



General and Industry Specific Exclusion List

General	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Activities where there is strong evidence that they: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Employ child labour, forced labour and human trafficking; or b. Involve in human rights violations. • Activities involving the resettlement of indigenous and/ or vulnerable groups without first obtaining their Free Prior and Informed Consent (FPIC) • Activities that generate a negative impact on: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. UNESCO World Heritage list; or b. Wetlands registered by the Ramsar Convention; or c. Tropical rainforests (unless the necessary approvals have been obtained from the authorities). d. Areas as per The International Union for Conservation of Nature (IUCN) categories I to IV e. Key biodiversity areas f. Endangered species as per outlined in Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species (CITES), Convention on the Conservation of Migratory Species of Wild Animals (CMS or Bonn Convention) and IUCN Red List of Threatened Species g. High conservation value forests h. High Carbon Stock (not applicable to high forest cover countries) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Activities that endanger local water security • Activities that cause pollution (e.g. release of untreated wastewater, pollution of soil and waterways with untreated organic content etc.) • Activities involved in the construction, development or expansion of nuclear power plants or uranium enrichment facilities. • Activities that apply the extraction/ mining method of Mountain Top Removal (MT). • Activities that are located in areas actively embroiled in armed conflict. • Activities that dump waste into coastal or other shallow waters. • Activities that clear lands by burning, which cause a significant environmental impact. • Activities that use or produce goods using wood sourced from or located at illegal operations • Activities involved in mining of coal (new mines or existing mines). • Activities involved in logging of or trade in illegally harvested or uncertified timber as well as logging in uncertified primary forest • Activities involved in planting on peatland • Activities that use animals in research and testing, non-healthcare related

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Activities involved in the construction, development or expansion of coalfired power plants. • Activities involved in thermal coal power generation • Activities that contravene with environmental laws, including, but not limited to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. The National Forestry Act 1984; b. Wildlife Conservation Act 2010; c. National Parks Act 1980; d. The Fisheries Act 1985; and e. The Environmental Quality Act 1974. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Activities that contravene national human rights and labour laws, including, but not limited to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Employment Act 1955; b. Children and Young Persons (Employment Act 1966); c. Minimum Wages Order 2018.
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Industry Specific	
Palm Oil	Renewable Energy
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • New estates that convert or degrade High Biodiversity (HBV)/ High Conservation Value (HCV) and High Carbon Stock (HCS) forests, primary forests, forest reserves and peatland. Reference check can be done through Malaysia Biodiversity Information System (MyBIS) which lists the protected areas in Malaysia; • Banned and/or harmful planting practices such as open burning for the purpose of land clearing; • Exploitation of people and communities including activities that are against national labour laws and indigenous people's rights. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Plants that convert or degrade High Biodiversity (HBV)/ High Conservation Value (HCV) and High Carbon Stock (HCS) forests, primary forests, forest reserves and peatland. Reference check can be done through Malaysia Biodiversity Information System (MyBIS) which lists the protected areas in Malaysia • Banned and/or harmful practices such as open burning for the purpose of land clearing • Exploitation of people and communities including activities that are against national labour laws and indigenous people's

