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SFS-CERTIFICATION LTD

FORESTRY AND FOREST INDUSTRY RELATED SYSTEM CERTIFICATION

SFS-Certification Ltd is a certification body for quality management, environmental management, occupational health and safety management and information security management systems. SFS-Certification Ltd is accredited by FINAS (Finnish Accreditation Service). SFS belongs to the world's leading national certification body network (IQNet) among 30 other members from all over the world. IQNet also periodically audits its members to harmonise certification processes.

The customers of system certification comprise manufacturing industries, primary industries and service industries. There are currently some 100 Quality Management Systems (QMS) and some 50 Environmental Management Systems (EMS) certified by SFS-Certification Ltd in the areas related to forestry and forest industries (see table below).

Field of Activity	QMS	EMS
EAC 01 Agriculture, hunting, forestry, fishing	16	5
EAC 06 Manufacture of wood and wood products	25	16
EAC 07 Manufacture of pulp, paper and paper products	60	33

SFS-Certification employs 24 full-time lead auditors and some 40 contractual experts and auditors from different fields. In addition to system certification, SFS acts as an accredited EMAS verifier and offers assessment services based on SQAS and quality award criteria. Certification of forests in accordance with the Finnish Forest Certification System was introduced in 1999. Currently five of the thirteen operating areas of Regional Forest Centres hold SFS certificates for sustainable management and use of forests.

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DNV CERTIFICATION OY/AB

FOREST CERTIFICATION SERVICES

DNV Certification Oy/Ab offers non accredited Forest Certification and “Chain of the Custody” Certification in Finland according to the Finnish Forest Certification Scheme. (The standards SMS 1001 and SMS 1002-1).

The requirements of the Pan European Scheme are included in above standards.

Our Lead Auditor for Forest Certification holds a Master Degree in Forestry (Metsänhoitaja) and is also qualified Lead Auditor for certification of Quality- and Environmental Management Systems according to accredited schemes.

As technical specialists to act as team members during audits we have contract with several qualified suppliers.

DNV Certification Oy/Ab is granted accreditation by FINAS within following areas:

1.1 Accreditation	Scope	Expiry Date
<u>No</u>		
S 001	Certification of Quality Management Systems acc. to ISO 9001,2,3:1994 (ISO 9001:2000)	23.04.2004
S 007	Certification of Environmental Management Systems acc. to ISO 14001:1996	20.03.2004
S 016	Certification of Quality Management Systems acc. to QS 9000 (third edition)	22.08.2001
S 018	Certification to EN 729	13.12.2003
V 002	Environmental Verification	30.05.2003

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