

PUBLIC STAKEHOLDER ANNOUNCEMENT

Union de Bananeros Ecuatorianos S.A. (UBESA) is seeking **Recertification** against the AWS International Water Stewardship Standard for the following site:

Site Name:	Union de Bananeros Ecuatorianos S.A. (UBESA)
Site Address:	Km 8.5 Via Babahoyo - San Juan, entrando por Sector Cuatro Varas, Babahoyo, Puebloviejo, 120155; Km. 7.5 Vía Babahoyo – San Juan, entrando por Sector Puente Caña–Babahoyo - Los Ríos, Ecuador, Babahoyo, 120151; Km. 8.5 Vía Babahoyo – San Juan, entrando por Sector Santa Rita – Babahoyo - Los Ríos, Ecuador., Babahoyo, 120151; Panamericana E25 km 7.5 vía Quevedo parroquia San Juan Cantón Puebloviejo – Los Ríos, Ecuador., Puebloviejo, 120450;
GPS Site Coordinates:	-1.81114730517825, -79.510502562847
Site Country:	Ecuador
AWS Site Registration No.:	AWS-000369, 379, 377, 378, 380 and 381
Certification Body:	Water Stewardship Assurance Services (WSAS)
Start Audit Date:	11/02/2025
End Audit Date:	14/02/2025
Audit Format:	On-site
Audit Level:	Core
Audit Scope:	Group Operation
Audit Type:	Recertification Audit

In line with the AWS Certification Requirements, the stakeholders are invited to provide their comments on the site undergoing an AWS Assessment.

Members of the public may submit comments before the audit and during the whole duration of the AWS certificate, if granted. Alternatively, an interview can be arranged with a member of the audit team. To submit comments and/or arrange an interview please email assurance@a4ws.org .

The general public and stakeholders may also contact the Alliance for Water Stewardship (AWS) with comments and questions in accordance with the **AWS Comments, Complaints and Appeals Procedures** (<https://a4ws.org/about/comments-complaints-and-appeals>).