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Ambassador Mahendra Siregar
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Dear Ambassador Siregar,

I am very concerned about the effects of non-sustainable palm oil production on rainforests in Indonesia. At the current rate of deforestation, orangutans and other wildlife will be extinct in just a few years.

I understand that palm oil production is important to the livelihoods of millions of citizens of Indonesia. I am asking you to please support the Roundtable on Sustainable Palm Oil (RSPO) and to help move the entire palm oil industry forward by **requiring the production of 100% segregated certified sustainable palm oil that is deforestation-free.**

I am also asking for Indonesian laws to be enforced that protect orangutans and other endangered species.

Finally, please protect national parks and other habitat important to the survival of orangutans and other wildlife. By allowing forests to be converted to agriculture, such as palm oil plantations, Indonesia is losing wildlife crucial to its national heritage.

Respectfully,