

BMW'S STATEMENT SUBMITTED TO EARTHSIGHT, MAY 2022

We have taken extensive measures to verify your allegations, internally and externally. The results are clear from our point of view. In addition to these clarifications, we see no need to provide further explanations.

Already in 2020 we had rejected your allegation that Cencoprod is part of our supply chain. We have received full transparency regarding our supply chain and the related sub-suppliers. We have no evidence to confirm this erroneous assumption.

As a sign of our openness and transparency regarding our involvement in leather supply chains, we have established contact with two partners who have re-examined our previous results based on an external analysis and have come to the same conclusion.

Furthermore and independently of your report, we have started to restructure our leather supply chain already years ago. As you know, from 2023 on we will stop using leather from Paraguay for new models.

We are disappointed that our transparency was apparently not convincing and is interpreted to our disadvantage.

Please note that we reserve the right to publish our views on this issue on our channels.

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