

## **Toshiba Group Slavery and Human Trafficking Statement**

Pursuant to the United Kingdom (UK) Modern Slavery Act 2015, Chapter 30, Part 6, Section 54, the Toshiba Group states that we have taken steps during the financial year to ensure that slavery and human trafficking is not taking place in any of our supply chains and in any part of our business. These steps include the adoption of various policies, putting in place a framework for respecting human rights, the ongoing identification and monitoring of human rights risks, employee training and the establishment of a whistleblower system and consulting service to ensure that modern slavery is not taking place in our business or supply chains.

### **Company overview**

Toshiba is a world leader and innovator in pioneering high technology, a diversified manufacturer and marketer of advanced electronic and electrical products and systems spanning energy systems, infrastructure systems and storage devices. Toshiba was founded in 1875, and today operates a global network of more than 380 companies, with approx. 141,000 employees worldwide and annual sales of 3.95 trillion yen.

### **Policies**

We comply with universal principles regarding human rights and labor practices worldwide, including the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, and respect human rights through sound business activities. In addition to complying with laws and regulations, the Toshiba Group Standards of Conduct stipulates respect for basic human rights and opposes child labor and forced labor.

<http://www.toshiba.co.jp/csr/en/policy/soc.htm>

We request all our suppliers, who play an important role in the Toshiba Group companies' production and services, to understand and put into practice the Toshiba Group Procurement Policy, which contains a clear prohibition on forced labor (including slave labor) and human trafficking.

<http://www.toshiba.co.jp/procure/en/policy/index.htm>

We have established the Toshiba Group Conflict Mineral Policy which prohibits the use of raw materials such as tin, tantalum, tungsten, and gold mined in the Democratic Republic of the Congo and its neighboring countries which violate human rights.

[http://www.toshiba.co.jp/csr/en/performance/social/procure.htm#conflict\\_minerals\\_1](http://www.toshiba.co.jp/csr/en/performance/social/procure.htm#conflict_minerals_1)

### **Framework for Respecting Human Rights**

The Human Rights Enlightenment Committee, chaired by the executive officer in charge of human resources, leads our efforts to promote human rights awareness under the basic principle of Respect for Human Rights. Moreover, our Business and Human Rights Center serves as the point of contact on human rights issues for all Group companies. We formulate basic principles on human rights, enforce the practice of their essence and contents, and provide instructions and support to promote the concept of Respect for Human Rights throughout the Toshiba Group.

### **Identification and Monitoring of Human Rights Risks**

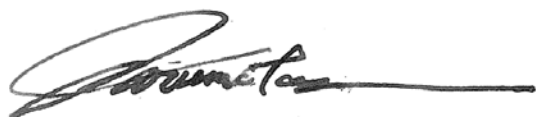
The Toshiba Group continuously investigates potential human rights risks in its business activities through reviews based on ISO 26000, the international standard providing guidelines for corporate social responsibility. To monitor the implementation of Toshiba's human rights initiatives, we will continue to perform gap analyses based on ISO 26000 guidelines and CSR surveys. As a part of the CSR surveys, Toshiba has conducted annual human rights due diligence on 122 Group companies and we confirmed that there is no situation of forced labor in FY2017.

### **Training**

The Toshiba Group Standards of Conduct has been adopted by Group companies and is available in 24 languages. Training on the Standards of Conduct is provided to Group employees to make the Standards of Conduct the guiding principles of our daily business activities.

### **Establishment of Whistleblower System and Consulting Service**

The Toshiba Group receives internal reports and consultations concerning human rights through various points of contact such as our Risk Hotline, Audit Committee Hotline, and Clean Partner Line.



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