

## Particulars

### About Your Organisation

#### 1.1 Name of your organization

Orangutan Land Trust

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

- Grower
  - Processor and/or Trader
  - Consumer Goods Manufacturer
  - Retailer and/or Wholesaler
  - Bank and/or Investor
  - Social and/or Development NGO
  - Environmental and/or Conservation NGO
  - Supply Chain Associate
  - Affiliate
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#### 1.3 Membership number

6-0014-09-000-00

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#### 1.4 Membership category

Environmental or Nature Conservation Organisations (Non Governmental Organisations)

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#### 1.5 Membership sector

Ordinary

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## Environmental and/or Conservation NGO

### 1. Operational Profile

#### 1.1 What are the main activities of your organisation?

Vision and Mission of Orangutan Land Trust

At Orangutan Land Trust our Vision is the long-term survival of the orangutan in the wild.

Our Mission is to enable sustainable solutions that ensure safe areas of forest for the continued survival of the orangutan

We work towards this Vision via three Key Strategies:

Encourage policy makers to develop and implement strong policies and to uphold existing laws that contribute to orangutan conservation

Support in-country initiatives and efforts to help deliver their aims

Develop appropriate and responsible partnerships to deliver tangible outcomes on the ground

Some of the activities eligible for support from Orangutan Land Trust include:

Protecting existing orangutan habitat, especially that which contains significant populations of orangutans

Finding, surveying and securing permanent release sites for both wild and rehabilitated orangutan

Finding, surveying and securing river islands for the penultimate step in the rehabilitation process of orangutans, and as permanent sanctuary for rescued and rehabilitated orangutans not suitable for total release into the wild, such as those with chronic disease or disabilities

Finding, surveying and securing new forest sites for the use of orangutans undergoing the rehabilitation process.

Providing infrastructure for above sites, such as security posts, feeding platforms, fencing, etc

Taking measures to protect these sites indefinitely

Forest rangers/anti-logging operations/fire-fighting efforts in orangutan habitat

Creating wildlife corridors

Reforestation and regeneration activities

Supporting alternative livelihoods and sustainable harvesting of forests (timber and non-timber forest products) in exchange for their protection in cooperation with local communities

Working with industries that pose a risk to orangutan habitat, such as the palm oil industry, to minimise impact in these areas

Education, outreach and empowerment in communities living in orangutan habitat areas to protect these areas

Lobbying local and national authorities to protect orangutan habitat

#### 1.2 Does your organisation use and/or sell any palm oil?

No

#### 1.3 What activities has your organisation undertaken to publicise programmes to support RSPO, RSPO certification, uptake of RSPO-certified sustainable palm oil and oil palm products and/or good standing RSPO members during the year?

We engage with all aspects of the supply chain, from growers to consumers, to raise awareness about sustainable palm oil and encourage commitments for production and uptake of CSPO. Through social networking, public speaking and traditional media (television, radio, print), we reach a wide audience globally. We have advised zoos and other institutions around the world on the issue of sustainable palm oil.

We participate in PONGO (Palm Oil and NGO) Alliance, a platform for collaboration between industry and NGOs/experts to enable sustainable solutions for the protection of wildlife in oil-palm landscapes.

#### 1.4 What percentage of your organisation's overall activities focus on palm oil\*?

80%

#### 1.5 Did members of your staff participate in RSPO working and/or taskforce groups in the reporting period?

Yes

#### 1.6 Do you have any collaborations with the industry players/private sector to support them in the market transformation towards RSPO-certified sustainable palm oil and oil palm products?

Yes

**1.7 How is your work on palm oil funded?**

Funding for our efforts in sustainable palm oil comes from our Sustainability Partners. Public donations help us support efforts on the ground, such as policy work, law enforcement and investigations into destruction of orangutan habitat; orangutan capture, harm and killing in oil palm landscapes; and restoration of areas illegally cleared for oil palm.  
We seek sponsorship to cover other costs, such as travel to meetings, so that none comes out of public donations.

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**2. Time-Bound Plan****2.1 Date started or expected to start participating in RSPO working and/or taskforce groups.**

2009

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**2.2 Date expected to undertake and publicise programmes to support RSPO, RSPO certification, uptake of RSPO-certified sustainable palm oil and oil palm products and/or good standing RSPO members.**

2009

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**3. Actions for Next Reporting Period****3.1 Outline activities that you will take in the coming year to promote sustainable palm oil along the supply chain.**

Engaging in the Sustainable Palm Oil Choice platform in Europe.  
Support efforts to create new Sustainable Palm Oil Cities around the world.  
Develop educational resources and training teachers in SE Asia on sustainable palm oil.  
Training practitioners in the field to manage "Orangutan-Friendly" estates.  
Advancing the work of the PONGO (Palm Oil and NGO) Alliance.  
Continuing to participate in working groups, taskforces and panels.  
Development of sustainable palm oil shopping app for UK and beyond.  
Continue to use social and traditional media outlets to educate the general public and to encourage differentiation between conventional palm oil and CSPO.  
Develop new Sustainability Partnerships amongst stakeholders.  
Continue membership in Palm Oil Innovation Group.

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**4. Application of Principles & Criteria for all members sectors****4.1 Regarding your organisation's operations and activities, do you have position statements and/or policies related to dealings in the palm oil industry that are in line with RSPO P&C? Select all relevant options.****4.1.A Water, land, energy and carbon footprints**

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**4.1.B Land use rights**

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**4.1.C Ethical conduct and human rights**

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**4.1.D Labour rights**

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**4.1.E Stakeholder engagement**

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**4.1.F None of the above**

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**4.2 What best practice guidelines or information has your organisation provided in the past year to facilitate production and consumption of RSPO-certified sustainable palm oil and oil palm products? What languages are these guidelines available in?**

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**5. Challenges****5.1 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?**

- Awareness of RSPO in the market
  - Difficulties in the certification process
  - Certification of smallholders
  - Competition with non-RSPO members
  - High costs in achieving or adhering to certification
  - Human rights issues
  - Insufficient demand for RSPO-certified palm oil
  - Low usage of palm oil
  - Reputation of palm oil in the market
  - Reputation of RSPO in the market
  - Supply issues
  - Traceability issues
  - Others
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**Other:**

We are working through RSPO working groups, etc to address issues which continue to present obstacles to positive transformation of the industry such as human rights issues, inclusivity of smallholders, traceability issues, non-compliance of some members, etc. We work to educate downstream stakeholders of the value of RSPO-certified palm oil and discourage blanket boycotts and Palm Oil Free labeling.

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**5.2 In addition to the actions already reported in this ACOP, how has your organisation supported the vision of RSPO to transform the market for sustainable palm oil in other ways? (e.g. Funding; Engagement with key stakeholders; Business to business education/outreach)**

- Engagement with business partners or consumers on the use of CSPO
  - Engagement with government agencies
  - Promotion of CSPO outside of RSPO venues eg trade workshops industry associations
  - Promotion of physical CSPO
  - Providing funding or support for CSPO development efforts
  - Research & Development support
  - Stakeholder engagement
  - Others
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**Other:**

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**5.3 Please attach or add links to any other information from your organisation on your palm oil policies and activities (e.g.: sustainability reports, policies, other public information)**

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