



## Accelerate Sustainable Procurement in ASEAN Pledge (ASAP)

The Accelerate Sustainable Procurement in the ASEAN Pledge (ASAP) is an initiative under the ASEAN Responsible and Inclusive Business Alliance (ARAIBA) to promote responsible and inclusive business in the 10 Member States of the Association of South East Asian Nations (ASEAN).

This Pledge recognises that Procurement Professionals can influence our supply chain and our organisations to achieve an inclusive, sustainable and equitable community through sustainable procurement practices for the benefit of Society and ourselves.

ASAP is applicable to Procurement and Supply Chain Professionals who operate in ASEAN region. As part of ARAIBA to promote good corporate governance, labour rights, poverty eradication, community development, environmental stewardship, anti-corruption and human rights in ASEAN region.

I, \_\_\_\_\_ [Name] of \_\_\_\_\_ [Company Name] sincerely pledge to promote Responsible Business Conduct through the ARAIBA Code for Responsible and Inclusive Business ([ARAIBA CODE](#)) and to encourage organisations to join ARAIBA.

1. As a Professional:

I will always uphold the highest levels of professionalism by:

- My conduct that will uphold the reputation and standing of the profession
- Standing for the highest standards of integrity and ethics
- Competence in my job through continuous learning and development
- Compliance with applicable laws and regulations
- Ensuring fairness, objectivity and mutual respect in all my dealings

2. At the Organisational level:

I will endeavour compliance to the Code of ASEAN Responsible and Inclusive Business Alliance by:

- Leading and promoting sustainability in accordance to ARAIBA Code to my organization, business partners and suppliers.
- I will uphold the integrity and the principles of ARAIBA Code:
  - Accountability
  - Transparency
  - Ethical Behaviour
  - Respect for stakeholder interests
  - Respect for the rule of law
  - Respect for international norms of behavior
  - Treat people with respect, dignity and fairness

As a procurement and supply chain leader, I shall within my capacity to contribute and support the development of responsible business conduct in the following subject areas:

- Governance – I shall comply to ARAIBA Code and applicable rule of law.
- Environment – I shall strive to mitigate climate change impact and achieve zero waste.
- Labour - I shall respect the rights of workers, eliminate all forms of forced labour, child labour and discrimination in respect to employment and occupation.
- Anti-corruption – I shall work against corruption in all its forms, including extortion and bribery.
- Human Rights – I shall support and respect the protection of human rights.
- Consumer Protection – I shall protect the health and safety of consumers and promote sustainable consumption.
- Community Engagement and Development – I shall support ASEAN community through wealth creation, decent work and adopting inclusive business practices.

3. I will work with [ASEAN CSR Network](#) and ARAIBA to drive sustainable procurement.

4. I will lead and support global sustainability standards and [United Nations Sustainable Development Goals](#).

Signature

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Name:

Company:

Title:

Date: