

# **Modern Slavery and Ethical Sourcing Statement**

Modern slavery is a crime resulting in an abuse of human rights. It is constituted in the Modern Slavery Act 2015 ("Act") by the offences of 'slavery, servitude and forced or compulsory labour', and 'human trafficking' to include the fact slavery and human trafficking are abuses of a person's freedom and rights.

Allegis Group Limited is totally opposed to such abuses in all our operations whether direct, indirect and in our supply chain as a whole. We are committed to improving our practices to combat slavery and human trafficking and to ensure that slavery and human trafficking does not take place in any part of our business or supply chains. Furthermore it is our policy to conduct all of our business in an honest and ethical manner.

#### Our Business

Allegis Group Limited is a provider of both permanent and contract based resources, offering specialised and client focussed staffing solutions to a wide range of household names and smaller businesses.

The Company is focused on a range of brands including Aerotek, Aston Carter and TEKsystems which enable us to offer a broad selection of staffing and services solutions across different industries.

Allegis Group Limited undertakes checks in relation to all candidates and contractors who we introduce to clients to ensure that we clearly establish their identity. For individuals this includes checking documentation such as their passport and right to work documentation. For limited companies this includes checking documentation in respect of their incorporation, insurance and VAT status.

#### **Our Supply Chains**

Our supply chains include the sourcing of candidates for onward supply to our clients. Any other agencies that introduce candidates and contractors for onward supply to our clients are either known to us via existing long-term relationships or are on our preferred supplier list. Other supply chains also include:

- Facilities Management Companies
- · Communications and IT Service Companies
- Office Equipment and Supplies
- Utility Service Companies

### **Relevant Policies**

Our relevant policies include:

- Anti-Modern Slavery and Human Trafficking Policy
- Staff Code of Conduct
- Whistleblowing Procedure

Our policies and Code of Conduct set out the behaviours we expect from employees in their dealings with colleagues, customers, suppliers, agents etc. All employees are expected to act with integrity in accordance with the standards of behaviour set out in the Code of Conduct. We provide guidance and training to support employee understanding of expected behaviour, particularly in respect of their business decisions. We also proactively encourage employees to raise concerns.

# Due Diligence for Slavery and Human Trafficking

We consider the greatest risk of slavery and human trafficking may be in our supply chain where operations and management oversight are out of our control. We are in the process of reviewing our procurement process, and future procurement activities will incorporate a requirement for suppliers to confirm compliance with the Modern Slavery Act.

We have zero tolerance to slavery and human trafficking and expect all those in our supply chain, and our candidates and contractors, to comply with our values. Wherever possible we build long standing relationships with suppliers and make clear our expectations of business behaviour.



# Monitoring and Compliance

We are implementing steps to measure how effective we have been and are becoming in order to ensure that slavery and human trafficking is not taking place in any part of our business or supply chains. These include:

· Training of employees

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- Monitoring of complaints
- A level of communication and personal contact with the next link in the Supply Chain, and their understanding of, and compliance with, our expectations.

This statement is made pursuant to Section 54 (1) of the Modern Slavery Act 2015 and constitutes the slavery and human trafficking statement for the financial year 2016.

Andrew Williams,

Chief Financial Officer Allegis Group Limited

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