



Modern Slavery and Human Trafficking Statement and Policy
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Introduction

Slavery and human trafficking is rightly being given a much higher priority as a global problem facing millions of people and the way that they are forced to live. The UK government has legislated to encourage businesses to play their part more overtly and this statement is Wigan STEAM CIC's contribution to this call for action.

Our Organisation Structure

Our business is classed as a micro-enterprise company but when delivering services on behalf of a larger organisation we carry the responsibility for the delivery of the client organisations outcomes.

Our Supply Chains

As a micro-enterprise, our supply chain is very simple, with tech peripherals, art material suppliers and professional service businesses based in the UK being our main expenditure. We do not expect to confront difficulties with such suppliers but have asked for guidance regarding their policies and statements where not found on line.

Policies on Slavery & Human Trafficking

We are committed to ensuring that there is no modern slavery or human trafficking in our value-added chain. Our company is committed to acting ethically and with integrity in all our business relationships and to implementing and enforcing effective systems and controls to ensure slavery and human trafficking is not taking place anywhere in our supply chains.

Due Diligence Processes for Slavery & Human Trafficking

Where possible we build long standing relationships with our key suppliers and make clear our culture and expectations of business behaviour;

Value Added Chain Adherence to Our Values

We expect all those in our value added chain to comply with our values. This includes a zero tolerance to slavery and human trafficking. As a micro-enterprise, the executive director has responsibility for ensuring our approach and the law are adhered to.

Training

To ensure a high level of understanding of the risks of modern slavery and human trafficking in our business, the directors keep themselves briefed on changes in the legislation and variations in approach in countries where assignments are based.

This is the slavery and human trafficking statement for Wigan STEAM CIC and is made pursuant to section 54(1) of the Modern Slavery Act 2015. Lone Working: Policy, Procedures and Practice Guidance

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