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12 October 2020

Dear Stakeholders,

# <u>Invitation to comment on RSPO Initial Assessment of Independent Smallholder Group Koperasi Beringin Jaya in Riau Province, Indonesia.</u>

Koperasi Beringin Jaya with RSPO Membership No. 1-0290-20-000-00, has appointed BSI to conduct RSPO Initial Assessment for its Group Manager with 197 smallholders. The organization located in, Hang Jebat Street, Sungai Pinang Village, Koto Ringin Village, RT03 RW02, Mempura District, Siak Regency, Riau Province, Indonesia.

BSI plans to conduct Initial Assessment of Koperasi Beringin Jaya from 16 – 18 November 2020. The assessment will be conducted against RSPO Independent Smallholder Standard November 2019. The assessment will cover legal, environment, economical, workers' health and safety, and social aspects as required by RSPO P&C.

Koperasi Beringin Jaya				
Location	Hang Jebat Street, Sungai Pinang Village, Koto Ringin Village,			
	RT03 RW02, Mempura, Sik Regency, Riau Province, Indonesia.			
GPS Reference	0°49′57.5″ N; 102°3′33″ E			
Total Planted Area and Location	372.60 ha			
Total Number of Members	197 members			
Projected Certified FFB	7,500.00 mt			
Projected Certified CPO Total	1,537.50 mt			
Projected Certified PKO Total	412.50 mt			
Projected Certified PKE Total	-			
Projected Certified PK Total	-			

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The BSI Audit Team assigned for the certification assessment of Koperasi Beringin Jaya is as follows:

Name and Role	Aspect covered in this assessment		
Yudwi Wisnu Rahmanto	New planting, HCV/HCS, Environment, Peat management, Respect human rights.		
Lead Auditor			
Eko Purwanto	Legal, Land Rights and Community wellbeing, Transparency, Agronomy best		
Member	management practices, ICS Group business planning.		
Imam Fahrurozi	Group trading system Group entity and group management requirements,		
Member	labour/workers rights and conditions		

In preparation for the assessment, related stakeholders are invited to provide written input to the assessment by commenting on related aspects in Koperasi Beringin Jaya particularly on environment or social aspect. Topics you may wish to comment on are as follows but not limited to:

• Environmental Protection & conservation

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• Human rights & workers welfare

- Your relationship with the company
- Participation in decision making

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- Opportunity for employment
- Company approach to community development
- Free, prior and informed consent
- Suggestion for improvement

Comment received within 30 days from the date of this letter will be considered in the Assessment. Please include the following details in case we may need to contact you for clarification or follow-up on any issue raised by you.

Name:	 Email:	
Address:	 Phone Number:	
	 Fax Number:	

AND/OR

If you wish your comments to be treated confidentially or to remain anonymous, please mark your reply "IN CONFIDENCE". You may direct your comments to:

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We thank you and appreciate for your comments.

Yours sincerely

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