Modern slavery and human trafficking policy (UK)

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1 Scope

1.1 Introduction

This document addresses responsibilities, policy statements, processes, training and communications, reporting, nonconformities, and board support for countering modern slavery and trafficking, under reference to UK acts.

1.2 Who this policy applies to

This policy is designed for Fred. Olsen Renewables Limited (FORL) with its subsidiary companies as listed in Appendix 1.

It is expected that all persons working for or on behalf of FORL and its subsidiary companies in any capacity, including employees at all levels, directors, seconded workers, volunteers, interns, agents, contractors, subcontractors, external consultants, etc., and third party representatives and business partners conform to this policy

1.3 Definitions

Modern slavery is the term used within the UK and is defined within the 'Modern Slavery Act 2015'. The term is used to encompass slavery, servitude, forced and compulsory labour, bonded and child labour and human trafficking.

Human trafficking is where a person arranges or facilitates the travel of another person with a view to that person being exploited.

1.4 About Fred. Olsen Renewables Limited

Reference is made to <u>Fred. Olsen Renewables (fredolsenrenewables.com)</u> for further description of current development activities and list of renewable energy assets in operations.

2 References

Applicable checklists and forms:

N/A

Internal reference documents:

- GOV-01 HSEQ Policy
- GOV-03 Code of Conduct Policy
- GOV-24 Whistleblowing Procedure

External reference documents:

- Modern Slavery Act 2015 (legislation.gov.uk) for England and Wales
- Human Trafficking and Exploitation (Scotland) Act 2015 (legislation.gov.uk) for Scotland
- Whistleblowing and Public Interest Disclosure Act 1998

3 Governance

- FORL's Board of Directors is responsible for ensuring a proper organization of the business of
 the company and hereunder that an appropriate policy on countering any kind of modern
 slavery and human trafficking is undertaken in line with FORL's legal and ethical obligations,
 and that all those is under adequate control by the company
- FORL Line Managers have the primary and day-to-day responsibility for implementing such policy, monitoring its use and effectiveness, dealing with any queries about it, and auditing internal control systems and procedures to ensure they are effective in countering modern slavery. They are responsible for ensuring those reporting to them understand and are committed to comply with this policy and are given adequate and regular training on it and the issue of countering potential modern slavery in supply chains
- All FORL personnel are expected to comply with this policy and report any duly suspected misconduct related to modern slavery and human trafficking. Expectations from such individuals:
 - o You shall ensure that you read, understand, and comply with this policy
 - You are acquired to avoid any activity that might lead to, or suggest, a breach of this policy
 - You are encouraged to raise concerns about any issue or suspicion of modern slavery in any part of FORL's business or supply chains as soon as possible. If you are unsure about whether a particular act, the treatment of workers or their working conditions with any of FORL's supply chains constitutes any of the various forms of modern slavery, you can raise it with your line manager or HR Manager or a Director
 - You can also contact the government's Modern Slavery Helpline on 0800 0121
 700 for further information and guidance on modern slavery
 - The prevention, detection and reporting of modern slavery and human trafficking in any part of FORL or supply chains is related to as the responsibility of all those working for it or under its control

4 Policy statements

4.1 Fred. Olsen Renewables' Code of Conduct Policy

The Fred. Olsen Renewables Code of Conduct Policy is in effect for FORL with its subsidiary companies. Reference is made to <u>Sustainability (fredolsenrenewables.com)</u> for signed copy of the Code of Conduct Policy.

4.2 UK specific modern slavery and human trafficking policy

In compliance with the 'Modern Slavery Act (2015)' and 'Human Trafficking and Exploitation (Scotland) Act 2015', the following UK specific additions to the 'Code of Conduct' apply:

- FORL is committed to combatting slavery and human trafficking in all its forms within its own business and supply chains
- FORL adopts a zero-tolerance approach to any such criminal offence
- FORL publishes a modern slavery statement every year in accordance with section 54 (6) of the Modern Slavery Act 2015
- This policy does not form part of any employee's contract of employment and may be amended at any time

This policy sets out the awareness of FORL, and FORL's expectations from those
working for and on its behalf, in observing and adhering to FORL's policy on modern
slavery and human trafficking and to provide information to those working for and on
behalf of FORL on how to identify and report suspected misconduct in this regard

5 Processes to oppose trafficking and slavery

FORL is focusing on providing applicable staff with a salary, which at least meets the National Living Wage and offering the required statutory leave entitlement.

Furthermore, we will place emphasis on that all our staff provide their National Insurance Number, or Working Visa if they are not British nationals, prior to their employment and perform the necessary checks to determine their eligibility to work in the UK. By checking our employees' National Insurance Numbers or Working Visas, we will consider whether they are legally eligible to work in the UK, and that their salary can be monitored by His Majesty's Revenue & Customs (HMRC).

FORL's supply chain is predominantly UK and EU based therefore we expect these suppliers to have applicable anti-slavery and human trafficking policies and procedures.

FORL will not forge commercial relationships with any business knowingly involved with slavery or human trafficking.

6 Training and communication

As part of our policy, all staff members will undertake training on combating modern slavery and human trafficking via an eLearning platform. All new staff members are required to complete this module as part of the induction process.

Our zero-tolerance approach to modern slavery in our business and supply chains shall be communicated to all suppliers, contractors, and business partners at the outset of our business relationship with them and reinforced as appropriate on an ongoing basis.

7 Reporting suspected misconduct

7.1 How to report

FORL aims to encourage openness and will duly support anyone who raises genuine concerns in good faith under this policy, even if they turn out to be mistaken.

A report of a suspected misconduct should cover the following:

- WHO: If relevant, name of persons or organisation that is involved in the case
- WHAT: Description of the suspected misconduct, as detailed as possible, and preferably with reference to which law, regulation, rule, or ethical standard that is considered breached
- WHERE: Location of the suspected misconduct
- WHEN: Date or time period of the suspected misconduct

FORL personnel should report duly suspected misconduct by following the steps in 'GOV-24 Whistleblowing Procedure', paragraph 4.4.1

External personnel can also report duly suspected misconduct using these alternatives:

- Whistleblowing channel available on Fred. Olsen Renewables website
- Orally in electronic form or in physical meeting with company representative
- Email to whistleblower@fredolsen.com
- Deliver or send letter to the following postal address:

Fred. Olsen Renewables Ltd.

c/o

Fred. Olsen & Co. AS

Att: Sustainability and Compliance Manager

P.O. Box 1159 Sentrum

0107 Oslo

Norway

Via lawyer

7.2 Protection

FORL will place emphasis on ensuring that no whistleblower suffers detrimental treatment or victimisation because of duly and in good faith reporting suspicion that modern slavery is or may be taking place in any part of its business or in any supply chains of FORL. Detrimental treatment includes dismissal, disciplinary action, threats, or similar unfavourable treatment connected with raising a concern.

8 Nonconformities

Any FORL employee placed in breach of this Modern slavery and human trafficking policy may face disciplinary action.

FORL may terminate its commercial relationship with suppliers, contractors, and other business partners if they are found to have been involved in modern slavery.

9 Board support

This policy is approved by the FORL Board of Directors, who will review it annually.

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Sofie Olsen Jebsen Chairman of the Board Fred. Olsen Renewables Limited

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Appendix 1 List of Fred. Olsen Renewables Limited subsidiary companies

- Fred. Olsen Renewables Licences Limited
- Fred. Olsen CB Limited
- Fred. Olsen CBH Limited
- Fred. Olsen CBX Limited
- Fred. Olsen Wind 2 Limited
- Fred. Olsen Wind Holdings Limited
- Fred. Olsen Wind Limited
- Bennan Limited
- Brockloch Rig 1 Limited
- Brockloch Rig Storage Limited
- Brockloch Rig Windfarm Ltd
- Crystal Rig Windfarm Limited
- Crystal Rig II Limited
- Crystal Rig III Limited
- Crystal Rig IV Limited
- Elchies Wind Limited
- Fetteresso Wind Limited
- Mid Hill Wind Limited
- Paul's Hill II Limited
- Paul's Hill Wind Limited
- Rothes Wind Limited
- Rothes II Limited
- Rothes III Limited
- Windy Standard Limited
- Windy Standard III Limited
- Fred.Olsen Renewables Holdco Limited
- Hvitsten II JV limited