

# **ANTI-SLAVERY POLICY STATEMENT**

### INTRODUCTION

Modern slavery is a crime and a gross violation of fundamental human rights. It takes various forms, such as slavery, servitude, forced marriage, forced and/or compulsory labour and human trafficking, all of which have in common the deprivation of a person's liberty by another in order to exploit them for personal or commercial gain.

Veezu Holdings Ltd. and its group of companies has a zero-tolerance approach to modern slavery, and we are committed to implementing and enforcing effective systems and controls to ensure modern slavery is not taking place anywhere in our own business or in any of our supply chains.

### **ORGANISATION**

We are a hyper-local journey provider in the private hire sector. We are the parent company of the Veezu Group. The Group has over 400 employees, with over 5500 registered driver partners, operating in 25 locations across the UK.

#### **POLICY**

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 Anti-slavery Policy reflects our commitment to acting ethically and with integrity in all of 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.

We maintain a close relationship with our hubs and colleagues. Veezu HR manages employment practices across the Group to ensure that every colleague is treated ethically and in accordance with the law.

## **DUE DILIGENCE**

As part of our initiative to identify and mitigate risk we have policies and procedures in place to ensure that those in our supply chain and those who work for us implement our policy in line with the Group's business practices.

We are committed to a rolling program of colleague awareness training on the key points so they can recognise the signs and know how to raise concerns within the Group and to the key agencies.

### **SUPPLIERS**

We have zero tolerance approach to slavery and human trafficking. To ensure all those in our supply chain and contractors comply with our values we are in the process of developing a supply chain compliance programme. This will consist of identifying risk factors in regions or industries in which we operate and ensuring that we vet suppliers proportionately to the risk.

We have a dedicated compliance team, which consists of representatives from the following departments:

- Legal
- Audit and compliance
- Human Resources
- Operations

This statement is made pursuant to section 54(10 of the Modern Slavery Act 2015 and constitutes our Group's slavery and human trafficking statement for the financial year ending 31st July 2022.

Nathan Bowles

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