

Home Leasing

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Disclosure Materials

Certified B Corporations must complete a Disclosure Questionnaire to identify potentially sensitive issues related to the company (e.g. historical fines, sanctions, material litigation, or sensitive industry practices).

This component does not affect the company's score on the B Impact Assessment. If the company answers affirmatively to any items in the Disclosure Questionnaire that B Lab deems relevant for public stakeholders, then, as a condition of their certification, the company must:

- Be transparent about details of the disclosure issues identified on the company's public B Impact Report
- 2) Describe how the company has addressed this issue
- 3) Demonstrate that management practices are in place to avoid similar issues from arising in the future, when necessary.

In all cases, the Standards Advisory council reserves the right to refuse certification if the company is ultimately deemed not to uphold the spirit and integrity of the community.

In addition to the voluntary indication of sensitive issues in the Disclosure Questionnaire, companies pursuing Certification also are subject to a background check by B Lab staff. Background checks include a review of public records, news sources, and search engines for company names, brands, executives/founders, and other relevant topics.

Sensitive issues identified through background checks may or may not be within the scope of questions in the Disclosure Questionnaire, but undergo the same review process and are subject to the same possible review by the Standards Advisory Council, including ineligibility for B Corp Certification, required remediation, or disclosure.

B Lab's Public Complaints Process

Any party may submit a complaint about a current B Corp through B Lab's Public Complaint Process. Grounds for complaint include:

- Intentional misrepresentation of practices, policies, and/or claimed outcomes during the company's certification process
- Breaches of the B Corp Community's core values as expressed in our Declaration of Interdependence

This document contains a copy of the company's completed Disclosure Questionnaire and related disclosure documentation provided by the company.



Disclosure Questionnaire

Industries and Products

Yes No Please indicate if the company is involved in production of or trade in any of the following. Select Yes for all options that **Animal Products or Services** $\boxed{}$ **Biodiversity Impacts** \square Chemicals \square **Disclosure Alcohol** \square **Disclosure Firearms Weapons** $\boxed{}$ **Disclosure Mining** $\boxed{}$ **Disclosure Pornography** $\boxed{}$ **Disclosure Tobacco** $\boxed{}$ **Energy and Emissions Intensive** $\overline{\mathbf{A}}$ <u>Industries</u> Fossil fuels \square Gambling **Genetically Modified Organisms** $\overline{\mathbf{A}}$ Illegal Products or Subject to $\boxed{}$ **Phase Out** Industries at Risk of Human \square **Rights Violations Monoculture Agriculture** \square **Nuclear Power or Hazardous** \square **Materials** Payday, Short Term, or High **Interest Lending** Water Intensive Industries \square **Tax Advisory Services**

Outcomes & Penalties

	Yes	No	
Please indicate if the company has had any formal complaint to a regulatory agency or been assessed any fine or sanction in the past five years for any of the following practices or policies. Check all that apply.			
Anti-Competitive Behavior		N.	
Breaches of Confidential Information		X	
Bribery, Fraud, or Corruption		∑	
Company has filed for bankruptcy		N.	
Consumer Protection		\vee	
Financial Reporting, Taxes, Investments, or Loans		N	
Hazardous Discharges Into Air/Land/Water (Past 5 Yrs)		\checkmark	
Labor Issues		\searrow	
Large Scale Land Conversion, Acquisition, or Relocation		K	
Litigation or Arbitration	V		
On-Site Fatality		\searrow	
Penalties Assessed For Environmental Issues		V	
Political Contributions or International Affairs		\searrow	
Recalls		∑	
Significant Layoffs		\vee	
Violation of Indigenous Peoples Rights		V	
Other		K	



Practices

	Yes	No
Please indicate if the following statements are true regarding whether or not the company engages in the following practices. Check all that apply. If the statement is true, select "Yes." If false, select "No."		
Animal Testing		\checkmark
Company/Suppliers Employ Under Age 15 (Or Other ILO Minimum Age)		\checkmark
Company prohibits freedom of association/collective bargaining		\checkmark
Company workers are prisoners		\checkmark
Conduct Business in Conflict Zones		\checkmark
Confirmation of Right to Work		\checkmark
Does not transparently report corporate financials to government		\searrow
Employs Individuals on Zero-Hour Contracts		\searrow
Facilities located in sensitive ecosystems		\triangleright
ID Cards Withheld or Penalties for Resignation		\searrow
No formal Registration Under Domestic Regulations		\vee
No signed employment contracts for all workers		V
Overtime For Hourly Workers Is Compulsory		V
Payslips not provided to show wage calculation and deductions		V

	Yes	No
Sale of Data		\checkmark
Tax Reduction Through Corporate Shells		V
Workers cannot leave site during non-working hours		V
Workers not Provided Clean Drinking Water or Toilets		V
Workers paid below minimum wage		\vee
Workers Under Bond		\checkmark
Other		\checkmark

Supply Chain Disclosures

	Yes	No
Please indicate if any of the following statements are true regarding your company's significant suppliers.		
Business in Conflict Zones		V
Child or Forced Labor		\checkmark
Negative Environmental Impact		V
Negative Social Impact		\checkmark
Other		✓



Disclosure Questionnaire Statement

Disclosure Questionnaire Category: Litigation, Arbitration, and/or Penalties

Issue Date	2019 - 2024
Topic	Litigations related to Consumer and Subcontractor Safety
Summary of Issue	2 cases in which an employee of a subcontractor fell/ tripped and was injured. The claimants alleged violation of the New York Labor Law sections 200, 241(6) and 240 (laws pertaining to scaffolding and tripping hazards). Both cases were resolved.
	3 cases in which residents (company's consumers) had allegedly faced injury upon falling/tripping while in the property of the company. Two of the cases are resolved, and one of the cases is pending resolution.
Size/Scope of Issue (e.g. \$ financial implication, # of individuals affected)	For the two cases involving employees of the company's subcontractor's, the company incurred a cost of less than 1% of the company's total revenue for the legal expanse.
	For the 2 resolved cases involving consumers, the company incurred 1-5% of the company's total revenue for the legal expanse and indemnity.
	The estimated cost involving the pending consumer case is 1-5% of the company's total revenue for the legal expanse and indemnity.
Impact on Stakeholders	The primary impact in the cases were the safety of the consumers and laborers of the subcontractors.
Resolution	Most cases were resolved with payment through company insurance.
Management Practices	In October of 2023, Home Leasing hired a Safety Manager to ensure these types of cases do not reoccur.
	Summary: The primary goal of the Safety Manager is to implement the safety strategy and safety program for Home Leasing Construction. The Safety Manager will provide safety training, conduct site inspections, assess work conditions and practices, monitor compliance with regulations required by the



Occupational Safety and Health Administration, and identify possible work-related safety issues and risks on projects, with the purpose of providing guidance on appropriate solutions to prevent issues from arising.

Below are the duties of the role;

- Conducts safety meetings, audits, and site inspections to ensure compliance, evaluate performance, identify corrective actions, and implement follow up assessments.
- Attends pre-installation meetings on site.
- Build working relationships with project staff and Subcontractor Safety Representatives.
- Is a resource to field staff for hazard analysis questions and work evaluations.
- Plans, implements, and conducts preventative care, safety, and compliance training programs.
- Plans, implements, manages, and maintains comprehensive environmental safety & health programs, weekly tool-box talks and weekly safety inspections at project site locations and electronic format.
- Collaborates with management to develop, prepare, and implement safety policies and procedures.
- Reviews subcontractor Site Specific Safety Plans, as necessary.
- Ensures that all required documents are kept on site and made available.
- Ensures compliance with federal, state, and local safety laws, regulations, codes, and rules.
- Ensures completion of required OSHA recordkeeping and reporting.
- Leads the Safety Committee and provides technical and administrative support.
- Stops operations and activities that could harm employees or equipment.
- Conducts accident investigations.
- Attends any OSHA site walkthrough or any OSHA related meetings.
- Identifies opportunities to minimize workplace injuries, accidents, and health problems.
- Reviews and conducts safety training and recommends revisions, improvements, and updates.
- Reviews accident and incident reports.



• Attends Safety conferences on behalf of the company.

- Participates in worker's comp claim discussions and meetings
- Seeks out education opportunities for best practice safety programs.
- Updates the company safety manual as necessary.
- Maintains the Safety rewards program.



Disclosure Questionnaire Statement

Disclosure Questionnaire Category: Energy and Emissions Intensive Industry

Home Leasing Construction is involved in the production/sale of products, or is part of an industry that can potentially be classified as energy and emission-intensive, meaning that they are more likely to have significant impacts on the environment based on their carbon emissions associated with their operations and their contribution to climate change. Certified B Corps are required to make transparent their involvement in such activities or industries.



Disclosure Questionnaire Statement

Disclosure Questionnaire Category: Water Intensive Industry

Home Leasing Construction is involved in the production/sale of products, or is part of an industry that can potentially be classified as water intensive, meaning that they are more likely to have significant impacts on the environment, such as water stress or depletion of local water sources if water use is not appropriately managed. Certified B Corps are required to make transparent their involvement in such activities or industries.