

**G. & M.J. Crouch & Son Ltd T/A Crouch Recovery
Modern Slavery and Human Trafficking Statement
2nd May 2023**

Introduction

This Modern Slavery and Human Trafficking Statement relates to actions and activities during the financial year 1st April 2022 to 31st March 2023.

The statement sets down G. & M.J. Crouch & Son Limited's commitment to preventing slavery and human trafficking in our business activities and the steps we have put in place with the aim of ensuring that there is no slavery or human trafficking in our own business and supply chains. We all have a duty to be alert to risks, however small. Staff are expected to report their concerns and management to act upon them.

Organisational structure and supply chains

This statement covers the business activities of G. & M.J. Crouch & Son Limited which are as follows:

Breakdown Recovery and Roadside Assistance.

The Company currently operates in the following countries:

UK - Breakdown Recovery and Roadside Assistance.

EU - Breakdown Recovery and Roadside Assistance – primarily repatriation of vehicles to the UK from the EU and vice-versa.

The following is the process by which the Company assesses whether particular activities or countries are high risk in relation to modern slavery or human trafficking: Identifying potential vulnerabilities in a company's supply chain, conducting due diligence on suppliers and contractors, and implementing measures to monitor and mitigate risks.

High Risk Activities

The following activities are considered to be at high risk of modern slavery or human trafficking:

Border Crossings into and out of the EU.

Responsibility for the Company's anti-slavery initiatives is as follows:

- 1.1 Policies: Head of Legal is responsible for creating and reviewing policies. The process by which policies are developed is by means of regularly researching best practice and regularly reviewing the needs of the Company.

- 1.2 Risk assessments: Incident & Training Manager is responsible for risk assessments in respect of human rights and modern by a process of identifying potential vulnerabilities in a company's supply chain, conducting due diligence on suppliers and contractors, and implementing measures to monitor and mitigate risks..
- 1.3 Due diligence: The Board of Directors are responsible for due diligence in relation to known or suspected instances of modern slavery and human trafficking.

Training

To ensure a good understanding of the risks of modern slavery and human trafficking in our business and supply chains, the Company requires all relevant staff to undertake regular online training.

Policies

The Company is committed to ensuring that there is no modern slavery or human trafficking in our business or our supply chains. This Statement affirms its intention to act ethically in our business relationships.

The following policies set down our approach to the identification of modern slavery risks and steps to be taken to prevent slavery and human trafficking in our operations:

- 2.1 **Whistleblowing policy** - the Company encourages all its workers, customers and other business partners to report any concerns related to its direct activities or its supply chains.
- 2.2 **Company Code of Conduct** - The Code of Conduct sets down the actions and behaviour expected of employees when representing the Company.
- 2.3 **Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) Policy** - The Company's CSR policy summarises how we manage our environmental impacts and how we work responsibly with suppliers and local communities.

Due Diligence Processes for Slavery and Human Trafficking

The Company undertakes due diligence when considering taking on new suppliers, and regularly reviews its existing suppliers. The Company's due diligence process includes building long-standing relationships with suppliers and making clear our expectations of business partners; evaluating the modern slavery and human trafficking risks of each new supplier; and invoking sanctions against suppliers that fail to improve their performance in line with an action plan provided by us, including the termination of the business relationship.

Performance indicators

The Company uses the following key performance indicators (KPIs) to measure how effective we are in ensuring slavery and human trafficking is not

taking place in any part of our business or supply chains including requiring all relevant staff to have completed training on modern slavery.

This Modern Slavery and Human Trafficking Statement will be regularly reviewed and updated as necessary. The Board of Directors endorses this policy statement and is fully committed to its implementation.

This Modern Slavery and Human Trafficking Statement has been approved and authorised by the Board of Directors and have approved Adam Crouch, Managing Director, to confirm the same:

Name: Adam Crouch

Position: Managing Director

Date: 2nd May 2023

Signed: *Adam Crouch*