CMSI Consultation Response

Respondent Details

NAME

Anonymous

COUNTRY

South Africa

PERMISSION

Yes, CMSI can disclose my anonymous feedback.

STAKEHOLDER

Industry / trade organisation

ORGANISATION

Anonymous

COMMENTS & QUESTIONS BY DOCUMENT

Document: Governance

OUESTION 1

The governance principles that guided the development of the governance model are inclusive, effective, credible, impact-driven, pragmatic and efficient. From your perspective, does the proposed governance model meet expectations for consistency with these principles?

Response: 4: Exceeds expectations

OUESTION 2

Does the proposed governance model ensure no single group is able to unduly influence decisions?

Response: yes

Document: Assurance

2. Roles and Responsibilities

COMMENT:

Annual self-assessments will require additional resources that we do not currently have in place. Perhaps consider self-assessment every 18months or 24 months

4. Consolidated Standard External Assurance Process

COMMENT:

Step 3 (c) -Immediate corrective actions: given the size of our facility, at least 60 days would be sufficient for any corrective actions.

QUESTION 1

From your perspective, does the Assurance process meet your expectations of a robust, credible, replicable and transparent approach?

Response: 3: Meets expectations

It does meet our expectations however there are areas where we think some things should be relooked. for instance: facilities should be given the option of providing their own assurance providers (of course they would have to be trained and vetted accordingly).

Document: Standard

QUESTION 1

Does the scope, content, and narrative style of the consolidated standard meet your individual expectations and the collective industry expectation for responsible production practices?

Response: 3: Meets expectations

QUESTION 2

Do the requirements meet your expectations for being sufficiently clear to support consistent and practical implementation and to achieve necessary performance improvement?

Response: 3: Meets expectations

QUESTION 3

From your perspective, does the three-level performance structure (Foundational, Good, Leading) of the Consolidated Standard meet your expectations for providing an effective on ramp and clear articulation of good practice and effective path to continuous improvement?

Response: 3: Meets expectations

Yes the three-level performance structure meets our expectations. We are not yet a member of ICMM so the foundational level is a good start for us.

Document: Claims

QUESTION 1

We would value perspectives on a few additional questions related to threshold of performance associated with achievement claims. Please click here/ see page 11 of Reporting and Claims Policy.

Response: No Response