

# **Shootme Visual Artists**

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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 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 $\boxed{}$ **Disclosure Alcohol** $\square$ **Disclosure Firearms Weapons** $\boxed{}$ **Disclosure Mining** $\boxed{}$ **Disclosure Pornography** $\boxed{}$ **Disclosure Tobacco** $\boxed{}$ **Energy and Emissions Intensive** $\boxed{}$ Industries Gambling $\square$ **Genetically Modified Organisms** $\square$ Illegal Products or Subject to $\square$ **Phase Out** Industries at Risk of Human $\overline{\mathbf{A}}$ **Rights Violations Monoculture Agriculture Nuclear Power or Hazardous** $\square$ Materials Payday, Short Term, or High $\overline{\mathbf{A}}$ **Interest Lending** Water Intensive Industries $\square$ **Tax Advisory Services** $\square$

#### **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		<b>∀</b>
Breaches of Confidential Information		X
Bribery, Fraud, or Corruption		V
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		X
Litigation or Arbitration		$\vee$
On-Site Fatality		V
Penalties Assessed For Environmental Issues		V
Political Contributions or International Affairs		Y
Recalls		$\checkmark$
Significant Layoffs		V
Violation of Indigenous Peoples Rights		V
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		$\vee$
Company/Suppliers Employ Under Age 15 (Or Other ILO Minimum Age)		$\checkmark$
Company prohibits freedom of association/collective bargaining		V
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		$\vee$
Employs Individuals on Zero-Hour Contracts		$\vee$
Facilities located in sensitive ecosystems		$\vee$
ID Cards Withheld or Penalties for Resignation		$\vee$
No formal Registration Under Domestic Regulations		<b>∀</b>
No signed employment contracts for all workers		<b>∀</b>
Overtime For Hourly Workers Is Compulsory		V
Payslips not provided to show wage calculation and deductions		N

	Yes	No
Sale of Data		$\checkmark$
Tax Reduction Through Corporate Shells		$\checkmark$
Workers cannot leave site during non-working hours		✓
Workers not Provided Clean Drinking Water or Toilets		<b>V</b>
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		$\checkmark$
Child or Forced Labor		$\checkmark$
Negative Environmental Impact		$\checkmark$
Negative Social Impact		$\checkmark$
Other	N	



## **Disclosure Questionnaire Statement**

**Disclosure Questionnaire Category: Other** 

Topic	Prior participation in the Pornography industry
Summary of Issue	In 2022 two of Shootme Visual's female producers were involved in the production of a pornographic film for the site XConfessions. The company received income from XConfessions as a service for production and did not generate any profits from the revenue generated on the website. The company does not currently earn revenue from this industry and is not involved in the production of any films in this industry.
Size/Scope of Issue (e.g. \$ financial implication, # of individuals affected)	In 2022 two of Shootme Visual's female producers were involved in the production of a pornographic film for the site XConfessions. The company received income from XConfessions as a service for production and did not generate any profits from the revenue generated on the website. The company does not currently earn revenue from this industry and is not involved in the production of any films in this industry.
Impact on Stakeholder(s)	B Lab considers the pornography an ineligible industry and companies with an active involvement in this industry, generating revenue from products or services intended for sexual arousal, including photos, videos, texts and audio are not able to move forward with B Corp Certification.  B Lab recognises that this industry can represent potential risks such as health risk exposure, sexual exploitation as well as damaging effects on users.
Implemented Management Practices	The company no longer serves this industry and has no plans to take up new work in this industry.
Report	Glamour Article on movie
Management Comments	This particular project had a very specific dimension: firstly, Shootme's female producers saw this as a professional challenge for themselves and wanted to take part in such a production in order to understand how the industry works and functions. Secondly, the film belongs to an alternative trend in pornography offering a female perspective. Even though this was a pornographic production and we're not planning on working further in this industry, we at Shootme view participation in this project as something positive.



## **Disclosure Questionnaire Statement**

Disclosure Questionnaire Category: Other - Clients in Ineligible and Controversial Industries

Topic	Clients in Ineligible and Controversial Industries
Summary of Issue	Shootme Visual Artists has clients in the following industries: Gambling and Pharmaceuticals.
	The types of services offered to these clients include: - Film, TV, photography, commercial and music video production services.
Size/Scope of Issue (e.g. \$ financial implication, # of individuals affected)	In the last fiscal year, 7% of the company's annual revenue was from clients in the Gambling industry and 0.1% from clients in the Pharmaceutical industry.
Impact on Stakeholder(s)	Companies that work with clients in controversial industries can directly or indirectly increase the harmful impact to stakeholders by enabling business growth. Therefore, companies that work with clients in these industries should have practices in place to ensure that their impact is aimed at decreasing the negative impacts of the industry.
	Companies offering certain types of services and products to controversial clients are required to have at minimum a grievance/complaints mechanism and a whistleblower protection policy.
Implemented Management Practices	Shootme Visual Artists has the following mechanisms in place to manage the risks associated to serving clients in the controversial industries:
	<b>Grievance/complaints mechanism</b> . This is accessible to the public through a Grievance Form available on the company's website. Once a grievance is submitted, the company addresses it within 14 business days and communicates to the complainant about the next steps which includes a meeting (online or in the office) to find a joint solution.
	Whistleblower Protection Policy. The Policy includes the company's commitment to protecting whistleblowers from retaliation. Protection Measures:  Confidential Reporting: Secure, anonymous channels.



	<ul> <li>Consent-Based Sharing: No disclosure without consent - person who manages the email account linked to the whistleblower form cannot share it outside. After consideration that person only shares information about the report with company owners.</li> <li>Secure Investigations: Cases are taken care of with utmost delicacy and privacy. Any retaliation procedure / process is managed directly with people involved, without sharing it to the wider team if they want to keep it private.</li> <li>Retaliation Against Whistleblowers will not be tolerated and will result in disciplinary action.</li> <li>Corrective Measures: If retaliation is identified, corrective measures will be taken to restore the affected individual's position and reputation.</li> </ul>
Report	Grievance mechanism link