Intertek Certification International Sdn. Bhd.

Particulars

About Your Organisation

Organisation Name

Intertek Certification International Sdn. Bhd.

Corporate Website Address

http://www.intertek.com

Primary Activity or Product

■ Affiliate Member

Related Company(ies)

No

Membership

Membership Number	Membership Category	Membership Sector
8-0121-11-000-00	Affiliate	Association

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Affiliates/Supply Chain Associate Operational Profile

1.1. What are the main activities of your organisation?

As an accredited Certification Body, we conduct certification assessments based on RSPO, PEFC, ISO standards and requirements.

1.2. Activities undertaken to promote sustainable palm oil, the RSPO and/or members in the reporting period

Conducting of RSPO certification assessments and verification assignments for the RSPO members i.e Growers, Millers and parties in the supply chain for RSPO certified products.

1.3. Do you have any collaborations with the industry players/private sector to support them in the market transformation towards CSPO?

Yes

If yes, please give details:

Collaborations with MPOA, MPOB and MPOC.

If not, please explain why:

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1.4. Did members of your staff participate in RSPO working groups/taskforces in the reporting period?

Yes

1.5. What percentage of your organization's overall activities focus on palm oil?

50

1.6. How is your work on palm oil funded?

By audit fees charged to clients for the conduct of certification assessments and 3rd party verification programs.

Actions for Next Reporting Period

2.1. Outline actions that will be taken in the coming year to promote sustainable palm oil.

Participation in RSPO RTs, RSPO Working groups on related National Interpretations, Local Indicators of SPCs and RSPO endorsed training, workshops and seminars.

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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?

Market misconception and misinformation that CSPO and certified products has no added value whilst cost of maintaining certifications is incurred. Responsible production and procurement of CSPO from the source, supply chain till consumer has to be monitored for consistent implementation and improvement to ensure confidence in the sustainability practices within the industry. Compliance to acceptable standards is needed.

2 How would you qualify RSPO standards as compared to other parallel standards?
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Cost Effective:
Yes
Robust:
Yes
Simpler to Comply to:
No
3 How has your organization supported the vision of RSPO to transform markets? (e.g. Funding; Engagement with key stakeholders; Business to business education/outreach)
Being more actively engaged in the promotion of sustainable certification programs under RSPO and engaging consultation with stakeholders in the support the use of CSPO and products.
4 Other information on palm oil (sustainability reports, policies, other public information)
Public information on RSPO certification programs and all certified units are made available via the international website of our Intertek Group.