



## Retailer's Declaration for Use of GOTS Signs

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<i>Company Name &amp; Address</i>	<i>Date</i>
<b>Contact Person</b>	
<b>Email</b>	

1. We are a retailer, selling certified GOTS Goods, which are labelled, to end consumers, but **are not a Certified Entity**.
2. **We wish to use the GOTS logo on our website/publicity material** to inform our customers of this trade and towards designing the layout of such material. Thus, we request GOTS to provide a copy of the official GOTS logo for this purpose.
3. We confirm hereby that we are **fully aware of and have understood** the 'Conditions for the Use of GOTS Signs' document (latest version, publicly available on the GOTS website) and the prescribed label release procedure using the form 'Labelling Release for GOTS Goods' and that we will strictly adhere the same.
4. We also hereby confirm that we are aware that any reference to GOTS must be accurate and there should be no implication that all the goods we offer for sale are GOTS certified (unless this is true).
5. We hereby declare that we will use the logo **solely and wholly for the herein-stated intended purposes** and only in direct reference to the GOTS Goods labelled with the GOTS Signs that are sold by us.
6. We are aware that any use of the GOTS logo in connection with goods that are not correctly labelled is forbidden.
7. We are aware that the GOTS logo is a registered trademark, owned by Global Standard gGmbH and any misuse, misrepresentation or other infringement will make us liable for penalty and legal action as stipulated in the GOTS Conditions for the Use of GOTS Signs.
8. We acknowledge that **we are responsible for obtaining** all relevant Transaction Certificates and Label Release Forms for all GOTS Certified materials from our suppliers/manufacturers, both of whom are issued by their respective GOTS Approved Certification Bodies. We hereby confirm that we shall maintain records of said documentation to present to GOTS immediately upon request.

***Authorised signatory:***

***Date***

*Name & Designation*

This completed and signed declaration shall be sent to [retailer.declaration@global-standard.org](mailto:retailer.declaration@global-standard.org) for acknowledgement and action by GOTS.