

Responsibly Produced Peat in process to grant certificate

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Responsibly Produced Peat intends to grant the RPP-certificate to the company named in this document. This intended decision is based on the fact that the company meets the requirements of the RPP certification scheme version 3.0. The fulfilment of the criteria is checked by an independent qualified inspector, including inspection at location.

During a period of 6 weeks, from **October 23 until December 4, 2024** Responsibly Produced Peat offers parties concerned the opportunity to provide comment on the proposed decision. Questions and comments can be sent to info@responsiblyproducedpeat.org. Without further objections, after this comment period, the certificate will be granted to the company for the location in concern.

Company name	Neova AB Sjötullsgatan 8, 824 50 Hudiksvall, Sweden
Extraction site	Name site: Store mosse Ebbarp
	GPS coordinate entrance peatbog: Latitude : N 57°29'29.1" Longitude: E 13°02'59.2"
	Total licensed area: 102,85 ha
	License information: License number 543-12441-2006
Site description	
<u>Environment of the location:</u> The site is located on relatively sparsely populated area mainly used for forestry and agriculture. There are no protected areas or permanent habitats of protected species near the Storemosse Ebbarp peat production site. The closest cultural heritage objects are located on the mineral soil and the protection zones of these objects are located at least 250 m distance from the peat production site. production site.	
<u>Protected areas:</u> There are no adjacent areas with important natural values	
<u>Time in exploitation:</u> The first peat extraction activities in the area started in 2005, the site was fully in use for extraction by 2013	
<u>Expected end of production based on peat reserves:</u> About 2040	
<u>License valid till:</u> 30-11-2030	

Remarks resulting from inspection:

The landowners declared that once peat extraction has ended, they require a forest as after-use. This was agreed when the permit was prepared and can be regarded a contractual obligation. However, for the after-use of the southwestern section, new consultation will be necessary in the coming years (including from permitting agency), as extraction in this area is expected to end in approximately 3 to 5 years. This will be reviewed during the reinspection.

Link to [location on Google earth](#)

See image below for license boundaries.

