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This combined statement complies with both the California Transparency in Supply Chains Act of 2010 and the United Kingdom Modern Slavery Act of 2015 which require large retailers and manufacturers to disclose their efforts to eradicate slavery and human trafficking from their supply chain. Similarly, the revised Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) 52.222-50 ("Combatting Trafficking in Person") is aimed at removing slavery and human trafficking from the US Federal Government contracting supply chain. In response this statement reflects Xerox's efforts to combat the conduct that precipitates such crimes in our supply chain. This statement provides both current and potential customers the ability to make well-informed choices about the products and services they purchase.

Xerox business and supply chain

Xerox is a global provider of digital print technology and related solutions, operating in over 160 countries. We have a broad and diverse base of customers by both geography and industry ranging from small and medium sized businesses to graphic communications companies, governmental entities, education institutions and large enterprises. Our business spans three main offerings: Managed Document Services, help customers optimize their printing and related workflow and business processes, whilst Workplace Solutions and Graphic Communications products and solutions support the work processes of our customers by providing them with efficient, cost-effective printing and communications infrastructure.

Xerox's supply chain operations are extensive and global, including sourcing technology for the production of Xerox printing products from production suppliers as well as products for resale or internal use from other product suppliers. Services are also procured from suppliers to support Xerox's customer services and internal business operations. The business operations of any company have the potential to affect the human rights of its stakeholders. Xerox is committed to identifying those impacts and mitigating or minimizing the risk. Examples of such impacts include discrimination, violence, loss of the right freedom of expression and collective bargaining in workplaces; child/forced labor and human trafficking in the supply chain.

In 2023, the Human Rights Working Group was created and is led by Global Procurement/Supply Chain and includes senior representatives from Human Resources and the Office of General Counsel. The Working Group is responsible for helping to 1) minimize discrimination, violence, loss of the right freedom of expression and collective bargaining in workplaces; child/forced labor and human trafficking in the supply chain; 2) promote internal awareness and understanding of the company's commitment to human rights; and 3) respond to customer requests for information related to the Human Rights Compliance program. The Human Rights Working Group considers the effectiveness of the program, the nature of the risk environment, and evolving best practices. As appropriate, the Human Rights Working Group recommends changes to this program.

Xerox is committed to freely chosen employment, which is embedded in our Code of Business Conduct, in our position on labor relations and in our employment practices. Xerox principles are guided by the United Nations Universal Declaration of Human Rights which prohibits slavery, servitude, and the slave trade.

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Supplier Relations and Controls

To strengthen our approach to supplier-facing sustainability and human rights actions, Xerox started working with the Electronic Industry Citizenship Coalition (now known as the Responsible Business Alliance or RBA) in 2006 and became a member in 2008. We are actively involved in advancing industry-wide responsible practices through our engagement in the RBA, we are dedicated to respecting the rights and promoting wellbeing of workers and communities engaged in the global electronics supply chain. Xerox is committed to continuously improving the social, environmental, and ethical responsibility of its supply chain. Xerox has adopted the RBA's Code of Conduct on corporate social responsibility as its code of conduct for suppliers ("Supplier Code of Conduct") and reinforces it annually in a letter to its suppliers. The Supplier Code of Conduct includes labor standards based on recognized principles of international labor and human rights. Freely chosen labor is a primary standard in the Supplier Code of Conduct, prohibiting forced, bonded, or indentured labor.

Xerox also participates in RBA's <u>Responsible Labor Initiative</u>, a multi-stakeholder initiative focused on ensuring the rights of workers vulnerable to forced labor in global supply chains are consistently respected and promoted. Xerox also participates in the <u>Responsible Minerals Initiative (RMI)</u> and leverages its tools and programs to advance responsible sourcing.

The following highlight our efforts to eradicate slavery and human trafficking from our supply chain:

Verification

Xerox takes several steps to verify, evaluate and address risks of slavery and human trafficking in our supply chain.

- Xerox first sets clear expectations for all of our suppliers who provide direct materials and engineering services as outlined in the Xerox Supplier Code of Conduct. For example, our supplier on-boarding documentation and contracts contain language in which suppliers must affirm their commitment to comply with all provisions of the Code.
- Xerox spends approximately \$4.0 billion per year to support our operations, we
 recognize an obligation to actively manage our global supplier base and ensure these
 critical partners meet our high social, environmental, and ethical standards. To do so,
 Xerox in the last year has evaluated numerous audits submitted via the RBA Online
 portal to ensure the adherence of the expected code of conduct. To drive continuous
 improvement with suppliers, Xerox has begun the process of engaging a third-party
 vendor to assist with creating coaching plans for long term success.
- Xerox conducts initial risk assessments of its suppliers based on location, foreign worker population and other business and supply assurance and risk-based criteria.
- For suppliers identified in the initial risk assessment as high-risk, the supplier is either required to complete a Self-Assessment Questionnaire (SAQ) annually, or is audited by a Xerox internal, or contracted third-party auditor every 2 years, which requires the supplier to measure their compliance with the RBA's Code of Conduct. The

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supplier's responses to the SAQ allow Xerox to identify where possible risks in the supply chain exist. If major risks are identified in the SAQ, an announced audit of that supplier is conducted (as more fully described below). The SAQ step also serves to raise suppliers' awareness about the importance of social responsibility topics, clarify Xerox's expectations, target areas for review, and document suppliers' assessment of their performance.

- To remain abreast to the current initiatives and occurrences members of Xerox actively attend teleconferences, webinars, and other meetings to monitor risks associated with labor recruitment practices.
- In addition to the initial risk assessment and SAQ, Xerox procurement professionals and quality assurance engineers routinely conduct on-site visits of suppliers as part of our ongoing supplier verification.

Audit

- As indicated above, if major risks are identified in a SAQ, an announced audit of that supplier is conducted by Xerox, or a contracted third-party auditor. Xerox may also initiate an audit of any supplier identified in the initial risk assessment as high-risk, regardless of their results on the SAQ.
- Xerox's suppliers cover many geographic locations for both our direct and indirect services and products, for those countries and areas with higher inherent risks related to modern slavery, actually pinpointing the lower-level suppliers can prove to be difficult when identifying and managing such risks, However, we actively continue to work with our direct suppliers to flow down our required standards to address risks for modern slavery or human trafficking.
- During the audit process, areas of nonconformance are evaluated as risk, priority, major, or minor and are addressed through a corrective action process.
- All audits are on-site visits by trained Xerox employees, or a contracted third-party, and follow a consistent process. The RBA audit format is used to evaluate key critical sustainability areas, including but not limited to, labor practices, freedom of association, child labor, forced labor, human rights, recruitment fees, passport seizure and environmental concerns.
- Since 2010, Xerox has conducted over 398 SAQs and has audited over one hundred suppliers with more than 60% of them showing improvement on closure of corrective actions assigned during initial audits in the categories of labor, health & safety, environmental, ethics and management systems elements of their operations. In 2022, twenty-three of Xerox's major suppliers completed SAQ's. Twenty-two suppliers were identified as low risk and one was identified as medium risk. There were no high-risk suppliers identified.
- Xerox has implemented a robust due diligence process to ensure effective compliance to ensure that the company sources minerals responsibly and to helps address the human rights risks in our complex mineral supply chain. The Xerox Conflict Mineral team aligns to the OECD Due Diligence Guidance for Responsible Supply Chains of Minerals from Conflict-Affected and High-Risk Areas as well as the Responsible Labor Initiative (RLI). Details about this program including due diligence

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strategy, efforts to hold suppliers accountable, and results of our work can be found in our 2022 calendar year <u>Conflict Minerals Report</u>.

Certification

- Xerox requires all direct suppliers and critical indirect suppliers to represent and warrant their compliance with all applicable laws and regulations in Xerox agreements for the purchase of products. Similar representations are required by virtue of issuing Xerox purchase orders and other Xerox purchase documents.
- Xerox Global Procurement and Corporate Security screen all direct suppliers and significant indirect suppliers to ensure compliance with global anti-bribery laws and regulations, including but not limited to, the U.S. Foreign Corrupt Practices Act and U.K. Bribery Act. If a supplier is found to have violated applicable laws or contract terms and conditions, Xerox Global Procurement and Corporate Security review each situation on a case-by-case basis and determine the necessary course of action (i.e., terminate supplier relationship, instruct supplier to make corrective actions, etc.).
- To ensure full compliance critical direct and indirect suppliers are required to keep the following business documents on file while conducting business with Xerox:
 - All Xerox Purchase Orders and supplier invoices
 - Multi-National Master Purchase Agreement
 - Confidential Disclosure Agreement
 - Purchase Material Authorization
 - Business Resumption Plan
 - Product Safety and Certification Documents
 - Quality Plan and Quality Inspection Data
 - Restriction of Hazardous Substances (RoHS) compliance form
 - Tool Validation forms and records of the associated Xerox owned tool numbers
 - Responsible Business Alliance (RBA) Code of Conduct
 - Multi-National Survey Audit Reports

Conflict Mineral Templates

Internal Accountability

- Xerox has a Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) Council which is comprised of several senior executives who are responsible for fostering a culture that promotes compliance and validating fair operating practices, environment, health & safety, labor, government affairs, reputation & brand, finance & real estate, philanthropy, and supply chain & procurement. One senior executive member serves as the Executive Chair of the CSR Council and reports directly to the CEO and provides direction to the CSR Council.
- Xerox also has an Ethics and Compliance Program that is an integral part of its daily business operations and practices. To facilitate this commitment to integrity Xerox has:
 - A global, written <u>Code of Business Conduct</u> available in 19 languages

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- A supplemental code of conduct for finance employees
- A specific code of <u>conduct for the Board of Directors</u>
- A dedicated <u>Xerox Ethics Helpline</u> and a strictly enforced 'no retaliation policy' to promote comfort in using the Helpline
- An Ethics & Compliance Governance Board comprised of senior executives representing all areas of Xerox business
- Annual global communication of <u>business ethics policy</u> and CEO message on ethics and integrity
- The Xerox Code of Business Conduct seeks to align employee actions and decisions with the company's core values and compliance requirements. Our position advocating for human rights and opposing human trafficking is codified in our Code of Business Conduct. All employee violations of the Code of Business Conduct are thoroughly reviewed and investigated on a case-by-case basis and each incident is treated seriously, fairly, and consistently.
- Xerox provides a variety of channels for employees, suppliers, and customers to report suspected ethical violations, including phone, web, email, and postal mail. The Ethics Helpline is available globally 24 hours a day, seven days a week in multiple languages, via toll-free telephone numbers (<u>www.xerox.com/ethics</u>) and our web reporting tool (<u>https://www.xeroxethicshelpline.com</u>), which supports multiple languages.
- Credible information regarding a potential violation of this anti-human trafficking policy, whether by a Xerox employee, subcontractor, or agent, must be promptly reported to a manager, the Xerox Ethics Helpline, or the Office of General Counsel. Employees aware of potential human trafficking violations also may contact the Global Human Trafficking Hotline directly at (US) 1-844- 888-3733 or help@befree.org or Modern Slavery Helpline on (UK) 0800 0121 700. If in the UK a specific case of modern slavery is identified, it should be reported to the police immediately on 101. If potential victims are in immediate danger the standard 999 emergency number should be used. The Xerox Ethics and Compliance Program is overseen by the Audit Committee of the Board of Directors. The Ethics Office reports up to the Executive Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary via the Associate General Counsel and Chief Ethics Officer, with ongoing reporting responsibilities directly to the Audit Committee. The Executive Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary reports directly to the CEO.

Training

- All Xerox employees are required to complete the Xerox Code of Business Conduct training and ethics acknowledgement on an annual basis. The training is designed to enhance an employee's ability to recognize and respond to ethical issues, communicate the process and expectations about reporting suspected violations of the Code, and give instructions for obtaining additional guidance should an employee have a question or concerns about Xerox ethics procedures.
- Additionally, all Xerox Global Procurement employees are required to complete a Supply Chain Transparency Course annually. The training is designed to aid in the



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mitigation of human trafficking by building awareness of how human trafficking and slavery manifest themselves in the supply chain.

For more information about social responsibility at Xerox, please visit the Xerox Corporate Social Responsibility site.

In accordance with the U.K. Modern Slavery Act 2015 and guidance thereunder, this 2022 statement on efforts to prevent Human Trafficking and Slavery in Our Business and Supply Chains was approved on 8th June 2023 by the directors of Xerox Finance Limited, on 14th June 2023 by the directors of Xerox Limited and on 15th June 2023 by the directors of Xerox (UK) Limited (as prior statements were in previous years in accordance with the Act) and has been signed by the undersigned directors for and on behalf of each of the above companies.

(Signature is required only by the Modern Slavery Act and not the California Transparency in Supply Chain Act.)

Signed

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/s/ Rodney Noonoo Director Xerox Limited

/s/ Darren Cassidy Director Xerox (UK) Limited

/s/Karen Mckay Director Xerox Finance Limited

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