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<u>Notification on RSPO Surveillance-4 Assessment of Tapung Kanan POM – PT Sekarbumi Alamlestari a</u> subsidiary of Kuala Lumpur Kepong Bhd. (RSPO membership number 1-0014-04-000-00)

Dear Stakeholders,

Kuala Lumpur Kepong Bhd. has applied to Mutuagung Lestari for RSPO annual surveillance to Tapung Kanan POM – PT Sekarbumi Alamlestari (RSPO membership number 1-0014-04-000-00) and its supply based, located in Kota Garo Village, Tapung Hilir Sub District, Kampar District, Riau Province, Indonesia against the requirement of Standard RSPO Principles and Criteria Indonesian National Interpretation 2013, endorsed September 2016 and Supply Chain Requirement for CPO Mill, November 2014.

Kuala Lumpur Kepong Bhd. has been taking an active role in the RSPO certification processes and implementing programme to achieve RSPO Certified Sustainable Palm Oil. Kuala Lumpur Kepong Bhd. has been registered since 8 October 2004 as RSPO member. Mutuagung Lestari has arranged to conduct the annual surveillance of Tapung Kanan POM – PT Sekarbumi Alamlestari which has 1 (one) palm oil mill and 4 (four) oil palm estates on **19th to 24th February 2017.**

PT 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; 2015) and Environmental Management System certification body. Since March 2014, MUTU has been accredited by Accreditation Services International as a RSPO certification body.

The assessor team for the certification assessment will consist of:

- **1. Sandra Purba** as Lead auditor for Social Aspect, Complaints mechanism, Land Dispute and Supply Chain;
- 2. Leonada as auditor for Legal Aspect and Occupational Health and Safety System;
- **3. Sahat Simarmata** as auditor for Agronomy, FFB Process, Waste Management and Integrated Pest Management;
- 4. Brigitta Prita as auditor for HCV, Environment Management System and GHG;
- 5. Benli Manurung as auditor for Worker Welfare and Transparancy;

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

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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.

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

Please send your comments to:

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We thank you for your comments and feedback.



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