



Danish Timber Trade Federation - Code of Conduct

The Code of Conduct sets out the principles by which members of Danish Timber Trade Federation agree to behave.

It is the aim of this code of conduct to provide a generic set of commitments to ensure that member companies are taking all possible steps to minimise their impact on the environment and source their timber and timber products responsibly.

The Code of Conduct is binding to all members of the Danish Timber Trade Federation.

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1. Members of the Danish Timber Trade Federation shall comply with all relevant legislation at Danish, EU and International level.
2. Members of the Danish Timber Trade Federation shall at any time act honourable and show responsibility and care in the day-to-day running of the company.
3. Members of the Danish Timber Trade Federation may not distort or mislead costumers or suppliers with respect to any condition or claim regarding a product or service.
4. Members of Danish Timber Trade Federation do not accept illegal logging, manufacturing or sale of illegal wood. The members are committed to work with their suppliers and other stakeholders for an elimination of the problem.
5. Members of Danish Timber Trade Federation must be Chain of Custody certified or otherwise secure full traceability, must support the process of certification and contribute to grow the market for certified timber.

Members employ the internationally recognized certification systems FSC or PEFC to document the sustainability of timber.

Certain important countries of origin supply only very limited amounts of certified timber. Members of Danish Timber Trade Federation shall document sustainability with alternative documentation.

6. Members of the Danish Timber Trade Federation shall ensure that suppliers are complying with fundamental worker's rights as described in ILO's conventions.

In any case of doubt the Danish version of the Code of Conduct is the valid one.



7. Members of Danish Timber Trade Federation will undertake the necessary measures to ensure that all relevant personnel employed by them will be conversant with and abide by the Code of Conduct.
8. Members of Danish Timber Trade Federation are committed to inform about the Code of Conduct and the complaints procedure on relevant information platforms.
9. The Code of Conduct is binding to all members of Danish Timber Trade Federation. If a member contravenes with any part of the Code of Conduct sanctions will be imposed, which may ultimately lead to exclusion in accordance with the federation's regulations.

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