



## **Slavery and Human Trafficking Statement**

Financial Year ended 31 December 2019

Carpenter Limited operates from several sites within the UK. The vast majority of products Carpenter sells are manufactured in the UK from raw materials sourced from a broad range of national and international suppliers.

We are committed to the principle of conducting Carpenter's business in accordance with the highest ethical and moral standards, as well as in compliance with all applicable laws and regulations. This commitment is extended to ensuring as far is reasonably possible, there is no modern slavery or human trafficking in our supply chain or in any part of our business.

We are active members of the Supplier Ethical Data Exchange (SEDEX) and endeavour to comply with all elements of the Ethical Trading Initiative (ETI) Base Code.

In addition to our Code of Conduct and other internal policies, we undertake all reasonable and practical steps, including where necessary, factory and warehouse inspections and audits to ensure that our standards are being implemented throughout the businesses of our suppliers and that as far as can be reasonably assured, local legislation and regulations are complied with.

Where possible, we will assess any instances of non-compliance on a case-by-case basis and will then tailor remedial action appropriately.

This statement has been approved by our Board of Directors, who will review and update it as necessary on an annual basis.

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