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## WATER STEWARDSHIP COMMITMENT BAT MALAYSIA- TIM JOHOR BARU FACTORY

We understand water is essential for life. As individuals, we need water to live. Communities need access to water to survive and to thrive. Yet, water is the first commodity on earth that is in short supply.

At BAT, we unequivocally believe that access to water is a basic human right. Everyone, everywhere should have access to water.

Water is a shared and precious resource to be managed sustainably by all users in the watersheds where they live and operate. This is water stewardship. Water challenges are local and we believe we can only effectively address them by working with all members of the community.

Our approach to water stewardship to ensure the use of water is socially equitable, environmentally sustainable and economically beneficial.

With our Water Resources Commitment, we focus our efforts and resources on <u>5</u> key areas:

Good water governance, good water balance, good water quality, maintaining Important Water- Related Areas and the human right of access to Water for Sanitation and Heath.

- We commit that it will comply with all legal and regulatory requirements as well as respect legal and water-related rights.
- We will endeavor to engage with catchment stakeholders in an open and transparent manner and support National and local public-sector agencies' efforts to implement water-related policies that help to achieve water stewardship outcomes.
- We will use the quality assurance approach of "Plan, Do, Check, Act to continually improve and adapt its water stewardship actions and plans and ensure that there is sufficient organizational capacity to successfully implement the AWS Standard.

Yours faithfully,

TOBACCO IMPORTERS AND MANUFACTURERS SDN BERHAD

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