

# La Rosée

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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** Chemicals $\boxed{}$ **Disclosure Alcohol Disclosure Firearms Weapons** $\boxed{}$ **Disclosure Mining** $\boxed{}$ **Disclosure Pornography** $\boxed{}$ **Disclosure Tobacco** $\boxed{}$ **Energy and Emissions Intensive** $\boxed{}$ Industries Fossil fuels $\square$ Gambling **Genetically Modified Organisms** $\boxed{}$ Illegal Products or Subject to $\boxed{}$ **Phase Out** Industries at Risk of Human $\square$ **Rights Violations Monoculture Agriculture** $\square$ **Nuclear Power or Hazardous** $\overline{\mathbf{A}}$ **Materials** Payday, Short Term, or High **Interest Lending Water Intensive Industries** $\overline{\mathbf{A}}$ 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		K	
Bribery, Fraud, or Corruption		N.	
Company has filed for bankruptcy		V	
Consumer Protection		V	
Financial Reporting, Taxes, Investments, or Loans		N	
Hazardous Discharges Into Air/Land/Water (Past 5 Yrs)		K	
Labor Issues		<b>∑</b>	
Large Scale Land Conversion, Acquisition, or Relocation		N.	
Litigation or Arbitration			
On-Site Fatality		V	
Penalties Assessed For Environmental Issues		$\searrow$	
Political Contributions or International Affairs		N	
Recalls		$\searrow$	
Significant Layoffs		$\searrow$	
Violation of Indigenous Peoples Rights		$\vee$	
Other		$\vee$	



### **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		K
Company/Suppliers Employ Under Age 15 (Or Other ILO Minimum Age)		V
Company prohibits freedom of association/collective bargaining		$\searrow$
Company workers are prisoners		$\triangleright$
Conduct Business in Conflict Zones		V
Confirmation of Right to Work		V
Does not transparently report corporate financials to government		N
Employs Individuals on Zero-Hour Contracts		N
Facilities located in sensitive ecosystems		N
ID Cards Withheld or Penalties for Resignation		\
No formal Registration Under Domestic Regulations		V
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		$\searrow$
Workers paid below minimum wage		N
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		<b>✓</b>



## **Disclosure Questionnaire Statement**

**Disclosure Questionnaire Category: Other Disclosures** 

Issue Date	January 2024
Topic	Negative PR related to poor management practices.
Summary of Issue	Testimonials were made by employees of La Rosée on the Balance Ta Start-Up Linkedin page, alleging poor management practices. The company attributes the allegations to refusal of conventional termination or incompatibilities with the position/company or the termination of an employee's trial period.
Size/Scope of Issue (e.g. \$ financial implication, # of individuals affected)	There were 13 testimonials on the Balance Ta Start-Up account, out of 105 employees at the time. There have been no employee departures linked to these publications and the company has not had any litigation arising from these allegations.
Impact on Stakeholders	Company employees prior and existing, as well as La Rosée's reputation was impacted through these allegations.
Resolution	In response to the testimonials, the company sent an email to their customer pharmacies in France and responded to attacks on their social networks with a standard message.
	In addition, the company conducted an anonymous Employee Satisfaction Survey with an external HR company in July 2024, asking employees various questions concerning working conditions, professional life/personal life, balance, etc; 96% of employees declared they were satisfied or very satisfied with working at La Rosée.
Implemented Management Practices	La Rosée has an action plan in place by the HR team and managers of each team to address the less satisfactory results of the Employee Satisfaction Survey.
	In order to prevent any such allegations in the future,La Rosée has set up action plan that consist of 3 parts:
	Continuously provide support to employees in stressful situations at work by first creating the right listening



	conditions and providing personalized support and responses when needed. The executive committee and company managers will be supported by the HR team, occupational doctor. Company managers are also supported in the implementation of this action plan to ensure employees feel safe and confident to air their concerns through these channels.	
	<ol> <li>The right to disconnect and avoid spillover of work into the personal lives of employees:         La Rosée will work to establish a framework and rules which guarantee everyone a better work/personal life balance. A charter on the Right to Disconnect will be put in place during the session of October 2024.     </li> </ol>	
	3. La Rosée felt the need to better understand the situations that generated these allegations, to be able to properly address this subject. A qualitative work was undertaken with a specialist firm – in order to correctly map employees' engagements and highlight any inconsistencies which could be revealed. From 2025, a more in-depth study will be carried out in order to cross-reference the data externally based on other similar positions, the sector of activity, etc.	
Report	Public Allegations on La Rosée	
Management Comments	La Rosée did not wish to publish any press release on this subject because we wanted to limit it to its impact on social media. Once again, La Rosée has never been sued against any wrongdoings in a court of justice and prefers to plead its case with the competent courts if this were to happen.	