practices

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 waste management.
- b. Biodiversity within the estate and mill
- c. Contribution for local development and opportunities for employment
- d. Provision of housing, sanitation, facility and education support
- e. 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.

Name : \_\_\_\_\_  
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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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