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GFI Consultants Ltd, trading as Global Forestry Investments is an investment company that combines profitable financial returns with sustainable development in the Brazilian Amazon rainforest. We provide a risk mitigated, sustainable investment in tropical hardwood. Our main product is the Belem Sky Plantation in which investors buy plots of teak trees in the north eastern state of Pará in Brazil, with the investment helping to preserve the livelihood of local people and valuable forestry land.

Our services give current and potential investors the opportunity to bring together investment profits and environmental social responsibility. GFI offers investors involvement with one of the 'greenest', ethically responsible assets, that has consistently proven to be one of the high performing commodities of the last 100 years.

There are now over 900 investors, and first phase investors first annual returns have been paid.

GFI was founded in 2007 by Andrew Skeene and Omari Bowers and has offices in Sao Paolo, Brazil, London, Dubai and Abu Dhabi.

Key Benefits for Investors

Along with diversifying their portfolio with a commodity that has demonstrated low volatility and low correlation to traditional markets, investors can also look forward to long-term income returns. This translates to a 10% per annum return on a minimum investment of £5,000 per plot and an additional inflation protected return of between 1 to 5% in thinning years.

Assets are safeguarded through the appointment of Title Trustees International and investors have flexible exit options, including a put option after 3 years when GFI will pay 105% return of the original plot purchase price to buy back the plot.

The benefits of investing with GFI also extend to a much wider cause, such as preserving the natural rainforest and making a real difference to the local community through socio-economic initiatives.

The project is also SIPP compatible.