

Modern Slavery Act Statement 2018

Bucks Net Services Ltd (“BNS Payments”) has a zero-tolerance approach to slavery and is committed to preventing acts of slavery and human trafficking from occurring within both its business and supply chain, and imposes those same high standards on its contractors, suppliers and other business partners.

Company structure

BNS Payments is a leading payment service provider. Our offices and employees are based in the UK. BNS Payments provide payment and transaction-related solutions to businesses and consumers around the world, processing millions of payment transactions every year.

Our Supply Chain

Our supply chain include suppliers of:

- IT hardware and software, including software licences and open source software;
- data storage services;
- professional services from our advisors including our lawyers, accountants, auditors and public relations advisors;

The majority of our suppliers are UK based and are themselves required to take steps to prevent modern slavery and human trafficking in their own businesses and supply chains.

Due diligence processes

We have:

- Made our staff aware of the Modern Slavery Act, including its definitions of slavery and human trafficking;
- told staff what to do if they suspect a case of slavery or human trafficking;
- contacted suppliers and partners to check what assurance arrangements they have in place;
- commenced a revision of our procurement contracts and related documents to include prohibitions in respect of slavery and human trafficking and compliance with the legislation; and
- reviewed our Whistle Blowing Policy

The above procedures are designed to:

- Identify and assess potential risk areas in our business and supply chains;
- reduce the risk of slavery and human trafficking occurring in our business and supply chains;
- monitor potential risk areas in our business and supply chains; and
- provide adequate protection for whistle blowers

This statement is made pursuant to section 54(1) of the Modern Slavery Act 2015 and constitutes our Group's slavery and human trafficking statement for the financial year ending 31/3/18.