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# Supplier Code of Conduct

We expect you as our supplier to support, embrace and enact the following ESG standards, which are based on the ten principles of the United Nations Global Compact initiative, the United Nations Guiding Principles on Business and Human Rights, the International Labor Organization, Declaration on Fundamental Principles and Rights at Work:

### Environment

- You comply with all applicable environmental, health and safety regulations.
- You promote the safe and environmentally sound development, manufacturing, transport, use and disposal of your products.
- You ensure by using appropriate management systems that product quality and safety meet the applicable requirements.
- You protect your employees' and neighbors' life and health, as well as the general public at large against hazards inherent in your processes and products.
- You use resources efficiently, apply energy-efficient and environmentally friendly technologies and reduce waste, as well as emissions to air, water, and soil.
- You minimize your negative impact on biodiversity, climate change and water scarcity.

### Social

- You support the protection of internationally proclaimed human rights, fight forced labor (including modern slavery and human trafficking) and child labor.
- You uphold the freedom of association and the right to collective bargaining in accordance with applicable laws.
- You treat your employees with respect and provide a workplace free of harassment or abuse of any kind, harsh and inhumane treatment, unlawful practices, or discrimination. You enable your employees and other stakeholders to report concerns or potentially unlawful practices at the workplace.
- You comply with minimum wages and maximum working hours in accordance with local laws and ensure compensation of a living wage according to local living conditions. You ensure acceptable living conditions for your employees whenever you provide board and/or lodging.

#### Governance

- You abide by all applicable national and international trade laws and regulations including but not limited to antitrust, trade controls, and sanction regimes.
- You consider business integrity as the basis of business relationships. You prohibit all types of bribery, corruption, and money laundering.
- You forbid gifts to private or public officials that aim to influence business decisions or otherwise encourage them to act contrary to their obligations.



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- You respect the privacy and confidential information of all your employees and business partners as well as protect data and intellectual property from misuse.
- You implement an appropriate Compliance Management System, which facilitates compliance with applicable laws, regulations, and standards.
- You put forward appropriate disciplinary practices in case of rule violations and do not impose unreasonable or capital measures.

Ensuring the principles of sustainable development in our supply chain is important to us. You may acknowledge the principles stated above or demonstrate your commitment via compliance with your own code of conduct or company policies that embrace these standards. Master Builders Solutions reserves the right to conduct audits or assessments to ensure your compliance and will take appropriate steps regarding our relationship with you if there is a reason for concern. Master Builders Solutions reserves the right to discontinue any relationship for non-adherence to international principles, failure to correct violations, or displaying patterns of non-compliance with these standards.

If you observe anything which is clearly not in line with our commitment, our business practices, applicable laws, or our Code of Conduct, please do not keep it to yourself. Instead, we encourage you to speak up.

For this, we have put in place the SpeakUp Line for Business Partners (<u>https://masterbuilderssolutions.speakup.report/en-GB/masterbuilders/home</u>) – a communication tool through which you can (anonymously) report concerns you have or misconducts you have witnessed.

#### YOU are part of our supply chain —We count on your commitment!

For further details and information, please visit: <u>master-builders-solutions.com/ethics-and-compliance</u>.