

## Legal wood purchase policy for the Barlinek Group

Regulation 995/2012 (EUTR) of the European Parliament and of the Council prohibits the introduction of illegally obtained wood and wood products on to the European Union market.

In accordance with the regulation, operators launching wood or wood products onto the European Union market shall apply a system of due diligence enabling the avoidance of products from illegal harvest sources being introduced onto the common market.

Out of concern for the good of the natural environment and the conservation of its values, Barlinek attaches great importance to the sources and legality of wood and wood products, which is why in compliance with the above regulation we require our suppliers to provide all the information confirming the legality of the source and logging of the wood or wood products supplied:

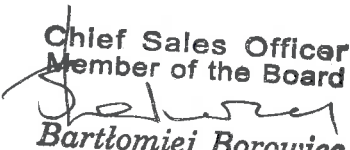
As a leading global manufacturer of wood floors, Barlinek understands the need to protect the world's forest and supports all means aimed at fighting illegal felling.

Illegal logging is an enormous problem with serious environmental, social and economic consequences. It threatens biodiversity and contributes to deforestation. Barlinek applies a responsible purchase strategy, undertaking to check the origin of wood and buy only those wood products whose supplier is able to confirm the legality of its logging.

In order to implement this decision, Barlinek shall present this policy to suppliers and all interested parties, and shall purchase wood and wood products whose legality is confirmed by an analysis of the relevant documents and information.

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