

Particulars

Organisation Name	Stephenson Group Ltd
Corporate Website Address	www.stephensongroup.com
Primary Activity or Product	Processor and/or Trader
Related Company(ies)	None
Country Operations	United Kingdom
Membership Number	2-0167-10-000-00
Membership Type	Ordinary Members
Membership Category	Palm Oil Processors and Traders

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Operational Profile

1.1 Please state your main activity(ies) within the supply chain

- Ingredient manufacturer

Other:

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1.2 Operation and Certification Progress

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1.2.1 Do you have a system for calculating how much palm oil and palm oil products you use?

Yes

1.3 Total volume of all palm oil products handled in the year (Tonnes)

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1.3.1 Total volume of Crude Palm Oil (CPO) handled in the year

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1.3.2 Total volume of Palm Kernel Oil (PKO) handled in the year

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1.3.3 Total volume of other Palm Oil Derivatives and Fractions handled in the year

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1.3.4 Total volume of all palm oil and palm oil derived products handled in the year

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1.4 Volume handled in the year that is RSPO-certified (Tonnes):

No	Description	Crude Palm Oil (Tonnes)	Palm kernel oil (Tonnes)	All other palm-based derivatives and fractions handled in the year that is RSPO-certified (Tonnes)
1.4.1	Book & Claim			
1.4.2	Mass Balance			
1.4.3	Segregated			
1.4.4	Identity Preserved			
1.4.5	Total volume of Oil Palm handled that is RSPO-certified:			

1.5 Do you plan to ask your suppliers if the palm oil supplied comes from growers who disclose their GHG emissions within the RSPO P&C 5.6 & 7.8?

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Time-Bound Plan

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

2010

2.2 Time-bound plan - Year expected to achieve 100% RSPO certification of all supply chains

2016

2.3 What are your interim milestones towards achieving this RSPO certification commitment (year and progressive CSPO%)? Please state annual targets/strategies.

100% of our Palm and Palm Kernel requirements (except when organic is required) are now from a segregated source. Until such time as derivatives become available it is not possible to say when a 100% switch can be made.

2.4 Timebound plan - Year expected to only "handle/supply" RSPO certified oil palm products

2016

2.5 What are your interim milestones towards achieving this RSPO certification commitment (year and progressive CSPO%)? Please state annual targets/strategies.

As Above

2.6 How do you promote RSPO and RSPO certified sustainable palm oil to your customers proactively?

Via the Web/Trade Shows/Visits

GHG Emissions

3.1 Do you publicly report the GHG emissions of your operations?

No

Please upload related report:

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Add link to website

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Please explain why:

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3.2 Does your company have a public commitment to only purchase palm oil from suppliers that disclose their GHG emissions?

No

Please upload related report:

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Add link to website

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Please explain why:

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Actions for Next Reporting Period

4.1 Outline actions that you will take in the coming year to promote CSPO use along the supply chain

Stephenson manufacture soap bases which contain a high level of Palm and Palm Kernel Oils. We are contacting major brands and retailers to inform them that sustainable palm is now available via Web/Trade Shows/Visits.

Reasons for Non-Disclosure of Information

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

Confidential.

Application of Principles & Criteria for all members sectors

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

- None

Water, land, energy and carbon footprints

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Land Use Rights

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Ethical conduct and human rights

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Labour rights

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Stakeholder engagement

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6.2 Where relevant, what prevents you from trading/processing only CSPO?

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Commitments to CSPO uptake

As you don't source 100% CSPO through physical supply chains (IP/SG/MB), please answer the following questions: Do you have plans to?

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- Please explain why:

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- Please specify:

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- Do you have plans to immediately cover the gap using Book & Claim?

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- How and when do you plan to immediately cover the gap using Book & Claim?

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- Please explain why:

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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?

N/A

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:

similar

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)

N/A

4 Other information on palm oil (sustainability reports, policies, other public information):

N/A
