

# **Modern Slavery Statement**

This is a Modern Slavery Statement for Zenviron Pty Ltd ACN 612 344 313 (**Zenviron**) for the reporting period 1 July 2019 - 30 June 2020 (Australian Financial Year).

Zenviron has prepared this Modern Slavery Statement in accordance with section 13 and 16 of the Commonwealth Modern Slavery Act 2018.

### **About Our Business**

#### Structure

Zenviron is an Australian Wind and Solar Farm engineering, procurement and construction company with approximately 70 employees. Zenviron is structured as a incorporated Company in Australia and has its headquarters in Newcastle, NSW.

## **Operations**

Zenviron's main operations include its Australian construction sites, including the workers it directly employs, workers seconded from our Shareholder Organisations Monadelphous Group Limited and ZEM Energy Pty Ltd, and the specialist workers it subcontracts. Zenviron also provides ancillary planning, engineering and design services for the Renewable Energy sector.

### Supply Chains

Zenviron's primary supply chains include the manufacture and transportation of the products it uses in its construction provided by suppliers; such as transformers, electrical cables, road aggregate, and concrete products. In this context, Zenviron's supply chains include the manufacturing facilities where products are made (both within Australia and internationally), the importation and transportation services of those products, and the subsequent sale and distribution of the products to Zenviron.

Zenviron's supply chains also include services provided by suppliers (e.g. cleaning, security, specialist consultants), as well as products and services used by indirect suppliers (such as the mining and refining of minerals and metals used in electrical components purchased by the manufacturers of those items).

### **Our Policies**

Zenviron has a zero tolerance to inaction to any form of modern slavery and human trafficking.

Zenviron strictly prohibits human trafficking in all its operations and in those of all subcontractors, suppliers and agents in our global supply chain. Workers are not subject to any form of forced, compulsory, bonded, or indentured labour. All work is voluntary and workers have the freedom to terminate their employment at any time without penalty, upon giving reasonable notice.

The workplace is free of any form of harsh or inhumane treatment. Disciplinary procedures do not include sanctions that result in wage deductions, reductions in benefits, or compulsory labour.



All workers, irrespective of their nationality or legal status, are treated fairly and equally.

When subcontracting of recruitment and hiring is necessary, Zenviron ensures that the labour agencies it engages operate legally, are certified or licensed by relevant authorities, do not charge recruitment fees to recruited workers, and do not engage in fraudulent recruitment practices that place workers at risk for human trafficking and sexual exploitation.

Workers are made aware of their rights and responsibilities at the time of hire, including the terms and conditions of their employment contract.

# Operations and Supply Chains with a Risk of Modern Slavery

While Zenviron does not directly cause or contribute to Modern Slavery, Zenviron recognises there are parts of its supply chain which may be directly linked to modern slavery through goods and services procured.

### Geographic risks:

Zenviron procures goods manufactured in countries reported to have a medium to high prevalence of modern slavery or labour rights violations, other human rights violations and/or child labour by international organisations and NGOs.

### Sector and industry risks:

Zenviron procures goods and services from certain sectors and industries that are known to have modern slavery risks because of their characteristics, products, processes and business models. This includes the property and construction sectors, transportation and warehousing, electronics and electrical products manufacturing, and garment manufacturing.

# **Actions Taken During the Reporting Period**

During the reporting period Zenviron continued its commitment to ethical business practices and commenced work on a Modern Slavery framework.

### Actions taken included:

- Commencement of a recurring Senior Manager forum to oversee Anti-Modern Slavery efforts.
- Adoption of modern slavery risks into existing company Risk Management Processes, which identify, assess, mitigate and record risk in accordance with AS/NZS ISO 31000 Risk Management.
- Review and analysis of operations, supply chain and spend, identifying where exposure to modern slavery may exist.
- Incorporation of modern slavery considerations in procurement activities, through a supplier questionnaire.
- Review and update of Business Management System forms and procedures e.g. Request for Quotation and Procurement Procedures.
- Training and education program integrated into Zenviron's operations, with support from the Supply Chain Sustainability School's tools and resources. To date, 147 employees have undertaken Modern Slavery awareness training.



Zenviron acknowledges a continuous improvement approach will be required to ensure ongoing effectiveness. Zenviron seeks continual improvement through the identification and implementation of improvement opportunities and by ensuring that any non-compliances are addressed. Zenviron's processes and procedures include a range of audits and inspections which seek to ensure that all statutory and internal compliance requirements are met.

### Plan for Remediation

Remediation processes will be further considered in the next reporting period when Zenviron has confirmed whether it has caused or contributed to modern slavery in its business operations or supply chains. In the meantime, our Code of Conduct provides our employees with a mechanism to address grievances or potential breaches in a confidential manner, and acts as an early warning system for Modern Slavery risks.

This Modern Slavery Statement has been approved by Zenviron Board of Directors.

Nicholas Perrott - Director

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