

## Guidelines for Agricultural Raw Materials Sourcing

Mitr Phol Group places great importance on the management of natural resources, including planting processes and agricultural raw materials sourcing to ensure that they are used most efficiently and sustainably. Therefore, planting processes and agricultural raw materials sourcing for sugarcane and sugar must comply with the following guidelines.

### **Processes and raw material sourcing must:**

1. Align with Mitr Phol Code of Conduct and Supplier Code of Conduct which prioritize the compliance with all laws and regulations.
2. Conserve environmental resource by protecting biodiversity in areas with high conservation value, groundwater quality, and soil fertility, and promote efficiently using water.
3. Encourage sugarcane farmers to reduce the amount of burnt cane. This is to encourage the delivery of better quality green cane.
4. Minimize the use of agrochemicals and prohibit the use of pesticides that are listed as hazardous substances.
5. Prioritize products and raw materials from local source to reduce cost of production and greenhouse gas emissions from transportation.
6. Moreover, our suppliers are encouraged to have their own environmental management plan in place.