

## **IPF/SEOS Part II Sustainable Standards Questionnaire**

# **Processors**

(3 years to be in Compliance)

#### This questionnaire is designed to:

- Determine the level of sustainable processing practices that are in compliance of SEOS Part II Sustainability Standards
- 2. Bring greater awareness of each of the SEOS Part II Sustainability Standards and their vital role within the entire SEOS Community

### I. Social Sustainability

Enriching and preserving communities through social engagement, community investment, equal access to social resources, equal opportunity, and community-based education while respecting social diversity, respecting community members, and implementing practices that will benefit future generations.

# Question #1 Do you have a program for providing a safe and ethical work environment for employees and staff? (Answer only one)

- 1. I have fully implemented this. (Provide)
- 2. I have initiated, but have not fully implemented this. (target date of completion) \_\_\_\_\_\_
- 3. I have specific plans for implementation (describe).
- 4. I have no plans for implementation.

# Question #2 Do you have a program for sharing important value-based information about products and methods? (Answer only one)

- 1. I have fully implemented this. (Provide)
- 2. I have initiated, but have not fully implemented this. (target date of completion) \_\_\_\_\_\_
- 3. I have specific plans for implementation (describe).
- 4. I have no plans for implementation.

| Question #3 | B Do you have a website, newsletter and/or other communications for community |
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| outreach?   | (Answer only one)   |

- 1. I have fully implemented this. (Provide)
- 2. I have initiated, but have not fully implemented this. (target date of completion) \_\_\_\_\_\_
- 3. I have specific plans for implementation (describe).
- 4. I have no plans for implementation.

### Question #4 Do you hire local and or/Indigenous people whenever possible? (Answer only one)

- 1. I have fully implemented this. (Provide)
- 2. I have initiated, but have not fully implemented this. (target date of completion) \_\_\_\_\_\_
- 3. I have specific plans for implementation (describe).
- 4. I have no plans for implementation.

# Question #5 Do you have a policy for providing gender equality in the workplace?

(Answer only one)

- 1. I have fully implemented this. (Provide)
- 2. I have initiated, but have not fully implemented this. (target date of completion) \_\_\_\_\_\_
- 3. I have specific plans for implementation (describe).
- 4. I have no plans for implementation.

## II. Environmental Sustainability

Accurate and truthful information disclosed to all Community members, and transparency, as well as integrity in distribution practices and policies.

#### Question #1 Do you have a current land management program? (Answer only one)

- 1. I have fully implemented this (Provide)
- 2. I have initiated, but have not fully implemented this. (target date of completion) \_\_\_\_\_\_
- 3. I have specific plans for implementation (describe).
- 4. I have no plans for implementation.

### Question #2 Do you have a current water management plan? (Answer only one)

- 1. I have fully implemented this.(Provide)
- 2. I have initiated, but have not fully implemented this. (target date of completion) \_\_\_\_\_\_
- 3. I have specific plans for implementation (describe).
- 4. I have no plans for implementation.

### Question #3 Do you have a clean air management plan? (Answer only one)

- 1. I have fully implemented this. (Provide)
- 2. I have initiated, but have not fully implemented this. (target date of completion) \_\_\_\_\_\_
- 3. I have specific plans for implementation (describe).
- 4. I have no plans for implementation.

#### Question #4 Do you have an Indigenous plant and animal protection plan? (Answer only one)

- 1. I have fully implemented this. (Provide)
- 2. I have initiated, but have not fully implemented this. (target date of completion) \_\_\_\_\_\_
- 3. I have specific plans for implementation (describe).
- 4. I have no plans for implementation.

#### Question #5 Do you have a waste management plan? (Answer only one)

- 1. I have fully implemented this. (Provide)
- 2. I have initiated, but have not fully implemented this. (target date of completion) \_\_\_\_\_\_
- 3. I have specific plans for implementation (describe).
- 4. I have no plans for implementation.

## III. Cultural Sustainability

Practices based in respect for, and preservation of others' traditions, values, customs, belief systems, living environments, and lifestyles.

# Question #1 Do you have a policy for the protection of and respect for cultural beliefs of employees, staff and regional communities? (Answer only one)

- 1. I have fully implemented this. (Provide)
- 2. I have initiated, but not fully implemented this. (target date of completion)
- 3. I have specific plans for implementation (describe)
- 4. I have no plans for implementation.

# Question #2 Do you have a policy for learning or retaining and then passing on the culture and heritage of plants and flowers and the products produced from them? (Answer only one)

- 1. I have fully implemented this. (Provide)
- 2. I have initiated, but not fully implemented this. ( target date of completion) \_\_\_\_
- 3. I have specific plans for implementation (describe)
- 4. I have no plans for implementation.

| Question #3 Do you have a policy for protection and respect for religious beliefs of |
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| employees, staff and regional communities? (Answer only one)                         |

| employees, staff and regional communities? (Answer only one)                                     |
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| 1. I have fully implemented this. (Provide)  |
| 2. I have initiated, but not fully implemented this. target date of completion)                  |
| 3. I have specific plans for implementation (describe)   |
| 4. I have no plans for implementation.   |
| Question #4 Do you have a policy for protection of and respect for cultural lifestyle choices of |
| employees, staff and regional communities? (Answer only one)                                     |
| 1. I have fully implemented this. (Provide)  |
| 2. I have initiated, but not fully implemented this. (target date of completion)                 |
| 3. I have specific plans for implementation (describe)   |
| 4. I have no plans for implementation.   |
| Question #5 Do you have a policy for inclusion of Indigenous processing methods whenever         |
| possible? (Answer only one)  |
| 1. I have fully implemented this. (Provide)  |
| 2. I have initiated, but not fully implemented this. (target date of completion)                 |
| 3. I have specific plans for implementation (Provide)  |
| 4. I have no plans for implementation.   |
| IV. Distribution and Labeling Sustainability   |
| Accurate and truthful information disclosed to all Community members, and                        |
| transparency, as well as integrity in distribution practices and policies.                       |
| Question #1 Do you have a policy on accuracy in material identification? (Answer only one)       |
| 1. I have fully implemented this. (describe)   |
| 2. I have initiated, but not fully implemented this. (target date of completion)                 |
| 3. I have specific plans for implementation (describe)   |
| 4. I have no plans for implementation.   |
| Question #2 Do you have a policy for insuring freedom of adulteration and degradation of         |
| oils? (Answer only one)  |
| 1. I have fully implemented this. (Provide)  |
| 2. I have initiated, but not fully implemented this. (target date of completion)                 |
| 3. I have specific plans for implementation (describe)   |

4. I have no plans for implementation.

| Question #3  | Do you keep accurate records of batch numbers and dates? (Answer only one)  |  |  |  |
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| Question #5  | bo you keep accurate records of batch numbers and dates: (Answer only one)  |  |  |  |
|  | ave fully implemented this. (Provide)   |  |  |  |
|  | ave initiated, but not fully implemented this. target date of completion)   |  |  |  |
|  | ave specific plans for implementation (describe).   |  |  |  |
| 4. Ih  | ave no plans for implementation.  |  |  |  |
| Question #4 Do you have a policy for applying truth in advertising and promotion?  |   |  |  |  |
| (Answer only o   | one)  |  |  |  |
| 1. I h   | nave fully implemented this. (Provide)  |  |  |  |
| 2. I h   | nave initiated, but not fully implemented this. (target date of completion)   |  |  |  |
| 3. Ih  | nave specific plans for implementation (describe)   |  |  |  |
| 4. I h   | nave no plans for implementation.   |  |  |  |
| Question #5 Do you have a packaging management program including repurposing and plastics avoidance? (Answer only one)  1. I have fully implemented this. (Provide) 2. I have initiated, but not fully implemented this. (target date of completion) 3. I have specific plans for implementation (describe) 4. I have no plans for implementation. |   |  |  |  |
| V. Economi   | ic Sustainability   |  |  |  |
| witho  | ces that support long-term economic growth and fair and adequate compensation, ut compromising social, environmental, and cultural sustainability within the -added supply chain Community. |  |  |  |

Question #1 Do you have a plan for appropriate employee compensation/benefits? (Answer only one)

| 1. I | have full | ami v | lemented | l this. ( | Provide | ١ |
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- 2. I have initiated, but not fully implemented this. (target date of completion) \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. I have specific plans for implementation (describe)\_\_\_\_\_
- 4. I have no plans for implementation.

|          | ion #2 Do you have a policy for the purchasing of raw materials from ethical sources on value rather than price? (Answer only one)          |
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| 1.       | I have fully implemented this. (Provide)  |
| 2.       | I have initiated, but not fully implemented this. ( target date of completion)  |
| 3.       | I have specific plans for implementation (describe)   |
| 4.       | I have no plans for implementation.   |
|          | ion #3 Do you have a policy reflecting the economic impact of operations on the rest of lue-added supply chain Community? (Answer only one) |
| 1.       | I have fully implemented this. (Provide)  |
|          | I have initiated, but not fully implemented this. target date of completion)  |
| 3.       |   |
|          | I have no plans for implementation.   |
|          | ion #4 Do you use accounting practices that conform with the Sustainable Accounting ards Board (SASB, 2013)? (Answer only one)              |
| 1.       | I have fully implemented this. (Provide)  |
| 2.       | I have initiated, but not fully implemented this. (target date of completion)   |
| 3.       | I have specific plans for implementation (describe)   |
| 4.       | I have no plans for implementation.   |
|          | ion #5 Do you incorporate marketing practices that insure long-term viability necessary security? (Answer only one)                         |
| 1.       | I have fully implemented this. (Provide)  |
| 2.       | I have initiated, but not fully implemented this. (target date of completion)   |
| 3.       | I have specific plans for implementation (describe)   |
| 4.       | I have no plans for implementation.   |
| Scores   | will be assigned to each answer:  |
| 1.       | 5 Points – Fully implemented  |
| 2.       | 3 Points – Initiated but not fully implemented  |
| 3.       | 1 Point – Specific plans have been made for implementation  |
| 4.       | 0 Points – No response or no plans for implementation   |
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| verify t | that I have thoroughly read this questionnaire, understand the questions asked and have given   |

my answers truthfully.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_