

Play it safe

Public procurement with Fair Stone

1 Tender

Ask for an independent seal during the tender phase and do not accept self-declarations.



2 Offer

Verify the Fair Stone certificate and the ordered material on the Fair Stone Partner list.



List of suppliers:
www.fairstone.org
Partner A: G603
Partner B: G341
Partner C: Basalt
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3 Construction

Monitor the delivery status by Tracing Fair Stone and scan the barcode.

DESCRIPTION	QTY	UNIT	PRICE
GRANITEN	100	m³	12000
GRANITEN	200	m³	12000
GRANITEN	300	m³	12000
GRANITEN	400	m³	12000
GRANITEN	500	m³	12000
GRANITEN	600	m³	12000
GRANITEN	700	m³	12000
GRANITEN	800	m³	12000
GRANITEN	900	m³	12000
GRANITEN	1000	m³	12000



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How to be sure

- Ask for an independent seal during the tender phase. Do not accept self-declarations.
- In the offer phase the trader must submit a valid Fair Stone certificate that shows the ordered stone material. Current traders are listed on the website as Fair Stone Partners.
- Delivered products are labeled with Fair Stone and its QR-Code. The products can be monitored by the system Tracing Fair Stone (www.tracingfairstone.com). Only registered products can be labeled by Fair Stone and comply with the Fair Stone criteria.

Sustainable procurement

Contact the building authority, the responsible architects and planners – or ask us for more information. In order to purchase sustainable stones, all people involved in the call for proposals have to be informed about Fair Stone.

We will issue a Fair Stone certificate for your construction project. The certificate will confirm your commitment to improving the working conditions in emerging economies.

**Sustainable
Public Procurement
of Natural Stones
with
WiN = WiN
fair stone**

Build your city on Fair Stone



Natural stone processing

Natural stone processing is dusty, wet and dangerous.

Lack of awareness of occupational health and safety (OHS) often causes work-related diseases such as lung diseases and loss of hearing. Accidents, lack of insurance and employment contracts are the main problems in the natural stone sector.

Additionally, in some countries, child labour and forced labour still occur.

Public procurement

Municipalities are the biggest purchasers of natural stone – e.g. for their market places and sidewalks.

Many cities and municipalities already buy natural stones in an sustainable way. The public sector should require in all tenders compliance with all ILO core conventions.

Self-declarations should not be accepted as they do not imply an independent control.

Fair Stone

Fair Stone is the international social and environmental standard for natural stone imports from developing countries and emerging markets.

Natural stone importers – the Fair Stone Partners – implement internationally accepted criteria within their supply chain and therefore actively improve the working conditions in stone processing factories and quarries.

Fair Stone requirements

Fair Stone Suppliers will be certified by an external independent organization (e.g. TÜV Rheinland AG / QS Zürich AG) within three years after the implementation of all Fair Stone criteria.

Following minimum criteria must be met in order to use the Fair Stone label:

- No child or forced labor
- Occupational health and safety (OHS)
- Regular training for employees
- Product traceability (Tracing Fair Stone)
- Clear material flow

