

Introduction

This report covers activities of Edmonton Steel Plate Ltd. (“Edmonton Steel Plate”) for the last fiscal year from April 1, 2023 to March 31, 2024.

Description of Edmonton Steel Plate

Edmonton Steel Plate is headquartered in Edmonton, Alberta.

Edmonton Steel Plate purchases steel plate, and sells the plate without any modifications, for use in pressure vessel component fabrication.

Supply Chain

Edmonton Steel Plate’s supply chain consists of a small number of trusted vendors.

Edmonton Steel Plate is the Importer of Record for one single mill in Western Europe. Other than that, Edmonton Steel Plate purchases its material directly all from Canadian vendors.

Policies and due diligence processes in relation to Modern Slavery

During the previous fiscal year, Edmonton Steel Plate operated without formal policies specifically addressing forced and child labour. Nevertheless, we adhere to a long-established informal guideline prioritizing procurement from trusted Canadian and one Western European supplier, substantially mitigating the risk of engaging in practices associated with forced and child labour.

Risks of Modern Slavery in Edmonton Steel Plate’s Supply Chain

Edmonton Steel Plate’s headquarters and operations are located in Canada.

We have one vendor located in Western Europe, and they have supplied us with a written declaration from their management board that they do not tolerate use of forced or child labour in their operations.

Our remaining supply chain consists of Canadian vendors. Given the stringent legal and regulatory frameworks governing Canada, the risk of forced or child labour within our supply chain is considered very low. We do not engage in forced or child labour at any of our facilities, nor do we import materials or equipment identified as high-risk on the U.S. Government’s “List of Goods Produced by Child Labor or Forced Labor” (<https://www.dol.gov/agencies/ilab/reports/child-labor/list-of-goods-print>).

Measures Taken to Remediate Modern Slavery

No instances of modern slavery were detected within our operations during the reviewed period, and consequently, no specific remediation actions were required.

Measures to Remediate the Loss of Income to Vulnerable Families

Given that Edmonton Steel Plate does not anticipate taking any remedial action, no loss of income to vulnerable families as a result of such actions is anticipated.

Training provided to employees on Modern Slavery

Edmonton Steel Plate did not provide any formal training relating to forced labour and child labour during the last fiscal year.

Measuring Effectiveness

Edmonton Steel Plate plans to evolve measures to evaluate policies going forward as necessary.

This Report has been prepared in accordance with requirements set out in Part 2 of the Fighting Against Forced Labour and Child Labour in Supply Chains Act, SC 2023, c 9. This report includes the entity as set out in the Introduction section of this document.

In accordance with the requirements of the Act, and in particular section 11 thereof, I attest that I have reviewed the information contained in the report for the reporting entities. Based on my knowledge, and having exercised reasonable diligence, I attest that the information in the report is true, accurate and complete in all material respects for the purposes of the Act, for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2024.

I have the authority to bind Edmonton Steel Plate Ltd.

May 14, 2024

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Tim Gusse', written over a horizontal line.

Tim Gusse
President