

ENVIRONMENTAL INITIATIVES POLICY

CTK ASIA RUBBER CORP has set up a Sustainability Department to manage environmental aspects and impacts efficiently in line with the introduction and implementation of environmental management.

Also, it is monitoring medium and long-term activities for improvement to minimize greenhouse gas emission and environmental pollution and to make effective use of resources and energy.

The Sustainability Department not only establishes strategies and suggests action plans in general but also comes up with strategies in handling air pollutants, water pollutants, and toxic substances.

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- CTK ASIA RUBBER CORP commits to the prevention of deforestation or degradation High Conservation Values (HCVs) in the production and procurement of natural rubber. Identification and management of areas for development and conservation follow the methodology and guidance consistent with HCV approach and with the High carbon stock Approach (HCSA). CTK prohibits the sourcing of natural rubber from deforested area or where HCVs have been degraded after the cutoff date of 1 April 2019.
 - CTK ASIA RUBBER CORP protects water quantity and quality. CTK ASIA RUBBER CORP commits to the effective use and recycling of water resources and conservation of water. CTK prevents water contamination and erosion and sedimentation.
 - CTK ASIA RUBBER CORP protects soil quality and prevents erosion, nutrient degradation and subsidence and contamination.
 - CTK ASIA RUBBER CORP prohibits the development of peatland area and will not source natural rubber from plantations on peatland.
 - CTK ASIA RUBBER CORP prohibits open burning/fire in new or ongoing operations or any other reason, other than in justified and documented cases of fire break establishment, waste management for sanitary reasons, where public garbage collection is not available, phytosanitary and other emergencies.
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- CTK ASIA RUBBER CORP supports conservation of biodiversity and protects wildlife including rare, threatened, endangered and critically endangered species in areas under company management and supporting wildlife protection activities in areas of influence. CTK supports the long-term protection of natural forests and other ecosystems and their conservation values, and restoring or supporting restoration of deforested and degraded rubber landscapes.
 - CTK ASIA RUBBER CORP manages operations to minimize rate of energy usage and to maximize natural resource efficiency. CTK minimizes and mitigates carbon emissions.
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