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## Papua New Guinea indigenous chiefs from Collingwood Bay reject Malaysian oil palm plantation and complain to RSPO


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The traditional chiefs of Collingwood Bay in Papua New Guinea's Northern Province have filed a **complaint** with the RSPO accusing the Malaysian Company, Kuala Lumpur Kepong, of acting contrary to the RSPO Code of Conduct, Certification Systems and Principles and Criteria. In their detailed submission to the RSPO, they note that they have actively opposed oil palm developments on their lands since 2010. Rejecting options of mediation, the chiefs insist that the company desist from developing oil palm on their lands.

[Click here to read their complaint to RSPO \(in English only\).](#)



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