

## **DEFORESTATION-FREE POLICY**

At Machu Picchu Foods S.A.C., as a leader in the cocoa industry, we reaffirm our commitment to sustainability by adopting a Deforestation-Free Policy. This commitment not only ensures market access for cocoa producers but also contributes to mitigating climate change by reducing CO<sub>2</sub> emissions, protecting biodiversity through forest ecosystem conservation, and ensuring compliance with national and international environmental regulations. By preventing deforestation, we promote sustainable development that benefits local communities, preserves natural resources, and builds a more resilient future for generations to come.

Our objectives are aligned with the values of innovation and excellence that define our company, translating into concrete actions:



## Monitoring and Traceability with Innovative Technology

We implement evaluation and monitoring systems using remote sensing technology and audits to identify farms at risk of deforestation within our supply chain. This allows us to ensure the traceability of deforestation-free cocoa.



## **Promotion of Sustainable Practices**

We encourage responsible and efficient forest management practices among farmers, promoting deforestation-free cocoa cultivation and highlighting successful cases of farmers implementing sustainable techniques in harmony with forests.



## Awareness and Strategic Alliances

We raise awareness among employees and producers about the impact of deforestation and the importance of sustainable forest practices. Additionally, we collaborate with organizations supporting sustainable forestry initiatives, including reforestation programs.

At Machu Picchu Foods S.A.C., we commit to sourcing cocoa beans exclusively from non-deforested areas and protected zones, reinforcing our dedication to sustainability and environmental responsibility. This policy will be reviewed annually to ensure alignment with regulatory developments and industry best practices.

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