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Information request and DWP response

1. A copy of the current Departmental strategy or any other document which sets out what actions are to be taken at the Departmental level to combat forced labour (within the scope of the definition provided by ILO Convention 29) and/or labour exploitation in the UK

DWP does not have policy responsibility for forced labour in the UK. As such, there is no DWP strategy, or any other DWP publications on this issue.

2. Measures taken by the Department in 2012 (financial year 2012-2013) to combat forced labour and/or labour exploitation in the UK

The UK has ratified the ILO Forced Labour Convention, 1930 (C29). DWP is required to report on the UK's compliance with C29 every two years. These reports contain relevant information supplied by other government departments, as well as the devolved administrations.