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PT MERDEKA BATTER MATERIALS Tbk

POLICY CHILD LABOR PROTECTION MBM-POL-IR-02-00

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PROTECTION****1. GENERAL**

Policy regarding the Protection of Child Labor is developed, implemented, and managed for the benefit of PT Merdeka Battery Materials Tbk and its subsidiaries regarding the protection of Child Labor. Considering that the Company's business activities are at a very high level of risk, the Company only employs children in all business activities if it fulfills the requirements stipulated in the applicable Laws and Regulations.

Suppose, in the course of implementation, non-conformities are found that are not covered in this document and are considered important for one reason or another. In that case, the non-conformities will be further reviewed, and if they are to continue to be applied, they will be made into an addendum to this policy.

And suppose there is a difference in interpretation between this policy's Indonesian and English versions. In that case, the Indonesian version is the prevailing version. It will be used, and in the event of a request for discretion on implementing this policy, it must obtain prior approval from the President Director.

2. PURPOSE

The purpose of this policy is to guide the management of child labor by the prevailing Laws and Regulations.

3. SCOPE

This policy applies to all Employee at PT Merdeka Battery Materials Tbk and its subsidiaries.

4. RESPONSIBILITY**4.1 Top Management**


The Top Management must approve and sign all quality management system documents, including Company Policies, Procedures, Work Instructions, Forms, and other documents.

4.2 Management Representative

The HR department must cooperate with other departments to prepare and revise all documents, including Company Policies, Procedures, Work Instructions, Forms, and other documents.

4.3 Department Head or Department Manager

The Department Head or Department Manager must review the relevant documented information and ensure that subordinate staff are aware of any changes or updates to the document.

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5. GENERAL POLICY

5.1 Definition

1. The Company is PT Merdeka Battery Materials Tbk or its subsidiaries.
2. Employees are people who are at least 18 (eighteen) years old and work at PT Merdeka Battery Materials Tbk or its subsidiaries.
3. A child is a person/child under 18 (eighteen) years old. The Company sets the minimum age of Employee at 18 (eighteen) years old, so the age referred to in this policy is persons/Children under 18 (eighteen) years old.
4. The worst jobs, according to the prevailing Laws and Regulations, include:
 - a. Any work in the form of slavery or the like;
 - b. Any work that uses, provides, or offers children for prostitution, the production of pornography, pornographic performances, or gambling;
 - c. All work that utilizes, provides, or involves children for the production and trade of liquor, narcotics, psychotropic substances, and other addictive substances; and/or
 - d. Any work that endangers children's health, safety, or morals.

5.2 General Standard

1. The Company realizes that employing children can interfere with education, and endanger these children's development and physical, mental and social health.
2. Protection of Child Labor is meant in this policy as a prohibition on employing minors, especially children, in the worst jobs according to the prevailing Laws and Regulations.
3. The Company is committed and responsible for not employing children based on applicable laws and regulations and international labor standards, specifically The International Labor Organization Declaration on Fundamental Principles and Rights at Work and The Core International Labor Conventions.

5.3 Child Labor Protection

In principle, considering that the Company's business activities are very high-risk, the Company avoids employing child labor in all business activities.

5.4 Children in the Course of Education or Training

1. Exceptions to the prohibition on Child Labor can be made to Children at least 14 (fourteen) years old in the context of education or training in the workplace, which is part of the education or training curriculum authorized by the competent authority.
2. Work as referred to in point 5.4 number 1 above can be carried out with the following conditions:

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- a. Given clear instructions on how to carry out the work as well as guidance and supervision in carrying out the work; and
- b. Provided with occupational safety and health protection