

Modern Slavery Act Statement (UK Only)

1. Introduction

This statement is made pursuant to Section 54 of the UK Modern Slavery Act 2015 for the financial year ending 2024.

In October 2024, Suttons Tankers Ltd was acquired by Schenk Tanktransport (SSLP BV) and now operates as Schenk UK Ltd ("Schenk UK").

The acquisition involved a change of ownership and company name, however the nature of our operations and supply chains remained unchanged.

Schenk UK exceeds the statutory turnover threshold of £36 million and is therefore required to publish an annual Modern Slavery Statement.

This statement relates solely to our UK operations.

2. Our UK Business and Supply Chains

Schenk UK is a specialist bulk logistics provider operating throughout the United Kingdom.

Our activities include:

- Road tanker transport and logistics
- Vehicle maintenance
- Planning, scheduling, and operational support services

Our UK supply chain consists primarily of:

- Vehicle and parts suppliers
- Maintenance and workshop service providers
- Labour and recruitment agencies (where used)
- Fuel, cleaning, and operational service providers
- Occasional subcontracted haulage partners

This supply chain remains substantially the same as prior to the acquisition, with no material operational changes following the transition from Suttons to Schenk.

3. Our Commitment

Schenk UK is committed to preventing modern slavery and human trafficking in all forms. We recognise that the logistics and transport industry can present risks relating to:

- Use of temporary labour
- Outsourced services
- Subcontracted transport providers

We remain committed to responsible business practices and risk management.

4. Policies and Governance

Schenk UK maintains the following policies relevant to modern slavery:

- Business Ethics Policy, which includes Modern Slavery & Human Trafficking
- Whistleblowing Procedure
- Supplier due-diligence expectations

These policies apply to all UK employees and suppliers.

5. Due Diligence and Risk Management

Schenk UK undertakes due-diligence activities proportionate to risk, including:

- Vetting of labour providers to ensure compliance with UK law
- Supplier checks during onboarding
- Contractual expectations relating to modern slavery

Higher-risk areas include agency labour, subcontracted maintenance/haulage, and suppliers with overseas sourcing.

Approval

For the financial year ending 2024

Approved on the: 01 July 2025

Signed:

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