Sabah TLAS Audit Report Principles 5 & 6

	Mill: Hap Seng Property Investment Sdn.			
Organisation	Bhd. (183641-A)			
Organisation	Tenant: Borneo Moulding Sdn. Bhd.			
	(057820-H)			
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Person	Hasdianah Massa (Administrative)			
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Audit Date	07/11/2023
Date close out	-
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Statements				
Audit Statement #	GFS 159 WTP			
Issuance Date	13 November 2023	Expiration Date	12 November 2024	

Assessment Details			
Company Type	Kiln Dry Plant		
Scope of Assessment	Sabah TLAS P5-6: JP(T)TW011/00(X22)R, KON(TTW)034/01(KK)		
Product Group	Sawn Timber		
Source of Material	Sabah, Malaysia.		
Species	Drybalanops spp. (Kapur), Dipterocarpus spp. (Keruing), Koompassia malaccensis (Impas), Parashorea spp. (White seraya), Shorea spp. (Red seraya, Yellow seraya, Melapi, Selangan batu), Sapotaceae (Nyatoh), Eugenia spp. (Obah), Lauraceace (Medang), Lithocarpus & Quercus (Mempening), Planchonia valida (Putat), Hopea sangal (Gagil), Tristaniopsis merguensis (Pelawan-pelawan), Cotylelobium spp. (Resak batu), Dialium indum (Keranji), Hevea brasiliensis (Rubberwood), OT (Other timber)		
Lead Assessor	Sandra George		
Assessor(s)	Aleeza Ho, Vanessa Abin		
FDS Staff	Zulhazrey Rasli (PPD Tawau)		

Terms of Assessment

The scope of the evaluation is to verify compliance of Borneo Moulding Sdn. Bhd. to the criteria within the Sabah Timber Legality Assurance System (TLAS) Principle 5 - Mill Operations and Principle 6 - Trade and Customs standards. Compliance is defined when the organization demonstrates that there is no non-compliance to any applicable criteria. Non-compliance to the Sabah Legality Standard occurs when the organization does not comply with 1 or more criteria. Non-compliance must be formally addressed prior to certification or within 2 months following a surveillance assessment.

Limitations of Assessment

The information presented in this report is based on documentation and other information presented by the client and observations made during the field verification under the assessment. Auditor's reporting of information presented by the client are taken as accurate, unless evaluated differently through the observations made during the assessment. All information presented in the report is accurate and complete to the best of knowledge of GFS.

Background Information:

Hap Seng Property Investment Sdn. Bhd. (Hap Seng Property Investment) is registered in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia, with registration # 183641-A. Borneo Moulding sdn. Bhd. (Borneo Moulding) is registered in Tawau, Malaysia, with registration # 057820-H. Borneo Moulding does not purchase raw materials and only provides kiln dry services to its only client, Caslink Sdn. Bhd.

Hap Seng Property Investment rented their premises (Shed 30 and 31) to Borneo Moulding through a new tenancy agreement dated 01/09/2023.

The previous assessment was conducted in November 2022 that resulted in 0 gap(s) and 0 observation(s) (Report #: GFSSBH 004-424).

Associated Organizations & Subcontractors:

Borneo Moulding does not engage other companies as their subcontractors to provide or manufacture products.

Description of the Supply Chain:

From October 2022 to October 2023, Borneo Moulding received raw materials from the supplier for kiln dried services as below:

Supplier	License	Raw Material	Location	GFS WTP # STCC #	Overall Risk *
Caslink Sdn. Bhd.	JP(T)TW001/17(X49)	Sawn timber	Tawau	GFS 117 WTP (23/10/2023)	Low**

Note: *GFS risk evaluation is based on the risk matrix for Sabah TLAS (VL) materials & products.

Summary Results:

(Major gap = 0, Minor gap = 1, Observation = 0)

GAPs: Year 2023				
GAP#	Type	Checklist	Status	Description
001/2023	minor	5.1.1	New	November 2023: There is no evidence that Borneo Moulding paid the mill contractor license.

^{*}Major = Non-Compliance

Observations: Year 2023			
Obs#	Checklist	Description	
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Highlights of Close-Out Visit (if applicable)	Date: -			
Not applicable				

Recommendations

Borneo Moulding Sdn. Bhd. has demonstrated compliance with the Sabah Standard Principles 5-6 for Chain of Custody and is recommended to receive a GFS Statement of Compliance and Sabah Timber Legality Assurance System Compliance Certificate (TLAS-CC) from SFD.

Gap(s)/Observation(s) identified in this assessment should be addressed before the next surveillance visit. Action required to close the gap(s)/observation(s) include:

Gap 001/2023 (minor) - Checklist 5.1.1: Borneo Moulding shall pay the license renewal fee to SFD as required.

The next surveillance visit is scheduled for November 2024.

End of Summary Report

^{**}Raw materials received before the expiry date are low risk.