

Certificate for operators, groups of operators and exporters in third countries for products to be imported into the European Union as organic products or in-conversion products

Part I: Mandatory elements

I.1 Document number LK-BIO-149.144-0000465.2026.001 	I.2 Operator type ☒ Operator ☐ Group of operators ☒ Exporter
I.3 Operator or group of operators Name Knuckles Valley Plantations (Pvt) Ltd Address 7/2, Galagoda Atta Road, Karandeniya 80360 Galle Country Sri Lanka ISO Code LK	I.4 Control authority/Control body Authority Control Union Certifications B.V. (LK-BIO-149) Address Stationsplein 13 , 8011, Zwolle Country Netherlands ISO Code NL
I.5 Activity or activities of the operator, group of operators or exporter • Production • Preparation • Export	

I.6 Category or categories of products as referred to in Article 35 (7) of Regulation (EU) 2018/848 of the European Parliament and of the Council and production methods

- (a) Unprocessed plants and plant products, including seeds and other plant reproductive material

Production method:

- Organic production excluding during the conversion period

- (d) Processed agricultural products, including aquaculture products, for use as food

Production method:

- Production of organic products

I.7 Directory of products

Name of the product

Combined nomenclature (CN) code as referred to in Council Regulation (EEC) No 2658/87 for products within the scope of Regulation (EU) 2018/848

Cinnamon sticks	09061100 Cinnamon (<i>Cinnamomum zeylanicum</i> Blume)	Organic
Cinnamon powder	09062000 Crushed or ground	Organic
Cinnamon	0906 Cinnamon and cinnamon-tree flowers	Organic

This document has been issued in accordance with Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/1378 to certify that the operator or group of operators complies with Regulation (EU) 2018/848.

I.8 Date, place

Date	31 March 2026 09:53:36 +02 (CET)	Name and signature	Control Union Certifications B.V.
Place	Zwolle (NL)	Digitally signed by:	CONTROL UNION CERTIFICATIONS B.V. on 2026-03-31 07:53:36 UTC

I.9 Validity

Certificate valid from 31/03/2026 to 16/02/2027

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Part II: Specific optional elements	II.1 Quantity of products		
	II.2 Information on the land		
	Name of the product	Surface in hectares	
	Cinnamon (Raw stems)	Organic	3.24
	II.3 List of premises or units where the activity is performed by the operator or group of operators		
	Address or geolocation	Activity	Description of the activity or activities as referred to in point 5 of part I
PRC 170603 - Knuckles Valley Plantations (Pvt) Ltd (D-01), No. 7/2, Galagoda Atta Road, Karandeniya, Galle, Sri Lanka.	Export	Administration, Export	
PRC 170604 - Knuckles Valley Plantations (Pvt) Ltd - Cinnamon Processing Centre (D-02), No. 205, Vijitha, Wewarawuma, Ethkandura, Sri Lanka.	Preparation	Bundling, Cutting, Drying, Grading, Grinding, Labelling, Packing, Peeling, Receiving, Rolling, Rubbing, Scraping, Sieving, Storage, Washing	
PRD 173681 - Godamuna estate (F-01), Bangamukanda, Godamuna	Production	Organic production - Cinnamon	

II.4 Information on the activity or activities carried out by the operator or group of operators and whether the activity is, or the activities are performed for their own purpose or as a subcontractor carrying out the activity or activities for another operator, while the subcontractor remains responsible for the activity or activities performed

Activity	Description of the activity or activities as referred to in point 5 of part I	
Export	Administration, Export	• Carrying out activity/activities for own purpose
Preparation	Bundling, Cutting, Drying, Grading, Grinding, Labelling, Packing, Peeling, Receiving, Rolling, Rubbing, Scraping, Sieving, Storage, Washing	• Carrying out activity/activities for own purpose
Production	Organic production	• Carrying out activity/activities for own purpose

II.5 Information on the activity or activities carried out by the subcontracted third party

II.6 List of subcontractors carrying out an activity or activities for the operator or group of operators for which the operator or group of operators remains responsible as regards organic production and for which it has not transferred that responsibility to the subcontractor

II.7 Information on the accreditation of the control body in accordance with point (d) of Article 46(2) of Regulation (EU) 2018/848

Name of the accreditation body

Hyperlink to the accreditation certificate