



The Pau Lope Company LLC

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## **Pau Lope™ 30-Year Limited Warranty**

*“Nothing Measures Up To Pau Lope™ ”*

The Pau Lope Company LLC (hereafter as ‘PLC’) warrants that Qualified Pau Lope™ Brand Products shall not suffer structural damage from rot or decay in properly installed applications from the original verified purchase date from the supplier of these Pau Lope™ Products for a period of 30 Years, in accordance with the following.

‘Qualified Pau Lope™ Brand Products’ shall be defined as Pau Lope™ Ipe’, Pau Lope™ Macaranduba, and Pau Lope™ Cumaru.

Notice of any claim under this warranty must be given to PLC in writing including the original purchase invoice with date and purchase price, photos of the claimed product, and a detailed description of the structural damage from rot or decay. PLC retains the right to investigate, inspect or evaluate for any claim. For any PLC approved claim of structural damage from rot or decay, the claimant shall receive monetary reimbursement for the verified full purchase price of the quantity of product so awarded. Any such approved award shall not exceed this purchase price for the claimed quantity of Qualified Pau Lope™ Products in question.

Excluded from this Limited Warranty are normal wood characteristics ( including checking and weathering and acclimation and movement ), normal wear and tear, damage, labor, installation, removal, re-installation, shipping, fabrication, hardware, service time for on-site assessment of alleged defects, and consulting or legal fees. These costs as so mentioned are the responsibility of the Purchaser. The Purchaser is responsible for determining the suitability of use, application, adherence to proper installation guidelines, and compliance with all Building and Safety Codes and the like. Should the Purchaser have any such questions at time of purchase, the Purchaser should contact PLC for such discussion, with documentation for file.

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**Sabra International** [www.sabrainternational.com](http://www.sabrainternational.com)

*Sabra is the Direct Importer of Pau Lope™ Brand Decking.*

***HERE IS SABRA’s STATEMENT OF  
FOREST STEWARDSHIP :***

## “ *EASY ON THE ENVIRONMENT* ”

**Sabra International** inspects - imports - manages **PAU LOPE™** in compliance and adherence to all of its beliefs, practices and procedures of Legal and Forest-Friendly doctrines and responsibilities.

**Sabra International** believes that forests are a precious resource that must be carefully managed to preserve their beauty and productivity for future generations. Our tropical hardwoods are harvested from managed forests using sustainable methods. Sabra owns over 400 acres of Brazilian forest reserves and tree farms, and actively **REFORESTS** and has planted over 60,000 trees, to contribute to the re-populating of our forests.

**Sabra** pays strict attention to environmental standards mandated by both local organizations in South and Central America, and global organizations such as the **ITTO** (International Timber Trade Organization). In Brazil, Sabra supports the harvesting and production of forest products in compliance with the Brazilian Forest Code Law 4771 as regulated by **IBAMA** (Brazilian Institute of Environmental and Renewable Resources).

For every load, each file has Authenticity Documents, to verify that **Pau Lope™** has been legally and correctly harvested and transported, i.e.:

- **Certificate of Origin:** State Government **SEMA** (Secretariat of the Environment) verification of wood species.
- **Guia Forestal:** Chain of Custody from mill to port.
- **Phytosanitary Certificate:** Containers have been inspected to be insect-free.
- **Lacey Act Back-up:** Compliance to U.S. Law that verifies the wood species and that the wood has been legally imported.

**Sabra** was a charter member of the **TFF** (Tropical Forest Foundation), and supports **TFF's** Standard for **RIL** (Reduced Impact Logging). As well, **Sabra** supports the principles of the **FSC** (Forest Stewardship Council). **Sabra** is a member of the **IWPA** (International Wood Products Association) and likewise supports the environmental stewardship advocacies of the **IWPA**.

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