



LÜK BEAUTIFOOD PALM OIL POLICY

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Lük recognizes that palm oil is a significant cause of tropical deforestation and peatland depletion, which can result in the loss of natural habitats for endangered species, and also has known human rights issues. Although more than 80 percent of palm oil is used for food products, it also is one of many natural oils used in personal care products.

While it is possible to purchase 'sustainable' palm oil it is very difficult due to the fact that palm is consolidated at the wholesale merchants making it hard to separate out one farmers crop from another. However, as the demand for documentation grows so does the understanding of the marketplace and little by little, step by step progress is being made. It may take several years before many of the bi-products from palm oil distillation can be certified in marketable quantities with any confidence.

Lük is NOT a user of palm oil or palm kernel oil (PKO) and learnt in May 2017 one of its ingredients (Caprylic / Capric Triglyceride) is a derivative of palm oil and/or PKO at 3-3.6% of total raw materials in 10 of its Lip Nourish Lipsticks. The new shades – Cherry Plum & Cranberry Citrus Lipsticks do not use any Palm oil or Palm Kernel Oil or derived ingredients.

As a company policy, we are committed to protecting the environment and respecting and upholding the human rights of the communities and workers affected by Palm cultivation and supply chain. We are working towards making our Lip Nourish range Palm Oil derivative-free by end Oct 2017 as part of our Sustainability policy.



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