Towards inclusive partnership: How Business can translate obligations into Mitigation of Human Trafficking

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What the GI is and what we do

The Global Initiative against Transnational Organized Crime seeks to **improve the evidence basis on contemporary threats;** provide a **platform to promote debate** across sectors, and catalyse **innovative** approaches that can serve as the **building blocks of a global strategy to counter organized crime.**

We are a Network to Counter Networks.



Benefits of addressing Human Trafficking in supply chains



- Understanding, mitigating, and managing the risks
- HT -> direct impact on business ability to manage their supply chains
- It also affects how a corporation is perceived

Scrutiny of private sector obligations





Compliance & obligations under the MSA



Obligations

Requirements

How to translate obligations into action



Understanding the Needs of the Private Sector



Types of technical /guidance material sought:

- 1. Guidance for **regional area(s) where companies operate**, including region-specific political dynamics and socio- economic challenges and how to address them.
- 2. Training materials (e-learning tool, app) to **educate employees from relevant departments** (marketing, HR, compliance, CR)
- 3. Guidance on how to **avoid purchasing practices that increase the risk of human trafficking** and forced labour in the supply chain.















The Responsible and Ethical Private Sector Coalition against Trafficking

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What RESPECT offers:

- Online resource centre
- A peer exchange platform
- Webinars
- Industry-specific case studies
- Interaction among leading businesses
- Training materials







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RESPECT Webinar Series





Webinar: Promising **Practises of Innovative Entrepreneuships (start**ups) to Combat Human Trafficking

Webinar: Multinational

Technology Brands Tackling Human Trafficking



Webinar: Awareness **Raising and Campaigning:** What and How Does Social Media Contribute to Identification and **Responses?**

Webinar series 2016: the private sector countering human trafficking



Webinar: Consumers in the Global Supply Chain



Webinar: Training & **Auditing to Counter** Forced Labour Trafficking



Webinar: Criminal infiltration into global sports



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Interactive Map for Business of Human Trafficking Stakeholders













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How YOU can engage

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Thank you.

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