

BSCI Audit Summary Report

NAME OF THE PRODUCER : ALPINE KNIT FABRICS LTD.

DBID : 350371

DATE OF THE AUDIT : 09/06/2015

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Audit Date : 09/06/2015 Audit Methodology : Industrial



Producer Information

Name of producer :	Alpine Knit Fabrics Ltd	i.	
DBID number :	350371		
Audit ID :	32379		
Address :	168 (BJC) Godnail,,Na	arayangonj	
Province :	Dhaka	Country :	Bangladesh
Management Representative :	Md. Nasir Uddin		
Contact person:	Delwar Hossain		
Sector :	Non-Food	Industry Type :	Textiles, clothing, leather
Product group :	Apparel	All kinds of knitted Garments	
Audit Details			
Type of audit :	SFull Audit	Re-Audit	
Sub type of audit :		Special investigation-Speci RUC Other	ial investigation- Unannounced/ Semiannounced
Audit date :	09/06/2015	Audit Duration : 3.00	0
Audit methodology :	⊠Industrial	Primary Production	
Auditing Company :	Globalgroup of Compa	anies Limited	
Auditing Company Branch :	(Bangladesh) Globalg	roup Bangladesh	
Auditing company address :	01 Sonargaon Janapa	th Avenue,Sector# 12,,	
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Audit Results for Part B tier I

Total Score Part B tier I:	Good	⊠Improvements Needed	□Non-Compliant
Total Number of deviations in crucial questions :	0 / 35		
Agreed date for closing the Corrective Action Plan (If applicable) :	31/01/2016	5	
Contingencies to be reported :	□Aborted □Desktop	Partially Conducted Review Others	Combined With Other Systems

Audit Results for Part B tier II (Only relevant if Primary Production Methodology is used)

Please refer to section "Sampled Units Tier II" and "Audit Sample CAP B"

Score Interpretation								
Good	Improvements Needed	Non-Compliant	Under "Grace Period"					
than 2 questions per chapter; these	number of questions per chapter. No deviations are	Deviations are identified in half or more of the total number of questions per chapter. One deviation in a question marked as crucial is sufficient to assess the entire chapter as non-compliant.	Not Available					



Audit Master Data Part A

For more details of the company, see complete Master Data in the on-line Audit Report

General information on the Producer						
Name of producer :	Alpine Knit Fabrics Ltd.					
Address :	168 (BJC) Godnail,,Narayangor	nj				
Year of foundation :	1996					
Legal status :	Private Limited Company					
Turnover (in euros) :	2651360.000					
Main contact person :	Delwar Hossain					
Language spoken :	Bengali					
Valid GlobalG.A.P Certificate :	□Yes ⊠No					
Other Social audit :	□Yes ⊠No	Social audit name :	Not Applicable			

Auditors' notes

Producer's background

Alpine Knit Fabrics Ltd. is an all kind of knitted garments manufacturing factory located at 168 (BJC) Godnail, Narayangonj-1400, Bangladesh and establishment since 1996.

Total numbers of employees are 302 where 121 are male and 181 are female employees working on there and main process is cutting, sewing, finishing and packing.

Factory has 04 sheds.

Shed-01: Sewing section and Finishing section.

Shed-02: Cutting section, packing section, Sample section, Inspection room, General office, Directors room, Boiler room and Conference room.

Shed-03: Yarn godown, Fabric section, Medical center, Childcare room, Commercial room, Generator room, Maintenance room and accessories store.

Shed-04: Workers dining, Canteen, Prayer room, Admin room and security room

The regular working week is Saturday –Thursday. Friday is the weekend of the factory.

It was the BSCI full audit of first cycle.

Chapter summary

Chapter	Chapter Summary
B.1. Management Practice	Two issues raised in this section related to awareness of staffs about legal rights and benefits, and complaint mechanism. BSCI code of conduct found displayed on the factory notice board. Management develops and implements anti-corruption / anti-bribery policy for all kinds of business needs. No evidence of sub-contracting or home working has identify and nothing reported by the employee interview.
B.10. Health and Social Facilities	Two issues raised in this full audit related to first aider not well trained and drinking water test report. Fist aid kits found adequate in first aid box Factory has employed full time doctor for the workers. Doctor found available during the visit.
B.11. Occupational Health and Safety (OHS)	Nine issues raised in this section related to training on fire fighting, first aid and rescue, PPE using and training, MSDS, Secondary containment, labeling of chemical, height of ceiling, electrician electrical approval, ebonite sheet, corkwood, Loose and joint wiring and drainage cover.
B.13. Environment	One issue raised related to CO2 air emission. Waste management policy found in practice. Factory wastage found segregated and controlled in a way which could not lead to environmental pollution. No production process identified that can cause immediate effect to the environment.
B.2. Documentation	One issue raised in this section related to companies generator waiver certificate. Otherwise, all the business licenses and permit found updated by the management. Group life insurance covered all the workers. Personal files found up to date with all necessary documents.
	One issue raised related to uniform time recording system. No negative records of excess working hours identified or reported by the employee

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Name of the producer : Alpine Knit Fabrics Ltd. DBID : 350371 and Audit Id : 32379 Audit Type : Full Audit Tier I	Audit Date : 09/06/2015 Audit Methodology : Industrial	BSCI An initiative of the F Trade Association (F Business Social Compliance Initiat
B.3. Working Hours	during the audit. As per management stat for over-time work when there is an urger load is high. Friday is weekly holiday.	
B.4. Compensation	Management pays the minimum wages as declared by the government for the garm- that the factory made payment less than deduction has been identified through doc reported by the interview workers. No rec identified and nothing reported by the wo overtime payment as per law.	ent industry. No evidence identified local minimum wages. No illegal cument review and nothing cords of illegal disciplinary measure
B.5.1. Child Labour	Factory has a written policy not to engage worker has been identified during audit	e underage workers and no child
B.5.2. Young Workers	No young worker has been identified durin	ng audit
B.6. Forced Labour / Disciplinary Measures / Prison Labour	The factory does not engage any forced o prison labor is allowed out-side the prison evidence has identified during audit. Mana documents from the workers, confirmed b Workers are free to leave their employer :	according to the law. No negative agement does not keep any original by the interviewed workers.
B.7. Freedom of Association and Collective Bargaining	One issue raised related to selected WPC. by the workers of the factory. Workers an union, no restriction has been imposed to management.	e free to join or form the trade
B.8. Discrimination, Harassment and Abuse	Nothing identified by the documents verified by the interviewed workers as discriminat record does not show any discriminatory in inhumane treatment has been identified of interview.	ion. The payment and overtime incidents. No evidence of harsh or
B.9. Working Conditions	One issue raised related to noise level ass temperature found suitable and ventilatio floor.	

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Part B Tier I - Overall Summary

Chapter Full Audit Results (32379 and 09/06/201					
	G	IN	NC	NA	%
B.1. Management Practice					83.33
B.2. Documentation					83.33
B.3. Working Hours					80.00
B.4. Compensation	\boxtimes				100.00
B.5.1. Child Labour	\boxtimes				100.00
B.5.2. Young Workers					100.00
B.6. Forced Labour / Disciplinary Measures / Prison Labour	\boxtimes				100.00
B.7. Freedom of Association and Collective Bargaining	\boxtimes				83.33
B.8. Discrimination, Harassment and Abuse					100.00
B.9. Working Conditions					85.71
B.10. Health and Social Facilities					75.00
B.11. Occupational Health and Safety (OHS)					76.92
B.12. Dormitories (if not applicable, go to B.13)					100.00
B.13. Environment					80.00
Total		\boxtimes			84.35

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Non-compliant	Deviations are identified in half or more of the total number of questions per chapter. One deviation in a question marked as crucial is sufficient to assess the entire chapter as non-compliant.					
Under "Grace Period"	Not Available					
Not Applicable	Requirements do not match to the company structure					
Not Rated	Only applicable for re audits; if a question was rated "+" in the previous full audit or re-audit the auditor will mark the question NR					

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In House Production Structure

Densytment Eusetien is		Number of	Number of	Shift 1		Shift 2		Shift 3	
Department	Function in production	Workers	shifts	From	То	From	То	From	То
Mgmt/General Admin	Management Staff	17	1	9:00 AM	6:00 PM				
Packing	Packing	7	1	9:00 AM	6:00 PM				
Product Development	Sample	6	1	9:00 AM	6:00 PM				
Production	Cutting	21	1	9:00 AM	6:00 PM				
Production	Sewing	177	1	9:00 AM	6:00 PM				
Production	Finishing	24	1	9:00 AM	6:00 PM				
Services	Loader & Cleaner	8	1	9:00 AM	6:00 PM				
Services	Security	10	3	6:00 AM	2:00 PM	2:00 PM	10:00 PM	10:00 PM	6:00 AM
Quality Control	Quality Assurance	32	1	9:00 AM	6:00 PM				

In House employment Structure at the time of the audit

Total number of workers :	302	302				
Male		Female				
Permanent workers	121	Permanent workers	181			
In management position	15	In management position	2			
On probation	0	On probation	0			
National migrants	0	National migrants	0			
Salaried workers	121	Salaried workers	181			
Temporary workers (odd jobbers)	0	Temporary workers (odd jobbers)	0			
Apprentices	0	Apprentices	0			
With disabilities	0	With disabilities	0			
Cross-border migrants	0	Cross-border migrants	0			
Production based workers	0	Production based workers	0			
		Pregnant	0			
		On maternity leave	1			



Outsourced structure

				Lo	cation/	Addre	SS						
Unit	Function in the chain	Contact person	Business relation -ship since	Address	City	State	Country	Distance to the company in km	Main product	Certificates and social audits (if applicable)	Number of workers	the ISMS	the audit sample
M.S Lucky Enterprise	subsupplier	Mr. Azad		178 Arambug Motijhil	Phaka	Dhaka	Banglade	±\$₽	Hang tag, label		15	No	No
V-tec Packaging Ind. Ltd.	subsupplier	Mr. Sheraj		12 Issa Khan Road	Narayan	joh jaka	Banglade	₽âh	Carton		15	No	No
Quality Accessories Ind. Ltd.	subsupplier	Mr. Biplob	2009	Fatullah	Narayan	joh jaka	Banglade	₅ħ	Sewing Thread		10	No	No
Meghna Plastic Ind. Ltd.	subsupplier	Mr. Ripon	2008	Kanchpu	Narayan	joh jaka	Banglade	₫h	Hanger		50	No	No
Banani Lace Ind. Ltd.	subsupplier	Mr. Nazim	2012	Demra	Dhaka	Dhaka	Banglade	5§h	Elastic		110	No	No
Joya Accessories Ltd.	subsupplier	Mr. Tapash	12011	B. B Road	Narayan	joh jaka	Banglade	s§h	Poly		30	No	No

Dormitories (if applicable)

No Data Available for Dormitories





Corrective Action Plan (CAP) B Tier I

Chapters and Subchapters		Crucial	Score	САР	Responsible Person	Deadline date
B.1. Management	•					udle
Practice						
B.1.6. Management Practice		10	(-) [Minus]	It was noted through floor staff interview that they are not aware about their legal rights and duties under labour legislation. (উৎপাদন কর্মীদের শ্রম আইনের অধীলে তাদের আইনগত অধিকার ও কর্তব্য সম্পর্কে সচেতন ন্য] It is recommended that management shall ensure all staffs are aware about their legal rights and benefit.	Md. Nasir Uddin - Manager (Accounts & Compliance)	30/11/2015
B.1.8. Management Practice			(-) [Minus]	It was noted through workers interview and floor tour that facility has set up complaint/suggestion boxes in the toilets but it is not fully functioning. Workers are not aware on the necessity to drop any suggestions/complain in the boxes. [কর্মীরা বাক্সে অভিযোগ / কোল পরামর্শ জ্রম করা লিয়ে সচেতল লয়] It is recommended that the facility management shall ensure a functional and transparent system that workers can complaint confidentially and get the fare feedback from the management.	Md. Nasir Uddin - Manager (Accounts & Compliance)	30/11/2015
Chapter Score			🖾 Good	Improvements Needed Non-Compliant		
Number of deviatio crucial questions	ons in		0 of 3			
Fulfillment Percenta	age		83.33%			
B.2. Documentation						
			(-) [Minus]	It was noted through document review that facility has no generator waiver certificate. Facility management already applied for the certificate on 29/03/15 but not yet received. [জেনারেটর দাবিজ্যাগ সাটিফিকেট পাওয়া যাম্নি][Bangladesh Energy Regulatory Commission act 2003 It is recommended that facility shall obtain generator waiver certificate from concern authority.	Md. Nasir Uddin - Manager (Accounts & Compliance)	31/01/2016
Chapter Score			🖾 Good	Improvements Needed Non-Compliant	1	
Number of deviatio	ons in		0 of 1			
crucial questions Fulfillment Percenta	200		83.33%			
B.3. Working Hours			03.33%			
B.3.1. Working hours			(-) [Minus]	It was noted that uniform in and out time record found in manual time card. They are not recording fraction of hours in the time card. So that the time recording system cannot be guaranteed for proper monitoring of working time. Moreover, Workers were not sign on their time recording card. [সময় রেকডি্ং সিন্টেম কাজ করার সঠিক সময় নিরীষ্ণলের জন্য নিশ্চিত করা যাবে না.] It is recommended that management shall ensure a proper time recording system which will guarantee proper monitoring and counting of the working time.	Md. Nasir Uddin - Manager (Accounts & Compliance)	30/11/2015
Chapter Score			🖾 Good	Improvements Needed Non-Compliant	1	
Number of deviatio crucial questions	ons in		0 of 3			
Fulfillment Percenta	age		80.00%			
B.7. Freedom of Association and Collective Bargaining						
B.7.5. Freedom of Association and Collective Bargaining			(-) [Minus]	It was noted through management and worker interview that factory formed the Worker Participation Committee (WPC) based on selection without any form of election. (Bangladesh Labor Law 2006, Section 205) [কারখানা কর্মী অংশগ্রহণ কমিটি (WPC) নির্বায়নের কোনো ফর্ম ঘড়া বাছাই উপর ভিত্তি করে গঠিত] It is recommended that factory shall form WPC through election process as well they have introduce them with all	Md. Nasir Uddin - Manager (Accounts & Compliance)	30/11/2015
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				than 2 questions per chapter; these questions are not marked as crucial. of the total number of questions per chapter. No deviations are found in questior	s marked as crucial	
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	ot Available					<u> </u>
Not Applicable Br	equirements	do not ma	tch to the comp	any structure		

 Not Applicable
 Requirements do not match to the company structure

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Tier I



			workers.		
Chapter Score		🛛 Good	Improvements Needed Non-Compliant		
Number of deviations in crucial questions		0 of 3			
Fulfillment Percentage		83.33%			
B.9. Working Conditions B.9.4. Working Conditions	No	(-) [Minus]	It was noted through document review that facility did not assess noise level test from concern authority. [কর্ত্পক্ষের কাছ থেকে শব্দ স্তর পরীক্ষা মূল্যামূল করা হয়লি] It is recommenced that facility shall assess noise level test from concern authority.	Md. Nasir Uddin - Manager (Accounts & Compliance)	31/12/2015
Chapter Score		Good 🛛	☐ Improvements Needed ☐ Non-Compliant	1	
Number of deviations in crucial questions		0 of 1			
Fulfillment Percentage		85.71%			
B.10. Health and Social Facilities					
B.10.1.1. First aid	No	(-) [Minus]	It was noted through first aider interview that the first aider were not adequately trained. They were found not trained what to do in case of electric shock, broken injury, faintness etc. and also they were not well trained on using of first aid kids. [গ্রাথমিক চিকিৎসক গল পর্যান্তরূপে প্রশিষ্ঠিত করা হয় লি] It is recommended that management shall ensure the first aider are properly train as well as using of first aid kids.	Md. Nasir Uddin - Manager (Accounts & Compliance)	31/10/2015
B.10.2.1. Social Facilities	No	(-) [Minus]	It was noted through drinking water test report review that the supplied water sample is contaminated with total coliforms, faecal coliforms, Escherichia coli and Pseudomonas spp. (Bangladesh Standard for Drinking Water ECR'97) [সরবরাহ করা গানি নমূলা মোট coliforms, গাদ coliforms, ইন্চেরেসিয়া coli এবং সিউডোমোনাস SPP সঙ্গে সূমিত পাওয়া গেছে] It is recommended that management shall ensure personal hygiene meet potable water as per quality standards.	Md. Nasir Uddin - Manager (Accounts & Compliance)	31/10/2015
Chapter Score		Good 🛛	Improvements Needed Non-Compliant	1	
Number of deviations in crucial questions		0 of 1			
Fulfillment Percentage		75.00%			
B.11. Occupational Health and Safety (OHS)					
B.11.2.1. Training	No	(-) [Minus]	It was noted through management interview that factory did not organize any training on fire fighting, first aid and rescue from concerned authority of Fire Services and Civil Defense Authority. (Factories Rules 1979, Chapter IV, Safety Section 52(9)). [কারখানায় আগুন সার্ভিস ও সিভিল ডিফেন্স কর্ত্পক্ষ সংশ্লিষ্ট কর্তৃপক্ষের কাছ খেকে অগ্লিনির্বাপক, ফার্ট এইড ও রেসকিউ কোলো প্রশিক্ষণ সংগঠিত করা হয়নি] It is recommended that management shall organize Fire Fighting, Rescue and first aid training from Fire Service and Civil Defense Authority.	Md. Nasir Uddin - Manager (Accounts & Compliance)	31/12/2015
B.11.2.2. Training	No	(-) [Minus]	It was noted through facility tour and worker interview that workers are not properly trained in using personal protective equipment. [শ্রমিকদের সঠিকভাবে ব্যক্তিগত প্রতিরক্ষামূলক সরआম ব্যবহার করে প্রশিক্ষণ দেওয়া হয় না] It is recommended that management shall ensure all workers are aware about the using benefit of PPE.	Md. Nasir Uddin - Manager (Accounts & Compliance)	31/10/2015
B.11.3.3. Personal Protective Equipment	No	(-) [Minus]	It was noted through facility tour that spot removing operator were not using eye protection glass. Moreover, Management did not provide ear muff for the generator room (Bangladesh Labor Law 2006, Chapter- 5, Section – 79) [স্পট অপসারণ অপারেটর চোখের সুরক্ষা চশমা ব্যবহার করা হয় লি] It is recommended that management shall ensure all workers are using and provide appropriate PPE	Md. Nasir Uddin - Manager (Accounts & Compliance)	30/11/2015

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			where applicable.		
3.11.4.3. Chemicals	No	(-) [Minus]	It was noted through facility tour that no labeling and MSDS found for diesel and Machine oil. (Bangladesh Labor Law 2006, Chapter- 5, Section – 53) [কোল লেবেল এবং MSDS ডিজেল ও মেশিল ভেল জন্য পাওয়া যায় লি] It is recommended that management shall ensure all hazards chemical are communicating through labeling and marking is done according to national and internationally recognized requirements.	Md. Nasir Uddin - Manager (Accounts & Compliance)	30/11/2015
3.11.4.4. Chemicals	No	(-) [Minus]	It was noted through facility tour that the factory did not provide secondary containment for storage the machine oil at accessories store and diesel storage in front of the maintenance room.	Md. Nasir Uddin - Manager (Accounts & Compliance)	30/11/2015
3.11.5.1. Accident and Emergency Procedures	No	(-) [Minus]	It was noted through facility tour that Height from floor to ceiling at packing section was found 8.2 feet and ceiling fan was found installed for keeping the room cool but it can be caused danger if any worker raise their hand suddenly during their working time in that section. (Bangladesh Labour Law, 2006, Section-63) [ডাইলিং এবং লমুলা অধ্যায় এ মেঝে থেকে ছাদ উচ্চতা আলুমালিক 8.2 ফুট পাওয়া যায় এবং সিলিং ফ্যাল শীতল ঘর থাকার জল্য ইলস্টল করা হয় কিন্তু কোলো কর্মী যদি তাদের কাজ সময়ে হঠাৎ তাদের হাত বাড়াতে হলে বিপদ হতে পারে] It is recommended that management shall provide safe working place for the workers.	Md. Nasir Uddin - Manager (Accounts & Compliance)	31/10/2015
3.11.6.1. Electricity	No	(-) [Minus]	It was noted through management interview and electrician personal data file review that they have no electrical approval from the concern authority of electrification board. (Electricity Rules 1937, Section – 48) [ইলেটিশিয়ান বিদ্যুতায়ন বোর্ডের কর্তৃপক্ষের কাছ থেকে কোন বৈদ্যুতিক অনুমোদন নাই] It is recommended that factory shall appointed qualified electrician for maintaining safe electrical installations.		31/10/2015
3.11.6.4. Electricity	No	(-) [Minus]	It was noted through facility tour that a) Ebonite / non flammable cover missing on the electric distribution board. (The Factories Rules, 1979, Chapter-4, Section-41) [ইলেকট্রিক ডিস্ট্রিবিউশন বের্ডে অনুশবিত এবেনিট / অ-অয়িদায় কভার] b) All False ceiling make as Corkwood. [সব মিখ্যা ছাদ সোলা দিয়ে ভৈরি করা] c) Loose and joint wiring found on the false ceiling. [মিখ্যা ছাদ এর উপর আলগা এবং যুয়া তার পাওয়া গেছে] It is recommended that management shall ensure no flammable materials with any electric line and all electrical wiring are safe.		30/11/2015
3.11.8.1. Escape Routes and Emergency Exits	No	(-) [Minus]	It was noted through facility tour that no drainage cover found infront of the dining and prayer room pathway. [ডাইনিং এবং প্রার্খনা রুমের সামনে ঢলাচলের পথে কোন নিষ্কাশন কভার পাওয়া যায়নি][Banglades labour law:2006, Chapter:06, Section:73] It is recommended that facility shall ensure all drainage are covered.	Md. Nasir Uddin - Manager (Accounts & Compliance)	30/09/2015
Chapter Score		Good	Improvements Needed Non-Compliant		·
Number of deviations in crucial questions		0 of 6			
Fulfillment Percentage		76.92%			
{ 1 } Environment			It was noted through document review and management interview that company did not		
3.13. Environment	No	(-) [Minus]	develop any mechanisms to ensure reduction of emissions, particularly CO2 emission. [কোম্পানি	Md. Nasir Uddin - Manager (Accounts & Compliance)	31/12/2015
3.13.5. Environment		[Minus]	develop any mechanisms to ensure reduction of emissions, particularly CO2 emission. [কোম্পালি লির্গমন হ্রাস নিশ্চিত করার প্রক্রিয়া গড়ে ওঠেনি, বিশেষ করে CO2	Manager (Accounts &	31/12/2015

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 Improvements Needed
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 Non-compliant
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 Under "Grace Period"
 Not Available

 Not Applicable
 Requirements do not match to the company structure

 Not Rated
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		Rules 1997] It is recommended that facility management shall develop mechanisms to ensure reduction of emissions.	
Chapter Score	🛛 Good	□ Improvements Needed □ Non-Compliant	
Number of deviations in crucial questions	0 of 0		
Fulfillment Percentage	80.00%		
		Total Audit Results for Part B Tier I	
Total Score	🗌 Good	Improvements Needed 🗌 Non-Compliant	
Total number of deviations in crucial questions	0 of 35		
Overall fulfillment percentage	84.35%		

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Part C: Audit Findings

Chapter
C.1. Policy
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C.4. Control of Subcontractors / Suppliers / Sub-suppliers
C.5. Control of Homeworkers
C.6. Compensation
C.7. Child Labour
C.8. Outside Communication
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Workers Interview Sheet

Workers Interview Sheet					
Workers	Male workers number	Female workers number	% of the total workforce		
Total	8	12	6.62		
Workers aged < 18 years interviewed	0	0	0.00		
Apprentices interviewed	0	0	0.00		
Disabled persons interviewed	0	0	0.00		
Full time workers interviewed	8	12	6.62		
Part time workers interviewed	0	0	0.00		
Seasonal workers interviewed	0	0	0.00		
Migrant workers interviewed	0	0	0.00		
Pregnant workers interviewed		0	0.00		

Interview methods used	number (how many)
Number of Individual interviews conducted	10
# of people interviewed in Group(s)	10
# of Interviews conducted on site	20
# of Interviews conducted off site	0
Was an interpreter used?	□Yes ⊠No
Language(s) used for worker interviews	Bengali

No. of interview	Essentials (If the number of rows is not enough, please add pages as needed and include with the attachments).
1	The workers (5 in a group) were satisfied with the working condition and the factory provided induction training for new workers and regular safety trainings for all workers. All interviewees confirmed that no any serious accident or injury occurred in the factory. The normal working hours were 8 hours per day, 48 hours per week. There was only one shift in the factory, they worked 8 hours per day including 2 overtime hour (9:00-1:00, 2:00-6:00), they always had one day off per six days. Interviewee told they were paid their minimum wage BDT 5300/month, the factory 200% of normal wage for their overtime wage on workdays, rest days and statutory holidays. The factory provided annual leave and statutory holidays for workers.
2	Interviewed employees (5 in a group) reported that the management did not restrict their rights to organize themselves in any way. Also reported that they were allowed to bargain collectively and there was no restriction placed on this right either. Besides, the interviewee said they could complain to their supervisors directly. The employee work from 09:00 - 6:00 for 6 days with 1 hour lunch break. The employee was happy to work at the facility. The employee stated that there was good communication between employees and management. The employee were paid at least legal minimum wage and they were paid on time.
3	As per worker's statement they are getting compensation within 07 working days along with attendance bonus, overtime payment, etc. Fire evacuation drill is initiated in every month. Orientation training is conducted during recruitment. No evidence of force labor discrimination, harassment is seen. Salary is being disbursed within seven working days. All mandatory benefit is being ensured. Working hour is as per law.
4	This worker stated that they need to have ID card, family book and birth certificate, so that they could be recruited. No deposit when hired by the factory, all the employees were required to sign two contracts, and leave one copy for themselves. All overtime work was voluntary, employees could leave the factory freely after work and also could ask for private leave freely while working.
5	They could raise the suggestions through the worker representative or suggestion box. Fire evacuation drill was conducted on this month. There was no region discrimination. There was no strike in past 2 years. The worker participate the health and safety training on machine safety and PPE usage before starting to work. Drinking water was provided free of charge. Workers could take personal break freely and resign freely. Workers could leave the factory after working hour. Right of association was not restricted.
6	Normal working hours: 09:00-01:00 and 02:00-06:00. Friday was guaranteed as the rest day. They worked overtime voluntarily and they could leave overtime arrangement with verbal informing. Wage was calculated by hourly rate, the overtime working paid rate according with statutory requirement. There was no deduction, economic compensation or withholding made from wage.
7	Free Drink water available, the use of toilet was no limited, to meet the production need overtime working at 06:00 pm-08:00 pm. One day off per week, never worked continual 7 days per week. Id card was free, all the tools were provided by factory, PPE was free, no deduction as working rules, labor contract signed and one copy kept by worker. Personal social insurance was purchased by company. Wage was paid by cash and pay slip on 07th at the next month.
8	Workers could leave the facility freely during non-working hours. Overtime hours were compensated at the rate of

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	200% normal rate of wages. Workers get their salary within 7th working day of the next following month. The factory provides casual leave, sick leave, maternity leave with benefit etc. which is in compliance with local law.
9	We never seen any worker is working in the factory whose age is less than 18 years of old. At the time of joining, the factory management takes copy of National ID Card or Birth Certificate for confirmation of age. We are never forced to work in the factory. We never seen any discrimination based on the sex, caste, religion, region, etc. Not aware how to drop complaint/suggestion through suggestion box.
10	Our regular working hour is 8 hours. Normally we need to do 02 hours overtime per day. Our weekly holiday is on Friday. We get payment on time and get pay slip while payment is being done. Different types of leave e.g. casual, sick, annual, maternity leave with benefits are being provided to us. There is no illegal deduction from their salary.
11	We have different Social Policy for us which includes prohibition of Child Labor, Forced Labor, Discrimination, Working Hour, Compensation, etc. We know our legal right e.g. entitlement of leave, weekly holiday, working hour, minimum wage etc. We get copy of appointment letter. After recruitment we need to submit copy of either National ID card/Nationality Certificate.
12	One first aider interviewed and found lack of knowledge about first aid kits and first aid treatment. All the employee getting wages as per law . The employees receives salaries on monthly basis on or before the 7th day of the following month. Interviewed employee reported that they are free to leave after their working shift also reported that there was no serious accident or untoward incident occurred in the factory since the establishment. No discrimination or sexual harassment was reported by the interviewed employees.

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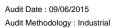
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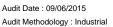








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