

PARTNERS GROUP UK: MODERN SLAVERY STATEMENT

FINANCIAL YEAR ENDING 2019

Our Organisation and Business

Partners Group is a global private markets investment management firm with EUR 80 billion (USD 91 billion) in investment programs under management in private equity, private real estate, private infrastructure and private debt. The firm manages a broad range of customized portfolios for an international clientele of institutional investors. Partners Group is headquartered in Zug, Switzerland and has operating subsidiaries in the US, Canada, Brazil, UK, Guernsey, France, Luxembourg, Germany, the United Arab Emirates, India, Singapore, the Philippines, China, Japan and Australia. The firm employs over 1,300 people and is listed on the SIX Swiss Exchange (symbol: PGHN) with a major ownership by its partners and employees.

We, Partners Group (UK) Ltd. ("**Partners Group UK**"), are a subsidiary of Partners Group with offices in London and are the alternative investment fund manager of the Partners Group Generations Fund domiciled in the UK.

We are committed to high ethical standards and to responsible investments and sustainable business practices. We believe that it is our corporate responsibility to create substantial value from environmental, social and governance (ESG) factors throughout our investment portfolios. This is why Partners Group has maintained its A+ rating for 'responsible investment strategy and governance' for the fifth year running in the UN PRI's annual benchmarking assessment of its signatories. Strong results across asset classes were testament to a firm-wide commitment to ESG, including within direct private equity and infrastructure, which received A+ and A scores respectively. To download Partner Group's latest Transparency Report, click here: <https://www.unpri.org/signatories/transparency-reports-2019/4506.article>.

Our Services, Employees and Supply Chain

We are not only committed to high ethical standards and sustainable business practices in relation to responsible investments and business practices, but are also committed to leading our firm in a principled manner.

The quality of our services is driven by our employees. Our employees are our most important asset and the key to our success.

Where service providers are used or services are outsourced in line with contractual as well as regulatory laws and regulations, our suppliers are known, reputable, professional and/or regulated service providers. Our material suppliers to our UK office in London are primarily providers of office equipment as well as administrative and secretary services.

Our Slavery and Human Trafficking Risks

In our regulated investment management business, the risk of slavery and human trafficking is, by definition, very low. We can only hire employees with appropriate training, experience and without a criminal record. Therefore, we are competing with other service providers to attract the best professionals and provide them with a demanding and rewarding working environment.

In our supply chain, the risk of slavery and human trafficking is also very limited because our service providers are known, reputable, professional and/or regulated service providers.

Our Slavery and Human Trafficking Prevention Endeavours

We endeavour to prevent slavery and human trafficking in our business and supply chains by:

- periodically reviewing and adapting our company policies to raise awareness for and reflect our endeavours in the prevention of slavery and human trafficking;
- subjecting new prospective employees to strict checks on their identity, references, qualifications and criminal records without exception;
- training the relevant staff involved in procurement;
- obtaining services only from known, reputable, professional and/or regulated services providers and suppliers;
- including appropriate contractual language in our service and supplier contracts;
- periodically subjecting our supplier and service procurement processes to internal audit spot checks.

Further Steps

We continue to keep our relevant policies and their implementation under active review, to be alert to the risks of slavery and human trafficking in our own business or in our supply chains and to be ready to take appropriate action promptly to address any concerns that may arise.

We have started an internal global project to review and streamline our procurement processes and gain visibility into potential gaps and areas of improvement.


This Statement

This statement is made pursuant to section 54(1) of the Modern Slavery Act 2015 and was approved by the Board of Directors of Partners Group UK. It constitutes our modern slavery and human trafficking statement for the business year 2019.

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