Self-Declaration

(Policy for the Association of Organizations with FSC®)

The signing Organization is associated with the Forest Stewardship Council A.C., Oaxaca, Mexico, or one of its subsidiaries or affiliates (hereinafter: FSC®) by being either a member of or having a contractual relationship with FSC®. Hereby the signing Organization explicitly states that it has read and understood the "Policy for the Association of Organizations with FSC®" as published under www.fsc.org. This policy stipulates FSC®'s position with regards to unacceptable activities by organizations and individuals which already are or would like to be associated with FSC® as well as the mechanism for disassociation.

In light of the above, the Organization explicitly agrees currently and in the future, as long as the relationship with FSC® exists, not to be directly or indirectly involved in the following unacceptable activities:

- a. Illegal logging or the trade in illegal wood or forest products;
- b. Violation of traditional and human rights in forestry operations:
- c. Destruction of high conservation values in forestry operations;
- d. Significant conversion of forests to plantations or non-forest use:
- e. Introduction of genetically modified organisms in forestry operations:

f. Violation of any of the ILO Core Conventions as defined in the ILO Declaration on Fundamental Principles and Rights at Work.

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(Include the full name of the organization and representative, authorized signature and, if applicable, the organization's stamp)