

Modern Slavery Committee

REVIEW OF THE MODERN SLAVERY ACT 2018

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PRESENT

Mr Song Hong, Executive Director, NSW Procurement

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SUPPLEMENTARY QUESTIONS

Question 1

In documents listed on the tender website, it states: 'NSW Industrial Relations inspectors routinely audit the employment records of contractors and sub-contractors to all NSW Government contracts. The results of these inspections are published on the NSW Industrial Relations website.

- a. How often does this occur?

Response

Audits of employment records of contractors and sub-contractors is not within the remit of NSW Treasury.

The Construction and Compliance Unit in NSW Industrial Relations monitors compliance with, and receives reports of alleged breaches of, the NSW Industrial Relations Guidelines: Building and Construction Procurement.

The guidelines are available at: www.industrialrelations.nsw.gov.au/industries/key-industries-in-nsw/building-and-construction/

For further information, please contact NSW Industrial Relations.