# Particulars

#### **About Your Organisation**

#### 1.1 Name of your organization

B.V. Remia Handelmaatschappij

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

Oil Palm Growers

- □ Palm Oil Processors and/or Traders
- Consumer Goods Manufacturers
- Retailers
- Banks and Investors
- Social or Development Organisations (Non Governmental Organisations)
- Environmental or Nature Conservation Organisations (Non Governmental Organisations)
- □ Affiliate Members
- □ Supply Chain Associate

#### 1.3 Membership number

4-0084-10-000-00

#### 1.4 Membership category

Ordinary

#### 1.5 Membership sector

**Consumer Goods Manufacturers** 

# **Consumer Goods Manufacturers**

### **Operational Profile**

- 1.1 Please state what your main activity(ies) is/are within manufacturing
  - End-product manufacturer
  - Food Goods
  - Own-brand-Manufacturer
  - Manufacturing on behalf of other third party brands
  - Other:

Ingredient manufacturer

#### **Operations and Certification Progress**

2.1 Please include details of all operations using palm oil, majority owned and/or managed by the member and/or related entities

2.1.1 In which markets where you operate, do you manufacture goods with palm oil and oil palm products?

Netherlands

2.1.2 In which markets where you operate, do you calculate how much palm oil and oil palm product there is in the goods you manufacture?

Applies Globally

Netherlands

2.2 Volumes of palm oil and oil palm products (Tonnes)

2.2.1 Total volume of Crude and Refined Palm Oil used in the year (Tonnes)

3,961

2.2.2 Total volume of Crude and Refined Palm Kernel Oil used in the year (Tonnes)

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2.2.3 Total volume of Palm Kernel Expeller used in the year (Tonnes)

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2.2.4 Total volume of other palm-based Derivatives and Fractions used in the year (Tonnes)

1,044

2.2.5 Total volume of all palm oil and oil palm products used in the year (Tonnes)

5,005

2.3 Volume of palm oil and oil palm products used in the year in your own brand products that are RSPO-certified (in tonnes):

Description	Crude and Refined Palm Oil	Crude and Refined Palm Kernel Oil	Palm Kernel Expeller	Other palm-based derivatives and fractions
2.3.1 Book and Claim from Mill / Crusher*	4,451.00	-	-	2,429.00
2.3.2 Book and Claim from Independent Smallholder*	-	-	-	-
2.3.3 Mass Balance	640.00	-	-	300.00
2.3.4 Segregated	3,321.00	-	-	671.00
2.3.5 Identity Preserved	-	-	-	-
2.3.6 Total volume	8,412.00	-	-	3,400.00

2.4 Volume of RSPO certified sustainable palm oil and oil palm products sold to other RSPO certified companies 😰 (in tonnes)

Description	Crude and Refined Palm Oil	Crude and Refined Palm Kernel Oil	Palm Kernel Expeller	Other palm-based derivatives and fractions
2.4.1 Book and Claim from Mill / Crusher	-	-	-	-
2.4.2 Book and Claim from Independent Smallholder	-	-	-	-
2.4.3 Mass Balance	-	-	-	-
2.4.4 Segregated	-	-	-	-
2.4.5 Identity Preserved	-	-	-	-
2.4.6 Total volume	-	-	-	-

2.5 What is the percentage of RSPO Certified Sustainable Palm Oil in the total palm oil used by your company in the following regions:

2.5.1 Africa	
2.5.2 Australasia	
2.5.3 China	
2.5.4 Europe (incl.Russia)	
2.5.5 India	
2.5.6 North America	
2.5.7 South America	
2.5.8 Indonesia	
2.5.9 Malaysia	
2.5.10 Middle East	
2.5.11 Rest of Asia	

#### **Time-Bound Plan**

3.1 Date of first supply chain certification (planned or achieved)

2012

3.2 Date expected to/or started to use any RSPO certified sustainable palm oil and oil palm products in your own brand products

2011

3.2.1 Referring to 3.2, in which markets where you operate do these commitments cover?

3.3 Date expected to be using 100% RSPO certified sustainable palm oil and oil palm products from any supply chain option in your own brand products

2011

3.4 Date expected to be using 100% RSPO certified sustainable palm oil and oil palm products from physical supply chains (Identity Preserved, Segregated and/or Mass Balance) in your own brand products

2018

3.5 Referring to 3.3 and 3.4, In which markets where you operate do these commitments cover?

Applies Globally, Netherlands

3.6 Does your company use RSPO certified sustainable palm oil and oil palm products in goods you manufacture on behalf of other companies?

Yes

3.7 Does your company have a Time-Bound Plan to only use RSPO certified palm oil and oil palm products in the goods you manufacture on behalf of other companies?

No

#### Trademark Related

4.1 Do you use or plan to use the RSPO Trademark on your own brand of products?

Yes

Please state which product range(s) and market(s) you intend to apply the Trademark and when you plan to start using the Trademark.

Shortenings Margarines and fats used as ingredients in the industry Frying oil/fats

#### Year: 2015

#### **Actions for Next Reporting Period**

# 5.1 Outline actions that you will take in the coming year to promote the use of RSPO certified sustainable palm oil and oil palm products along the supply chain

The actions that will be taken to promote sustainable palm oil will not differ a lot from what Remia has done during the past years. Within Remia every employee that is involved in the use of palm (as a raw material or end product) is aware of the sustainability issues. They know about the environmental and social criteria that the RSPO wants companies to comply to in order to make sustainable palm oil the norm. This knowledge is essential to have discussions with our suppliers and customers about sustainability. The buyers of Remia's end products are well informed about the options they have to support the goals of the RSPO. Remia actively promotes the use of sustainable palm oil. However, we do believe that especially the people who buy our products should be aware about the adverse effects of large scale palm oil productions. As soon as consumers are not only concerned but also prepared to pay extra for products that contain sustainable palm oil in stead of conventional palm oil (or fractions), the transformation to a more sustainable palm oil market will speed up.

#### **Reasons for Non-Disclosure of Information**

6.1 If you have not disclosed any of the above information, please indicate the reasons why

- Others:

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#### Application of Principles & Criteria for all members sectors

7.1 Related to your sourcing, do you have (a) policy/ies, that are in line with the RSPO P&C such as:

Water, land, energy and carbon footprints

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Land Use Rights

Ethical conduct and human rights

Uploaded file: --

Labour rights

Uploaded file: --

- Stakeholder engagement
- □ None of the above

7.2 What best practice guidelines or information has your organization provided in the past year to facilitate the uptake of RSPO certified sustainable palm oil and oil palm products? What languages are these guidelines available in?

#### Comment:

Many customers of Remia have already shown interest in switching from conventional palm oil to RSPO certified palm oil. Remia stimulates this development by working closely together with the customers and facilitating the switch.

#### **GHG Footprint**

8.1 Are you currently reporting any GHG footprint?

Yes

#### Support for Smallholders

9.1 Are you currently supporting any independent smallholder groups?

No

Do you have any future plans to support independent smallholders?

Yes, in 2022

# Challenges

1 What significant economic, social or environmental obstacles have you encountered in the production, procurement, use and/or promotion of CSPO and what efforts did you make to mitigate or resolve them?

The RSPO certification of the supply chain models MB and SG has given Remia the option to manufacture products that contain physical sustainable palm oil, palm fractions and derivatives. Especially sourcing through the supply chain SG has become more expensive during the last year. In general we would not be surprised to see that such a price development will slow down the transition from Book & Claim to phisical sustainable palm use. Certain palm fractions and derivatives have not always been sufficiently available. A limited availability of physical sustainable palm products creates problems in times of additional use and demand. It happened more than once that SG palm products were not available when Remia had the flexibility to switch from conventional to sustainable productions.

# 2 In addition to the actions already reported in this ACOP how has your organization supported the vision of RSPO to transform markets in other ways? (e.g. Funding; Engagement with key stakeholders; Business to business education/outreach)

Remia started to use the book & claim system in 2011. Since that year Greenpalm certificates (now RSPO credits) have covered all own brand productions to every sales destination in the world. Every year we see a relative increase of the palm oil and palm fractions that are sourced from physical supply chains. Regarding our Time-Bound plan we are still on schedule.

3 File -Please attach or add links to any other information from your organisation on your policies and actions on palm oil (EG: sustainability reports, policies, other public information)

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