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Dear valued Kronospan partners

We would like to inform you that, starting from January 1, 2025, Kronospan will comply with the Regulation (EU) 2023/1115 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 31 May 2023 on the making available on the Union market and the export from the Union of certain commodities and products associated with deforestation and forest degradation and repealing Regulation (EU) No 995/2010 - the so-called Deforestation Regulation (**EUDR**).

Market participants (importers, exporters, processors, manufacturers) and traders will have to ensure that the origin of the products they sell can be traced back to the land on which they were produced.

For more details about implementation of the EUDR in Latvia, you can visit website of the Ministry of Agriculture of the Republic of Latvia: [EUDR](#)<sup>1</sup>

Please note that the EUDR requires that all produced wood products be sold, exported, and imported with unique reference number indicating the origin of the timber materials.

Although the implementation of the EUDR has been postponed, Kronospan is committed to processing traceability reference numbers for the origin of timber materials starting January 1, 2025. From this date, timber consignments with clear reference numbers generated from the European Union database will be accepted in the transport documents. More detailed information can be found here: [Information system](#)<sup>2</sup>.

To ensure smooth and uninterrupted cooperation with Kronospan Riga, we encourage you to register in the European Union database and take all necessary actions so that your consignments are accepted without unnecessary delays.

If you have any questions regarding the procedure, please feel free to contact Kronospan Riga wood procurement manager:

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Sincerely,  
The Management of SI "Kronospan - Riga"

<sup>1</sup> <https://www.zm.gov.lv/lv/es-atmezosanas-regula-eudr>

<sup>2</sup> [https://green-business.ec.europa.eu/deforestation-regulation-implementation/information-system-deforestation-regulation\\_en](https://green-business.ec.europa.eu/deforestation-regulation-implementation/information-system-deforestation-regulation_en)