



20 June 2019

Dear Stakeholders,

Invitation to comment on MSPO Initial Assessment of FELDA Kemajuan Tanah Persekutuan (FELDA) Gugusan Umas.

Lembaga Kemajuan Tanah Persekutuan (FELDA) Gugusan Umas has appointed Trans Certification International Sdn Bhd to conduct MSPO Initial Assessment of its Felda Gugusan Umas Scheme Smallholders. The assessment will be conducted at 4 Scheme has been managed by Felda Gugusan Umas.

Trans Certification International Sdn Bhd plans to conduct initial assessment of Felda Gugusan Umas from 15 until 16 July 2019. The assessment will be conducted based on the Malaysian Sustainable Palm Oil (MSPO) MS 2530-3:2013 General Principles for Oil Palm Plantation and Organized Smallholders. Copy of Standard MS 2530-3:2013 can be occupied from Department Standards Malaysia through email at: central@jsm.gov.my. The assessment will cover legal, environment, economical, workers' health and safety, and social aspects as required by MSPO.



The following are the information on the certification unit:

Plantations	Address	Total Area (Ha)	Total Smallholders	GPS Reference
Felda Umas 01	Felda Umas 1, Beg Berkunci 43, 91009 Tawau, Sabah	1506.83 Ha	265	4°47'63.41"N 117°66'19.35"E
Felda Umas 02/03	Felda Umas 2/3, Beg Berkunci 43, 91009 Tawau, Sabah	1753.10 Ha	304	4°47'56.03"N 117°66'40.06"E
Felda Umas 04	Felda Umas 4, Beg Berkunci 43, 91009 Tawau, Sabah	1201.34 Ha	207	4°38'23.39"N 117°91'48.61"E

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- i) **Mr. Mohd Rizal Bin Md Kassim** as Lead Auditor (Legal, Social and Internal and External Stakeholder Consultation)
- ii) **Mr. Roni Bin Paulus** as Team Member (Environmental and HCV)

In preparation for the assessment, related stakeholders are invited to provide written input to the assessment by commenting on related aspects in FELDA Gugusan Umas operation particularly on environment or social aspect. Date and time for consultation of interested parties are as follow:



Date : 15 July 2019
Time : 10.00 a.m. – 12.00 p.m.
Location : Felda Umas 1, Beg Berkunci 43, 91009 Tawau, Sabah.

If you do not have the opportunity to attend this assessment meeting, you are invited to meet with the Auditors during the course of the Malaysian Sustainable Palm Oil assessment.

Topic that you may wish to comment are as follows:

- Environmental Protection
- Biodiversity conservation
- Opportunity for employment
- Company approach to community development
- Your relationship with the company
- Participation in decision making
- Free, prior and informed consent
- Suggestion for improvement

Comment received within 30 days from the date of this letter will be considered in the Assessment. Please include the following details in case we may need to contact you for clarification or follow-up on any issue raised by you.

Name:	
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If you wish your comments to be treated confidentially or to remain anonymous, please mark your reply "IN CONFIDENCE"

Please direct your comments to:

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Thank you very much for your input.

Your sincerely,

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