

Dated: April, 29<sup>th</sup> 2011

**Notification on RSPO Certification Assessment of MINAMAS Plantation – SIME DARBY Group (PT. Swadaya Andika), South Kalimantan Province.**

Dear Stakeholders,

Minamas Plantation has applied to Mutuagung Lestari for assessment at PT. Swadaya Andika that has location at Kotabaru district, south Kalimantan province against the requirement of the National Interpretation of Roundtable Sustainable Palm Oil, Principles and Criteria (RSPO INA – NIWG, May 2008) Republic of Indonesia.

Minamas Plantation owned and operated 23 mills and 68 estates throughout Indonesia. The organization is a pioneering member of RSPO and has been taking an active role in the RSPO certification processes. MINAMAS Plantation is implementing programmes to achieved RSPO certification for all operations units by 31 December 2011. Mutuagung Lestari has arrangement to conduct the Certification assessment of 1(one) mill and 4(four) estates on June, 6<sup>th</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup> 2011.

Details of Mill and estates to be assessed are as follows:

Location	GPS Reference		Total Area (ha)
	Latitude	Longitude	
Pamakan Utara/Kotabaru District/South Kalimantan Province	2° 31' 20" - 2° 24' 28" S	116° 08' 08" - 116° 15' 58" E	13,610.44

Name of Estate(s)	Location	GPS Coordinate		Planted Area (Ha)	FFB Production (tonnes/year) *average 2006-2010
		Latitude	Longitude		
Randi Estate	Pamakan Utara/Kotabaru District/South Kalimantan Province	2°31'20" - 2°24'28" S	116°09'35" - 116°13'31"E	3,190.73	38,194.43
Selabak Estate	Pamakan Utara/Kotabaru District/South Kalimantan Province	2°30'07" - 2°27'46" S	116°08'08" - 116°13'06"E	3,757.65	47,674.64
Sangkoh Estate	Pamakan Utara/Kotabaru District/South Kalimantan Province	2°31'20" - 2°26'17" S	116°12'19" - 116°15'58"E	3,482.59	36,527.03
Lanting Estate	Pamakan Utara/Kotabaru District/South Kalimantan Province	2°29'26" - 2°26'09" S	116°15'09" - 116°20'25"E	3,249.26	38,952.90
<b>Total</b>				13,610.44	122,396.10

Name of Mill(s)	Location	Capacity (tonnes/hour)	Annual Volume (tonnes) 2008-2010		
			CPO Output	PK Output	PKO Output
Selabak	Pamakan Utara/Kotabaru District/South Kalimantan Province	30	29,723.43	6,625.56	-

Mutuagung Lestari, is also known Mutu Certification International (MUTU), and has started as inspection, laboratory, and Certification body since 1990. As a private national company and supported with highly committed professionals, MUTU has gained recognition nationally and internationally. Since June 2003, MUTU has received recognition from the Ministry 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; 2008) and Environmental Management System certification body (ISO 14001;2004). Indonesia Ecolabelling Institute (LEI) has also accredited MUTU as Sustainable Forest Management System certification body. Since June 2008, MUTU has approved RSPO certification body.

The assessor team for the certification assessment will consist of 1 (one) lead auditor and 2 (two) auditor members which have competencies in legal, social environment, and best management 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 effluent management.
- b. Biodiversity within the estate and mill
- c. Opportunities for employment
- d. Contribution for local development
- e. Provision of housing, sanitation, facility and education support
- f. Other issues related with 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 you for clarification on any issued raised by you.

Name : \_\_\_\_\_  
Address : \_\_\_\_\_  
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If you wish your comments to be treated confidentiality or remain anonymous, please mark your reply 'IN CONFIDENCE'.

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We thank you for your comments and feedback.

Yours faithfully,

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