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New Product Launch Announcement

Greenwood Management is about to launch its new Guanandi hardwood investment programme in March 2011.



- Low initial investment level
 - Annual 'seed dividend' of 10% starting in year seven, rising to 17% in year nineteen
 - High profits from timber sales in years eleven and nineteen.
 - Ecological investment: Guanandi is native to Brazil and is very hardy and resilient.
- Guanandi timber is of a very high quality
 - An excellent, safer alternative to teak and mahogany with higher returns
 - For more information, please contact your broker or email info@greenwood-management.com

Recycled Carbon Credits

We have received many enquiries regarding carbon credits and carbon trading. Greenwood Management would like to make clear that carbon trading is not an area of investment that we are active in due to the uncertainty around the validity of some of the companies trading in these markets, and the financial products that are on offer to unsuspecting investors.

The Times has covered why the investment community approaches carbon trading with such caution.

"Europe's emissions trading system was in uproar yesterday amid a mounting scandal over "recycled" carbon permits."

"Two carbon exchanges were forced to suspend trading as panic hit investors fearful that they had bought invalid permits"

"Concern that used and worthless permits were circulating caused the spot price of the certificates to collapse, from €12 per tonne of carbon to less than €1"





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Currently this is not a market that we intend to pursue. Our forestry investments business model offers complete transparency to our clients, and we intend to keep it that way.

In the meantime, for the numerous investors considering venturing into the carbon markets we would urge them to proceed with caution and caveat emptor (Let the buyer beware).

Products known as recycled carbon credits make their way on to the market via fraudulent trade and this has affected a number of countries over the past years.

Cases of fraud and corruption have plagued carbon markets since their inception more than five years ago. Carbon allowances are particularly susceptible to fraud because they are high value, intangible and are easily moved between different countries.

Recently there has been another challenge to the credibility of the carbon allowances market. There are allegations that 475,000 carbon credits worth €7 million were stolen in a hacking attack on the Czech carbon registrar. Due to this, trade was disrupted as other EU countries started to shut their registries for trade.

The scheme has been plagued by fraud, with Europol estimating that fraudulent carbon trading has accounted for up to 90 percent of all market activity in some European countries.

In the event that you are cold called regarding this matter, we suggest you to **exercise extreme caution.**

Launching Greenwood Management's and UTAD's Excellence Award 2012



On 17th February 2011, Greenwood Management were present at the Universidade de Trás-os-Montes e Alto Douro (UTAD) in Portugal to organise a joint venture that offers the opportunity for agricultural and forestry students to complete a course at our plantation sites in Brazil.

The outline of the scheme involves the best final year students who are selected to support Greenwood Management's agroforestry team. Accommodation and equipment are provided including technical monitoring of students to guide them through their development.





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The first set of students to participate in this scheme will commence in September 2011, and the presentation of the Greenwood Management UTAD Excellence Award in late 2012.

"UTAD was delighted and proud for be selected for this partnership. As the Director of the Forestry graduation I can assure you that our students will be strongly motivated for this new challenge." – Domingos Mendes Lopes, the director of the forestry course at the UTAD

Appointment of New Commercial Manager

Greenwood Management are pleased to announce the appointment of Mr. Nuno Páris as Commercial Manager for Greenwood Agropecuária Ltda (Brazil).

Nuno, a Forestry Engineer graduate and Masters degree holder from the UTAD Portugal, possesses a wealth of knowledge and experience in the agroforestry industry. He will support our existing management team in Brazil as Greenwood Management continues its expansion in the region. He is also involved with the organisation of the new partnership with the UTAD project.

Nuno will soon be based in our new offices in Barreiras, the hub of our operations in Bahia. Details to follow.

Brazil's Oil Output to Double



Brazil's national oil company, Petrobras, is set to double the country's oil output. The company's announcement comes after large pre-salt fields were recently discovered in Brazil. [[more](#)]





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Global Gold Demand Up 11% in Q4 2010



Strong jewellery purchases in India and China besides rising **global investments** as the catalysts for the surge in worldwide demand for the precious metal.

Global gold demand for the rose 11% to 955.5 metric tons in the last quarter of last year, compared with 858 tons in the same period. Global jewellery consumption was up 13% to 575.2 tons, reaching the highest level in more than two years as Chinese and Indian purchases continue to run strong.

Central banks and government institutions sold 13 tons of gold in the fourth quarter of 2010, cutting annual purchases to 87.2 tons, according to the World Gold Council (WGC).

"Emerging country banks are likely to continue purchasing gold as a means of preserving national wealth and promoting greater financial stability," George Milling-Stanley, the WGC's Managing Director of government affairs, said in a statement.

"Any gold sales from advanced economies are unlikely to be significant as the official sector remains highly risk-averse."

Investment Called for in Brazil's Green Energy Industry



A new study carried out into the use of sustainable energy in Brazil has found that there needs to be a significant increase in both public and private sector investment in the green energy industry. [[more](#)]





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We Need New Sales Agents



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Greenwood Management are searching for Sales Agents to promote our forestry investments. We require further agents based worldwide. Sales experience ideally in finance or the real estate sector is a bonus.

Join our team and help us spread the word about our forestry investments, while you expand and diversify your investment portfolio.

For further information and to apply please email:
relations@greenwood-management.com

Clients Reward Scheme



Greenwood Management offers our clients the opportunity to refer their friends to our company and products. Every successful recommendation will be rewarded with 200€ worth of online vouchers for use with many major retailers.

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