



Modern Slavery Statement for RS Solicitors

Introduction

This Modern Slavery Statement is made on behalf of RS Solicitors, a sole trader law firm, in compliance with the Modern Slavery Act 2015. The Firm is committed to preventing modern slavery and human trafficking within its business operations and supply chains. While the size of the Firm may be limited, we recognize the importance of contributing to the global efforts to eliminate modern slavery in all its forms.

Our Business and Structure

RS Solicitors is a sole trader law firm providing legal services across Criminal, Immigration and other areas of law. As a small firm, we operate with a limited supply chain primarily involving professional services and office-related suppliers. Despite this, we take seriously our responsibility to ensure that modern slavery is not taking place within our business or any of our suppliers' operations.

Our Policy on Modern Slavery

The Firm is committed to acting ethically and with integrity in all our business dealings and relationships. We have a zero-tolerance approach to modern slavery and human trafficking and aim to ensure that, to the best of our knowledge, there is no involvement in such practices within our business or supply chain.

Our Supply Chain

Our supply chain is relatively small, consisting mostly of service providers such as:

- Legal research and case management software providers
- Office supply companies
- Consultants or professional service providers

We understand that the risk of modern slavery in our supply chain is low due to the nature of the services and suppliers we engage with. However, we continue to assess this risk and, where necessary, will take appropriate action to ensure compliance with the Modern Slavery Act.

Risk Assessment and Due Diligence

As a sole trader law firm, our resources are limited, but we take a proportionate approach to risk management regarding modern slavery. This includes:

- Conducting initial assessments of potential suppliers and service providers
- Regularly reviewing and monitoring our supply chain for potential risks where a risk is identified
- Including modern slavery compliance clauses in contracts with key suppliers where appropriate

Training and Awareness



Given the small size of the Firm, internal training and awareness are primarily handled by the principal of the firm. Efforts are made to stay informed about modern slavery risks, and any relevant updates or changes in legislation are incorporated into our policies and practices.

Monitoring and Reporting

As a small business, we maintain open communication with our suppliers and service providers to ensure that modern slavery risks are appropriately managed. If any concerns regarding modern slavery arise, we are committed to taking swift action to address the issue.

Approval

This statement is made in accordance with section 54(1) of the Modern Slavery Act 2015 and constitutes the Firm's modern slavery and human trafficking statement for the financial year ending 2025.

Bachan Singh
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RS Solicitors

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