

# Rat Race (Events) Ltd

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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.

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	Νο
Please indicate if the company is involved in production of or trade in any of the following. Select Yes for all options that apply.		
Animal Products or Services		$\mathbf{Y}$
Biodiversity Impacts		$\checkmark$
Chemicals		$\mathbf{Y}$
Disclosure Alcohol		$\checkmark$
Disclosure Firearms Weapons		$\mathbf{\mathbf{Y}}$
Disclosure Mining		$\checkmark$
Disclosure Pornography		$\mathbf{\mathbf{Y}}$
Disclosure Tobacco		$\checkmark$
Energy and Emissions Intensive Industries		Y
Gambling		
Genetically Modified Organisms		$\mathbf{\mathbf{\nabla}}$
Illegal Products or Subject to Phase Out		$\mathbf{Y}$
Industries at Risk of Human Rights Violations		Y
Monoculture Agriculture		$\mathbf{\mathbf{N}}$
Nuclear Power or Hazardous Materials		$\mathbf{Y}$
Payday, Short Term, or High Interest Lending		Y
Water Intensive Industries		$\mathbf{Y}$
Tax Advisory Services		V

#### **Outcomes & Penalties**

	Yes	Νο
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		$\checkmark$
Breaches of Confidential Information		$\mathbf{\mathbf{Y}}$
Bribery, Fraud, or Corruption		$\mathbf{\nabla}$
Company has filed for bankruptcy		$\checkmark$
Consumer Protection		$\checkmark$
Financial Reporting, Taxes, Investments, or Loans		$\mathbf{Y}$
Hazardous Discharges Into Air/Land/Water (Past 5 Yrs)		$\mathbf{\mathbf{\nabla}}$
Labor Issues		$\mathbf{\mathbf{\nabla}}$
Large Scale Land Conversion, Acquisition, or Relocation		$\checkmark$
Litigation or Arbitration		$\checkmark$
On-Site Fatality	$\mathbf{\mathbf{\nabla}}$	
Penalties Assessed For Environmental Issues		$\searrow$
Political Contributions or International Affairs		$\mathbf{Y}$
Recalls		$\mathbf{\nabla}$
Significant Layoffs		$\checkmark$
Violation of Indigenous Peoples Rights		$\checkmark$
Other		$\checkmark$

#### 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		$\mathbf{\mathbf{\nabla}}$
Company/Suppliers Employ Under Age 15 (Or Other ILO Minimum Age)		$\mathbf{\nabla}$
Company prohibits freedom of association/collective bargaining		$\checkmark$
Company workers are prisoners		$\checkmark$
Conduct Business in Conflict Zones		$\leq$
Confirmation of Right to Work		$\leq$
Does not transparently report corporate financials to government		$\checkmark$
Employs Individuals on Zero-Hour Contracts		$\mathbf{\nabla}$
Facilities located in sensitive ecosystems		$\mathbf{\nabla}$
ID Cards Withheld or Penalties for Resignation		$\mathbf{k}$
No formal Registration Under Domestic Regulations		$\mathbf{\nabla}$
No signed employment contracts for all workers		$\mathbf{\mathbf{Y}}$
Overtime For Hourly Workers Is Compulsory	V	
Payslips not provided to show wage calculation and deductions		$\checkmark$

	Yes	No
Sale of Data		$\mathbf{\nabla}$
Tax Reduction Through Corporate Shells		$\checkmark$
Workers cannot leave site during non-working hours		$\mathbf{\mathbf{\nabla}}$
Workers not Provided Clean Drinking Water or Toilets		$\mathbf{Y}$
Workers paid below minimum wage		K
Workers Under Bond		$\mathbf{\langle}$
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		$\checkmark$
Child or Forced Labor		$\checkmark$
Negative Environmental Impact		K
Negative Social Impact		$\checkmark$
Other		$\checkmark$

### **Disclosure Questionnaire Statement**

### **Disclosure Questionnaire Category: On-Site Fatality**

Rat Race (Events) Ltd has had one on-site fatality in the last five years. The company is responsible for ensuring they have enough practices and policies in place to prevent similar incidents from happening again. Certified B Corps are required to make transparent when such incidents have occurred.

## **Disclosure Questionnaire Statement**

**Disclosure Questionnaire Category: Labor practices** 

Торіс	Compulsory overtime
Summary of Issue	Rat Race (Events) Ltd is a company located in the UK that organizes global ultramarathons and multi-sport adventure events. Depending on the events, the company may require employees to work overtime.
Size/Scope of Issue (e.g. \$ financial implication, # of individuals affected)	During the last fiscal year, 50% of employees worked overtime.
Impact on Stakeholder(s)	Employees that work compulsory overtime can experience increased stress and have less time to spend on activities outside of the workplace. Workers are not obliged to provide services in overtime, except in cases of danger or accident that has occurred or imminent due to force majeure, or due to exceptional demands of the company.
Implemented Management Practices	All employees are informed during the hiring process that overtime may be required. No extra pay is offered on an hourly basis, and this is communicated in writing in all contracts. If employees are unable or unwilling to work overtime, the company encourages open dialogue to understand their reasons and capacity. If necessary, work may be redistributed among other team members, and a plan will be developed with the employee to address any issues raised in the discussion on a long-term basis.
	To reduce the possibility of burnout, the company ensures that employees take mandatory breaks as required by law. The company monitor for signs of overwork and fatigue, encouraging supervisors to redistribute workloads to prevent excessive overtime for specific employees. The company promotes a healthy work-life balance and offers flexible working arrangements, including remote work where possible. Additionally, they discourage after-hours emails and calls between employees, provide extra rest days and annual leave for those who work extended hours through our unlimited holiday policy, and recognize and reward employees with bonuses and additional time off.

When necessary, the company hires additional staff to reduce excessive overtime. The HR department stays updated and regularly monitors changes in labor laws to ensure compliance with local regulations on overtime.