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Office of the Controller Purchasing Section

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Company Name Company Address 1 Company Address 2

Greetings:

As a contractor to the City of Oakland providing insurance or financial services or a textile, tobacco, railroad, shipping, rice and/or sugar company doing business with the City, the Slavery Era Disclosure Ordinance set forth in Chapter 9.60 of the Oakland Municipal Code (https://cao-94612.s3.amazonaws.com/documents/12686-CMS.pdf) requires that each contractor complete an affidavit. Contractors must verify that they have searched through all records in the possession, control and/or knowledge of the company. Records include those of the company, its parent entities, subsidiaries and any predecessors in interest. Records of interest include those that detail the following:

- 1. Bought or sold people subjected to slavery,
- 2. Used people subjected to slavery as collateral;
- 3. Provided loans to purchase people subjected to slavery;
- 4. Insured such transactions or the people subjected to slavery during the slavery era and/or provided related or other services to aid and abet such transactions; and
- 5. The names of each slave and slaveholder described in the records and/or information shall be disclosed in the affidavit, as well as the evidence of transactions that benefited/profited from American slavery.

Schedule S is attached for your use in reporting the status of your company and is also available online at www.oaklandca.gov/documents/contracts-and-compliance-forms-and-schedules. Please complete the affidavit in its entirety and submit along with all appropriate supporting documentation and return to the City of Oakland, Finance Department Purchasing & Contracting Section, 150 Frank H. Ogawa Plaza, Suite 6223, Oakland CA 94612 within 30 days of the date of this notification.

Your attention to this request is most appreciated.