

FORESTA Secures Key US Patent Allowance for Production Process

Foresta Group Holdings Limited (ASX: FGH, "FORESTA" or the "Company") advises that the United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) has allowed United States Patent Application No. 18/010,303, entitled "Method of extraction", covering FORESTA's rosin and terpene production process.

Once granted, the patent is expected to provide protection in the **United States of America** through to at least **16 June 2041**, subject to any patent term adjustment determined by the USPTO.

This is the first patent application to be allowed in FORESTA's first patent family directed to rosin and terpene production methods. National phase applications have also been filed in jurisdictions aligned with expected major markets, including **Australia, Brazil, Canada, China, Europe, Indonesia, Japan, South Korea, Mexico, Malaysia, New Zealand, the Philippines and Thailand**.

The allowance strengthens FORESTA's intellectual property position around its proprietary pine chemical production technology and supports the Company's core commercialisation strategy.

FORESTA now has two patent families covering innovative methods for processing pine wood, including a second patent family directed to generating torrefied wood pellets and briquettes.

This patent allowance represents a further step in FORESTA's development and commercialisation strategy, supporting its competitive position in sustainable wood processing technologies.

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ABOUT FORESTA GROUP HOLDINGS

FORESTA is a leading natural and renewable pine chemical and biomass pellet manufacturing company. FORESTA is positioning itself to become a leading global supplier of natural and renewable pine chemicals and biomass pellets. It has developed a proprietary process to naturally extract pine chemicals by employing the tree's own solvent chemicals to extract rosin and terpenes. These products are commonly used in industrial manufacturing and are a key input to everyday end products. These products include adhesives, gum, inks, paint, car tyres and perfume.