RSPO NEXT

BUILDING ON SUCCESS

- Voluntary
- Building on the existing foundation of Principals & Criteria
- Standardizing responses to “No Deforestation” policies
- Credible claims of compliance via engagement with accredited 3rd party
- Incorporating concept of Commensurate Effort from the Supply Chain
**PROCESS**

- Development group appointed by Board of Governors
- Included review of areas where current Guidance exceeded the P&C
- Thematic approach taken
- Conducted 60 day public consultation
  - almost 500 comments received
- Incorporated input from public consultation
- Submitted to the BOG for approval

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**Stakeholder Groups**

- Oil Palm Grower, 16.2%
- Consumer Goods Manufacturer, 13.5%
- Banks/Investors, 21.8%
- Environmental/Nature Conservation NGO, 18.9%
- Social Development NGO, 8.1%
- Retailers, 8.1%
- Palm Oil Processors and/or Trader, 5.4%
- Individual, 2.7%
- Auditor, 2.7%
- Consultant, 2.7%
**COMPONENTS**

- No Deforestation
- No Planting on Peat
- No Use of Fire
- Reduction of Greenhouse Gas
- Respect for Human Rights
- Transparency

**CONTENT**

**No Deforestation**
- Policy
  - The policy shall specify an approach that combines biodiversity & carbon conservation with forest cover assessment and social considerations including community needs.
  - Plantings and Carbon Stocks
  - Manage and Monitor Direct & Indirect Impacts

**No Planting on Peat**
- Of any depth, after 16 November 2015
- When unsuitable for replanting, plans shall be in place for appropriate management or restoration of such areas. Plans will be developed in conjunction with affected communities.
CONTENT

No Use of Fire

- Prevent & Control
  - There shall be no use of open burning/fire in new or ongoing operations for land preparation, land management, waste management, or any other reason other than justified and documented cases of Phyto-Sanitary emergencies. Prior approval must be obtained from appropriate authorities in these cases.

Reduce Greenhouse Gases

- Measure
  - using RSPO Palm GHG Tool or other approved equivalent.

- Reduce

- Report
  - At organization and MU levels
  - Public & Annual
  - From benchmark year of 2005 and Intensity per tonne by product

CONTENT

Respect for Human Rights

- Fair treatment of Smallholders
- Preventing Conflict
- Land Use is Free of Conflict
- Fair Labour
  - Develop a Decent Living Wage approach
  - Prohibition on use of Paraquat
CONTENT

Transparency
- Provide Information to Stakeholders
- Code of Ethics and Integrity
- Traceability from Plantation to Mill
  - Year 1 – develop a plan to identify the source of all FFB
  - Year 2 – identify the source of all FFB
  - Year 3 – all FFB is from known sources in compliance with policy
  - Particular support to be given to smallholders to ensure they are able to meet the requirements. Coordination of HCV and Smallholder approaches by RSPO to be a priority and exclusion of small holder supply to be a last resort.

APPLICATION

- Requires an organization wide commitment
- Organizational and Management Unit requirements
- On the ground audit of compliance
- Must be at least 60% P&C Certified before engagement in NEXT permitted
COMMENSURATE EFFORT

- Requires an equivalent effort from supply chain members
  - 100 CSPO (physical and/or credits) before claiming RSPO NEXT with a plan for moving to physical and/or SmallHolder credits
- Additional commitments to uptake of NEXT
- Uptake to occur directly between Manufacturer/Retailer and Growers

NEXT STEPS

- Technical Implementation
- Outreach to Producers and Supply Chain Members
- Publication of Documents 31 January 2016
Terima kasih