



MODERN SLAVERY ACT 2015 STATEMENT

INTRODUCTION FROM THE CEO

Slavery and human trafficking remain a hidden blight on our global society. We all have a responsibility to be alert to the risks, however small, in our business and in our wider supply chain. MEF is committed to ensuring slavery and human trafficking is not taking place anywhere within our business or our supply chain.

This statement is made on behalf of MEF, the trading name for the Mobile Ecosystem Forum Ltd.

OUR ORGANISATION

MEF is a not-for-profit trade association, headquartered in the UK. We are an SME with less than 15 staff and a number of advisors, most of whom are based in the United Kingdom. Our staff are largely directly employed and are generally not in any category which is seen to be vulnerable to modern slavery in this country, so our main focus is to ensure there are policies and due diligence procedures in place for our suppliers.

OUR SUPPLY CHAINS

MEF is committed to continuously improving its practices to identify and eliminate any slavery and human trafficking in its business and supply chains, and to acting ethically and with integrity in all its business relationships. We use a wide range of professional and technology suppliers who provide services at events and support our operations and services.

OUR POLICIES ON SLAVERY AND HUMAN TRAFFICKING

We are committed to ensuring that there is no modern slavery or human trafficking in our supply chains or in any part of our business. Our [Supplier Conduct Policy](#) reflects our commitment 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 AND HUMAN TRAFFICKING

As part of our initiative to identify and mitigate risk we have systems in place to:

- identify and assess potential risk areas in our supply chains.
- mitigate the risk of slavery and human trafficking occurring in our supply chains.
- monitor potential risk areas in our supply chains.
- protect whistle blowers.

SUPPLIER ADHERENCE TO OUR VALUES

We have zero tolerance to slavery and human trafficking. We expect contractors and all those in our supply chain to comply with our Supplier Conduct Policy.

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TRAINING

To ensure a high level of understanding of the risks of modern slavery and human trafficking in our supply chains and our business, we will communicate our Anti-Slavery and Human Trafficking Policy and provide annual training to all members of staff. This statement is made pursuant to section 54(1) of the Modern Slavery Act 2015 and constitutes our Group's slavery and human trafficking statement for the current financial year.

This statement has been approved by

Dario Betti
CEO
MEF
Financial Year Ending 30th June 2022