

Ryohin Keikaku Group

Wood and Paper Sourcing Guidelines

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1. Purpose

These Guidelines aim to promote sustainable sourcing of wood and paper, based on and supplementing the Ryohin Keikaku Group Responsible Raw Material Sourcing Guiding Principles. All employees of the Ryohin Keikaku Group are expected to appropriately understand the contents of these Guidelines and strive for sustainable sourcing of wood and paper.

2. Scope of Application

These Guidelines apply to wood and paper used in MUJI household goods and apparel products.

The following types of wood and paper are not covered by these Guidelines:

- Used wood and paper that have reached the end of their life cycle¹ and are being reused.
- Paper made from used wood and paper that have reached the end of their life cycle, non-wood pulp, or a mixture of these materials.
- Cardboard.

3. Sourcing Guidelines

The Ryohin Keikaku Group aims to source wood and paper with consideration for the global environment, producers, and local communities, focusing on the following objectives. We also promote the use of recycled materials.

Objectives for Wood and Paper Sourcing:

Zero Deforestation

- No conversion of land use outside forests
- Use of wood from appropriately managed plantations
- Prohibition of development in areas with high conservation value (HCV)²

Zero Destruction of Peatlands³

- Prohibition of new development of peatlands

Zero Exploitation

- No exploitation of indigenous peoples, local communities, or workers

4. Principles for Responsible Practices

4-1 Responsible Sourcing of Raw Materials

To achieve sustainable sourcing of wood and paper, the Ryohin Keikaku Group follows the Ryohin Keikaku Group Responsible Raw Material Sourcing Guiding Principles, identifies and evaluates human rights and

¹ "Used wood and paper that have reached the end of their life cycle" refers to materials that have already been used once and would be disposed of as waste unless they are reused.

² High Conservation Value (HCV) refers to areas of forest that possess important values for conservation, such as biodiversity, water resources, and cultural values, as defined by the High Conservation Value Resource Network (HCVRN).

³ Peatland refers to land that stores large amounts of carbon underground, and where development results in the release of significant quantities of greenhouse gases into the atmosphere.

environmental risks in the supply chain, and builds due diligence processes to prevent and mitigate risks. We ensure traceability and utilize international certifications (such as FSC⁴, PEFC⁵) to achieve sustainable sourcing.

4-2 Stakeholder Engagement

The Ryohin Keikaku Group values dialogue with stakeholders, deepens mutual understanding and cooperation regarding wood and paper sourcing, and promotes responsible sourcing.

4-3 Appropriate Disclosure and Ensuring Transparency

The Ryohin Keikaku Group regularly discloses initiatives related to wood and paper sourcing in accordance with international sustainability reporting standards, striving to ensure transparency. We also manage information related to product labeling and advertising expressions to ensure their accuracy and legitimacy.

5. Revisions to These Guidelines

These Guidelines may be reviewed and revised as necessary in response to changes in social conditions or the outcomes of due diligence processes.

⁴ FSC: Forest Stewardship Council

⁵ PEFC: Programme for the Endorsement of Forest Certification