

**10 Oct 2024**

Dear Stakeholders,

**Invitation to comment on MSPO Initial Assessment of FGV Embara Budi**

**FGV EMBARA BUDI** has appointed Trans Certification & Inspection Sdn. Bhd. (TRANS) to conduct MSPO Initial Assessment of its **FGV EMBARA BUDI** Scheme Smallholders. The assessment will be conducted at **8 estates** and **1 mill** has been managed by **FGV EMBARA BUDI**.

Trans Certification & Inspection Sdn. Bhd. plans to conduct initial assessment of **FGV EMBARA BUDI** for estate on 13-14/11/2024 and mill on 21/11/2024. 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 and MS 2530-4:2013 'General Principle for Palm Oil Mill'. Copy of Standard MS 2530-3:2013 and MS 2530-4:2013 can be occupied from Department Standards Malaysia through email at: [central@jsm.gov.my](mailto: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)	GPS Reference
Ladang Sahabat 11 (Estate)	Peti Surat 100, Pos Cenderawasih, 91150 Lahad Datu, Sabah	2504.45	N 5° 9' 56.2" E 119° 8' 40.3"
Ladang Sahabat 12 (Estate)	Peti Surat No. 12, Pos Cenderawasih, 91150 Lahad Datu, Sabah	2042.57	N 5° 9' 55.76" E 119° 08' 42.00"
Ladang Sahabat 17 (Estate)	Peti Surat 72, Pos Cenderawasih, 91150 Lahad Datu, Sabah	2386.31	N 5° 9' 56.70" E 119° 08' 45.60"
Ladang Sahabat 18 (Estate)	Peti Surat 89, Pos Cenderawasih, 91150 Lahad Datu, Sabah	1774.81	N 5° 9' 52.12" E 119° 08' 38.29"
Ladang Sahabat 20 (Estate)	Peti Surat No. 58, Pos Cenderawasih, 91150 Lahad Datu, Sabah	1815.30	N 5° 09.913' E 119° 08.760'
Ladang Sahabat 25 (Estate)	Peti Surat No. 91, Pos Cenderawasih, 91150 Lahad Datu, Sabah	2249.45	N 5° 09' 54" E 119° 08' 42"
Ladang Sahabat 56 (Estate)	Peti Surat 56, Pos Cenderawasih, 91150 Lahad Datu, Sabah	1897.24	N 5° 4' 48.58" E 119° 04' 15.60"
Stesen Penyelidikan Sahabat 17 (Estate)	Peti Surat No. 2, Pos Cenderawasih, 91150 Lahad Datu, Sabah	1862.22	N 5.09' 53.3" E 119° 04' 15.60"

Mill	Address	Mill Capacity (MT/HR)	GPS Reference
Embara Budi Palm Oil Mill	Peti Surat 28, 91150 Pos Cenderawasih, Sabah	54	N 5° 7' 58" E 119° 5' 31"

Trans Certification & Inspection Sdn. Bhd. Company was establishing since 2017 mainly provider sustainable, quality management, product certification. Since 2015, TRANS was actively doing audited on behalf of a few of Certification Body. TRANS has established a Standard Operating Procedure for Appeal and Complaint that can be occupied TRANS website: <https://transcert.com.my/complaint-procedure/>. The TRANS Audit Team assigned for **FGV EMBARA BUDI** the initial assessment of is as follows:

- i) Mr. Azmi bin Adnan as Lead Auditor ( Legal, Social and Internal and External Stakeholder Consultation)
- ii) Mr. Mohamad Irwan bin Senin as Team Member ( Environmental and HCV)
- iii) Mr. Hj. Borhan Abd Aziz as Team Member ( Environmental and HCV)
- iv) Mr. Hendricks Richard 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. An operation particularly on environment or social aspect. Date and time for consultation of interested parties are as follow:

Date : 13-14.11.2024  
Time : 10.00 am – 12.00 pm  
Location : Sahabat 17, Peti Surat 72, Pos Cenderawasih, 91150 Lahad Datu, Sabah

*If you do not have the opportunity to attend this assessment meeting, you are invited to email the issue that want to be raised to our auditor during / after 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 considers 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:	
Address:	
E-mail:	
Phone Number:	
Fax Number:	

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

Please direct your comments to:

**Certifier**

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Thank you very much for your input.

Your sincerely,



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