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2.0 INTRODUCTION

2.1 COMPANY DETAILS

SARAWAK OIL PALMS BERHAD
GROUP OF COMPANIES

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2.3 COMPANY BACKGROUND

SARAWAK OIL PALMS BERHAD (SOPB) is a Malaysian public company listed on the Bursa Malaysia (Formerly known as the Kuala Lumpur Stock Exchange). SOPB started out as a joint-venture between the Commonwealth Development Corporation (CDC) and the Sarawak State government in 1968 to pioneer the commercial planting of oil palms in the state with an initial land area covering 4,600 hectares of oil palm plantation under the name of Sarawak Oil Palms Sendirian Berhad (SOPSB) before the group changed to its name to SOPB officially in 1990.

SOPB is involved primarily in the cultivation of oil palms and the operation of palm oil mills. SOPB was listed on the Bursa Malaysia in August 1991. In June 1995, Shin Yang Plantations Sdn. Bhd. (SY Group) bought over CDC's entire share in SOPB of 25%. Presently, SY Group together with Pelita Holdings Sdn. Bhd., an investment arm of the Sarawak State Government involving in property, urban development and plantation remain as the two substantial shareholders of SOPB with shareholding of 37.5% and 28.5% respectively. SOPB Group has since then expanded its land bank to over 119,000 hectares, with 87,000 hectares planted with oil palm trees in Sarawak. Oil palm plantation and the production of crude palm oil and palm kernels will continue to remain as the sole core business of SOPB Group.

2.4 SG. LIUK ESTATE BACKGROUND

SOPP Sg. Liuk Estate in one from many estates of Sarawak Oil Palm Berhad that have in Sarawak where it located in Balingian. This estate was 6 km from Balingian Town and it 90 km from Mukah. Before the area were planted with oil palm, this area actually places logging by Shin Yang Co. After that, government have set this land as agriculture site and Sarawak Oil Palm responsible to take this opportunity to develop it. The oil palms have been planted on this area from 2002 until 2003 where all trees are planted on peat soil area. This planted area totally was 1957.89ha consist of two phase such as Phase 2B (778.78ha) and Phase 4 (1179.ha). Besides that, these areas also have compound area for office area, maintenance and house in 6.02 ha.

SOPP Sg. Liuk Estate was the best among the others SOPB estate because they have won five year successive for high yield production where they have reached more than 30 tonnes per hectare in 2015. This estate also has ISCC Certificate and MSPO that important for all estate in Malaysia in case they want to market their oil to foreign country especially in Europe.