





## Update on PT Runding Putra Persada Case

In response to Rainforest Action Network (RAN) <u>report</u> published on 19 September 2022, Wilmar, GAR, and Musim Mas formulated an action plan with PT Runding Putra Persada (PT RPP) on 25 November 2022. Since then, our engagement activities have been conducted to support the implementation of the agreed action plan. These include intensive monitoring involving PT RPP and CV Buana Indah (CV BI), one of PT RPP's FFB agents/dealers, as well as engagement with the Agency of Conservation and Natural Resources (BKSDA) and the Agency of Forest Area Consolidation Center (BPKH). The most recent monitoring of the action plan implementation occurred in October 2023 and resulted in the following achievements:

- In May and June 2023, Wilmar, GAR, and Musim Mas held meetings with Mr. Mahmudin. Despite multiple engagements and discussions with him and CV BI, in the end he was unwilling to release to the government the agreed-upon 4 hectares of land inside the Rawa Singkil Wildlife Reserve area, as outlined in the agreed action plan. Consequently, both PT RPP and CV BI excluded Mr. Mahmudin (farm and ramp) from their supply chain. An official statement confirming this decision was shared with Wilmar, GAR, and Musim Mas on 13 July 2023.
- 2. PT RPP has enhanced the implementation of traceability systems within its supply chain, aiming to ensure compliance with NDPE policy.
- 3. As part of the agreed action plan, PT RPP supply base including CV BI have signed a commitment letter affirming their compliance with the NDPE policy.
- 4. The traceability data and documents provided by PT RPP were developed with support from Koltiva. PT RPP, including CV BI, has achieved 100% TTP. These data demonstrate that PT RPP supply chain is not from Rawa Singkil Wildlife Reserve or Mr. Mahmudin (farm and ramp) since the commitment was issued on 13 July 2023.

Considering that PT RPP has completed the agreed action plan, we consider the case closed.

Jakarta & Medan, 19 December 2023.