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#### TEST REPORT

Report No. SS 1210965

#### Report to:

Circle 5 Ecoplantation Lanka (Pvt) Ltd., No. 655/1F, Lake Road, Boralesgamuwa.

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Customer:	Test Item:
Circle 5 Ecoplantation Lanka (Pvt) Ltd., No. 655/1F, Lake Road, Boralesgamuwa.	COIR PRODUCTS  Service Requested: Parameters requested by the customer in letters dated 2012/07/19, 2012/08/14 & 2012/08/15
Descriptions:  1. Approximately 5kg of coco peat in a sealed polythene bag.	Identification of Test Item: Labels: 100% coco-peat Bag sample 1
2. Approximately 5kg of cocochips wrapped with polythene.	PreMiereCocos-Coco chips 100 (100% Coco-Chips) Weight: 5kg, Dimension: (30x30x20)cm
3. Approximately 5kg coco-chips wrapped with polythene.	PreMiereCocos-Cocos70:30 (70% Coco-peat+30% Coco-Chips) Weight: 5kg, Dimension: (30x30x20)cm
4. Approximately 5kg of coco chips wrapped with polythene.	PreMiereCocos - cocos 90:10 (90% Coco-peat +10% Coco-Chips) Weight: 5kg, Dimension: (30x30x20)cm
5. Approximately 5kg of coco peat wrapped with polythene.	PreMiereCocos - Cocos 100 (100% Coco-peat) Weight: 5kg, Dimension: (30x30x12)cm  Date of Receipt of Test Item: 2012/08/13
Test Dates: Chemical - 2012/08/28 to 2 Microbiological - 2012/08/	

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#### TEST RESULTS:

Test/Unit	Method	Results					
		1	2	3	4	5	
Electrical conductivity (1:6), μS/cm		43.9	149.2	101.7	87.3	485.7	
pH (1:6) (wet volume)	SLS	8.3	8.1	8.1	7.6	6.6	
Wet volume expansion	1219:2001	1:3	1:1.5	1:5	1:4	1:3	
Water holding capacity, percent by mass		80.5	54.8	90.6	87.4	89.3	
Moisture, percent by mass		19.2	11.3	15.0	16.7	12.8	
Mineral content, percent by mass	Soil Chemical	5.7	2.2	6.2	6.3	22.6	
Carbon nitrogen, (ratio)	Analysis by	1:73	1:71	1:65	1:64	1:54	
BaCl <sub>2</sub> analysis (SO <sub>4</sub> content), percent by mass	ML Jackson	0.007	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	
Air filled porosity, percent volume by volume	BS4156: 1990	9.6	4.3	10.0	9.0	9.0	
Mould count (at 25 <sup>o</sup> c/5 days), per g	SLS 516-2- 1991	$4.2x10^4$	4.1x10 <sup>3</sup>	$5.0 \times 10^3$	$3.5 \times 10^4$	5.2x10 <sup>4</sup>	
E.coli count, (MPN), per g	SLS 516-3- 1982	*ND	*ND	*ND	*ND	*ND	
Salmonella, per 25g SLS 516-5- 1991		Absent	Absent	Absent	Absent	Absent	

\*ND - Not Detected

Analysis was carried out by Mrs. C.K. Wickramasinghe, Senior Technical Officer & Mr. C. Nawarathne, Technical Assistant.

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### TEST REPORT

Report No. SS 1214419

#### Report to:

Circle 5 Ecoplantation Lanka (Private) Ltd., No. 655/1F, Lake Road, Boralesgamuwa, Colombo.

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## TEST REPORT

### Report No. SS 1214419

Customer		Test Item:						
Circle 5 Eco	oplantation Lanka (Private) Ltd.,	COIR PRODUCTS						
No. 655/1F	, Lake Road,	Service Requested: Parameters requested by the						
Boralesgam	uwa,	customer in letters dated 2012/07/19.						
Colombo.								
	ons:  proximately 5kg of coco peat sealed polythene bag.	Identification of Test Item: Labels: 100% coco-peat Bag sample 1						
2. App	proximately 5kg of coco-chips apped with polythene.	PreMiereCocos-Coco chips 100 (100% Coco-Chips) Weight: 5kg, Dimension: (30x30x20)cm						
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		Date of Receipt of Test Item: 2012/10/31						

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#### TEST RESULTS:

Test/Unit	Method		Limit of Detection				
		1	2	3	4	5	
Sodium, percent by mass		0.17	0.8	0.12	0.14	0.23	-
Magnesium, mg/kg		71.53	335.98	62.35	75.27	46.01	_
Potassium, percent by mass	AOAC	0.67	0.11	0.34	0.37	0.50	_
Calcium, percent by mass	965.09:	0.06	0.07	0.08	0.07	0.03	-
Cadmium, mg/kg	2002	Not	Not	Not	Not	Not	0.1
		Detected	Detected	Detected	Detected	Detected	
Lead, mg/kg		Not	Not	Not	Not	Not	0.5
		Detected	Detected	Detected	Detected	Detected	
Arsenic, mg/kg	AOAC 986.15: 2002	0.22	0.1	0.34	0.29	0.37	-
Mercury, mg/kg	AOAC 999.10: 2002	Not Detected	Not Detected	Not Detected	Not Detected	Not Detected	0.05

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21 March 2014

### **Analytical Report** Chemical Composition of Coco Peat

Sample of Coco Peat from; Circle 5 Eco Plantations Lanka (Pvt) Limited, 32A, Gellison Mawatha, Negambo, is as follows.

Sample	Moisture (%) d.w.b.	pH 1:5 v/v	EC 1:5 v/v, (µmhos /cm)	Na (%)	K (%)	Ca (%)	Mg (%)	P (%)	N (%)	OC (%)	C/N ratio	Ash (%)
Coco Peat	14.1	5.71	522	0.30	0.78	0.41	0.19	0.03	0.44	32.5	73.9	6.38

- No toxic materials is used and no added chemicals or ingredients in the process of manufacturing coco peat base value added product and 100% organic and these product contain only 100% Cocos nucifera (Coco Peat) and completely environmental friendly.
- No visible contamination with animal materials
- This coco peat is clean, free from soil, contaminant plant material and other extraneous matter
- Country of origin is Sri Lanka
- End use of product- fertilizer

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