



APICAL BACKS NEW YORK DECLARATION ON FORESTS

SINGAPORE, 24 SEPTEMBER 2014 - Apical, as a processor and trader of palm oil, is committed to ensuring sustainability in its entire supply chain, from cultivation to consumption.

This commitment is reinforced and manifested through its support for the New York Declaration on Forests announced at the ongoing United Nations Climate Summit. The Declaration was made by dozens of global leaders, companies and NGOs across the world.

As a founding member of the Business Council for Sustainable Development Singapore and a member of the Roundtable on Sustainable Palm Oil (RSPO), Apical regards forest conservation, food security, and the socio-economic welfare of the local communities and stakeholders as a responsible way of conducting its business.

By collaborating with its suppliers and other stakeholders to work towards building a traceable and transparent palm oil supply chain, Apical intends to influence positive changes consonant with the objectives of the Declaration.

About Apical

Apical is a major mid to downstream player in the palm oil industry with operations in Indonesia and China. It engages in the sourcing, refining, merchandising distribution and trading of crude palm oil (CPO) and its derivatives.

The company's business model is built upon a reliable and broad CPO sourcing network, full integration of efficient primary and secondary refinery assets, as well as efficient logistic channels to deliver quality products to diversified clientele, ranging from international trade houses to local industrial buyers.

Apical is part of RGE Pte Ltd, a group of world-class companies focused on resource-based manufacturing industries whose products are transformed into a variety of end products that improve the daily lives of millions of people around the globe.

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