

ANIMAL WELFARE APPLICABILITY STATEMENT (ESC1.6)

Tropical Mountains GmbH is a coffee trading company that imports, markets and sells coffee products, including coffee beans, ground coffee, coffee capsules and related coffee products.

The company does not own, operate or manage:

- Livestock farming
- Animal breeding activities
- Aquaculture operations
- Animal transportation activities
- Slaughtering or meat processing facilities
- Animal testing activities

Tropical Mountains does not directly use animals in its operations and has no direct influence over animal welfare conditions through its business activities.

The company's core business consists of sourcing, importing and selling coffee products and therefore does not create direct animal welfare impacts within its own operations.

Based on the nature of its activities, products and business model, Tropical Mountains GmbH considers the Animal Welfare requirements under ESC1.6 to be not applicable to its operations.

The company will review this assessment if future business activities include products, services or supply chains that may have a direct impact on animal welfare.

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