# SURVEY OF ROUND FENCING MANUFACTURERS

# YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 2023

Unique Reference Number: **«Ref\_No»**

### CONSUMPTION:

**Please enter below, the quantity of UK and imported roundwood your company purchased during 2023, for the manufacture of round fencing material.**

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|  | **Softwood** |  | **Hardwood** |  |
| UK roundwood |  | green tonnes |  | green tonnes |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Imported roundwood |  | green tonnes |  | green tonnes |

**If possible, please complete the following, indicating the country or countries you purchased UK roundwood from.**

If you are unable to provide actual figures, then estimates are acceptable.

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| Purchased from: | **Softwood** |  | **Hardwood** |  |
| England |  | green tonnes |  | green tonnes |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Scotland |  | green tonnes |  | green tonnes |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Wales |  | green tonnes |  | green tonnes |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Northern Ireland |  | green tonnes |  | green tonnes |

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### 2. PRODUCTION:

What was the total quantity of production in 2023?

This should include all of these products from the site, including those from secondary processing (additional resawing, cross-cutting and machining) and from processing of rough-sawn timber received at the site.

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|  | **Softwood** |  | **Hardwood** |  |
| Round fencing |  | green tonnes |  | green tonnes |
| Other products: |  |  |  |  |
| Sold to bioenergy  (incl. pellet manufacture) |  | green tonnes |  | green tonnes |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Sold as firewood |  | green tonnes |  | green tonnes |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Used internally for heat/ energy (incl. kiln use) |  | green tonnes |  | green tonnes |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Sold to others, incl. to agriculture or merchants |  | green tonnes |  | green tonnes |

**3. EMPLOYMENT (at this site)**

**Please provide an estimate of the mill’s total employment, expressed as Full-Time Equivalents (FTEs).**

Include both direct employees (those for whom you are responsible for paying wages and National Insurance contributions) and other employment (any others undertaking work for you, including contractors and their employees). To express employment as FTEs, please include a rough estimate of time for those who work a part-year for the mill. For example, count a full-time employee working slightly more than half the time for the mill as 0.6, or an employee who works part-time for 4 months as 0.2.

For haulage employment, please only include those employed directly. Please exclude any contract haulage employment and any employment at the site not directly related to the mill (e.g. exclude work producing pallets or other wood products from sawnwood).

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| Total Employment |  | **Full-Time Equivalents** |

Thank you. If possible, please complete this questionnaire online at:

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