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actions to conform with the EU Deforestation Regulation

for farmers & foresters



01 → Don't convert forest to agriculture. Don't degrade natural forests into planted forests or plantations.

02 📄 Make sure your land rights are secure, registered and have clear boundaries.

03 📅 Follow all legal requirements for land use, management planning, operational activities, harvesting or production and information sharing.

04 ⚙️ Ensure that land management rights are in place and registered as legally required.

05 👤 Respect human rights and make sure your activities don't contribute to armed conflict.

06 🛡️ Protect your land from illegal encroachment by others.

07 🧑‍🏭 Obey the laws for employment, including child labour, modern slavery, workers' rights, working hours, recruitment, discrimination, wages, workplace safety, housing, gender equality in the workplace and parental leave.

08 🌿 Respect and uphold the rights of Indigenous Peoples, following the principles of Free, Prior and Informed Consent (FPIC).

09 🤝 Communicate with Indigenous Peoples in a respectful and culturally appropriate manner and respect their customary and community rights.

10 🐾 Comply with legal requirements related to biodiversity conservation, protected sites, and endangered or protected species.

11 🧴 Respect the law for chemical use, waste management, water use and protection, and soil management.

12 📄 Pay all required taxes and fees, including royalties, land/area taxes, value-added taxes, corporate taxes and trade taxes.

13 🌐 Observe legal rules for trade, transport and product classification.

14 🚫 Follow legal requirements on corruption, including bribery and fraud.

15 🐄 Ensure your animal feed comes from sources that do not contribute to deforestation.

16 📍 Inform your customers of the geolocation of the plot(s) of land, together with the harvesting or production dates.

