# SMETA Corrective Action Plan Report (CAPR)

Version 5.0 Dec 2014, 2/4 Pillar Audit; replaces version 4.0 May 2012

Supplier name:	Triggered Emotions B.V.				
Site country:	China				
Site name:	Shenzhen Hesheng Greeting Cards Co., Ltd				
Parent Company name (of the site):	Nil				
SMETA Audit Type:	□ 2-Pillar	4-Pillar			
Date of Audit	25 May 2017	**			

## Audit Content:

- (1) A SMETA audit was conducted which included some or all of Labour Standards, Health and Safety, Environment and Business ethics. The SMETA Best Practice Guidance Version 5 December 2015 was applied. The scope of workers included all types at the site e.g. direct employees, agency workers, workers employed by service providers, and workers provided by other contractors. Any deviations from the SMETA Methodology are stated (with reasons for deviation) in the SMETA Declaration.
- (2) The audit scope was against the following reference documents: Please check appropriate SMETA Audit Type in the above box: 2-Pillar SMETA Audit
  - ETI Base Code
  - SMETA Additions
    - Management systems and code implementation,
    - Entitlement to Work and Immigration,
    - Sub-Contracting and Home working

# 4-Pillar SMETA Audit

- 2-Pillar requirements plus
- Additional Pillar assessment of Environment.
- Additional Pillar assessment of Business Ethics

The new ETI Working Hours Clause

Now integrated into this latest SMETA version.

Where appropriate non-compliances were raised against the ETI code / SMETA Additions and local law and recorded as non-compliances on both the audit report, CAPR and on Sedex.





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Audit Company Name: SGS -CSTC Standards Technical Services Co., Ltd.	Report Owner (payee): Triggered Emotions B.V.	
Sedex Company Reference: (only available on Sedex System)	ZC: Not provided by the factory.	
Sedex Site Reference: (only available on Sedex System)	ZS: Not provided by the factory.	- 0

		Audit Conducted By		
Commercial	×	Purchaser		
NGO		Retailer		
Trade Union		Brand Owner		
Multi-stakeholder		Combined Audit (sele	ect all that apply)	

Auditor Reference Number: (If applicable)	Nil
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# **Audit Details**

	Audit Details				
A: Report #:	SASCN17380979				
B: Time in and time out (SMETA BPG recommends 9.00-17.00 hrs. if any different please state why in the SMETA declaration)	Day 1 Time in: 9:05 am Day 1 Time out: 17:05pm	Day 2 Time in: N/A Day 2 Time out: N/A	Day 3 Time in: N/A Day 3 Time out: N/A		
C: Number of Auditor Days Used: (number of auditor x number of days)	1(One auditor in on	e day)			
D: Audit type:	Full Initial Periodic Full Follow-up Partial Follow-U Partial Other - D				
E: Was the audit announced?	Announced Semi – announced Unannounced	ed: Window detail: wee	ks		
F: Was the Sedex SAQ available for review?	☐ Yes ☑ No				
If No, why not? (Examples would be, site has not completed SAQ, site has not been asked to complete the SAQ.)		ory was not asked to comp thered by the audit compar			
G; Any conflicting information SAQ/Pre- Audit Info to Audit findings?	☐ Yes ☑ No If Yes, please captu	ure detail in appropriate au	dit by clause		
H: Auditor name(s) and role(s):	Ms. Hailey Chen(Le	eader Auditor)			
I: Report written by:	Ms. Hailey Chen				
J: Report reviewed by:	Ms. Pedalo Liu				
K: Report issue date:					
L: Supplier name:	Triggered Emotions	B,V.			
M: Site name:	Shenzhen Hesheng Greefing Cards Co., Ltd 深圳市台盛賀卡制品有限公司				
N: Site country:	China				
O: Site contact and job title:	Mr. Li Kaiguo/ Facto	ory Manager			





P: Site address: (Please include full address)	2F &3F, D8 Building, Daweishahe Industrial Park, Jiangshi community, Gongming Street, Guangming district, Shenzhen City, Guangdong Province, China 中国广东省深圳市先明新区公明街道将石社区大限沙河工业区 D8 栋二楼三楼				
Site phone:	0755-61135181				
Site fax:	0755-61137039				
Site e-mail:	likaiguo@shinylt	td.com			
Q: Applicable business and other legally required licence numbers: for example, business license no, and liability insurance	- woontead neuron	Business license number: 91440300063899674E Issue of Date: 26 Nov. 2015, No effective period.			
R: Products/Activities at site, for example, garment manufacture, electricals, toys, grower	Greeting cards,	video brochure			
S: Audit results reviewed with site management?	Yes				
T: Who signed and agreed CAPR (Name and job title)	Mr. Li Kaiguo/ Factory Manager				
U: Did the person who signed the CAPR have authority to implement changes?	Yes				
V: Present at dosing meeting (Please state name and position, including any workers/union reps/worker reps):		Finance Staff fanaging Director g/ Worker represe	ntative		
W: What form of worker representation / union is there on site?	Union (name)  Worker Committee Other (specify) None				
X: Are any workers covered by Collective Bargaining Agreement (CBA)	☐ Yes ☑ No				
Y: Previous audit date:	1 Dec. 2015	850	65 65		
Z: Previous audit type:		SMETA 2-pillar	SMETA 4-pillar	Other	
	Full Initial	⊠			
	Periodic				
	Full Follow-Up Audit				



Partial Follow- Up			
Partial Other*			
"If other, please	define: NA	18	144



## Guidance:

The Corrective Action Plan Report summarises the site audit findings and a corrective, and preventative action plan that both the auditor and the site manager believe is reasonable to ensure conformity with the ETI Base Code, Local Laws and additional audited requirements. After the initial audit, the form is used to re-record actions taken and to categorise the status of the non-compliances.

N.B. observations and good practice examples should be pointed out at the closing meeting as well as discussing non-compliances and corrective actions.

To ensure that good practice examples are highlighted to the supplier and to give a more 'balanced' audit a section to record these has been provided on the CAPR document (see following pages) which will remain with the supplier. They will be further confirmed on receipt of the audit report.

## Root cause (see column 4)

Note: it is not mandatory to complete this column at this time.

Root cause refers to the specific procedure or lack of procedure which caused the issue to arise. Before a corrective action can sustainably rectify the situation it is important to find out the real cause of the noncompliance and whether a system change is necessary to ensure the issue will not arise again in the future.

See SMETA BPG Chapter 7 'Audit Execution' for more explanation of "root cause".

### Next Steps

- The site shall request, via Sedex, that the audit body upload the audit report, non-compliances, observations and good examples. If you have not already received instructions on how to do this then please visit the web site <a href="https://www.sedexglobal.com">www.sedexglobal.com</a>.
- 2. Sites shall action its non-compliances and document its progress via Sedex.
- Once the site has effectively progressed through its actions then it shall request via Sedex that the audit body verify its actions. Please visit <u>www.sedexglobal.com</u> web site for information on how to do this.
- The audit body shall verify corrective actions taken by the site by either a "Desk-Top" review process via Sedex or by Follow-up Audit (see point 5).
- 5. Some non-compliances that cannot be closed off by "Desk-Top" review may need to be closed off via a "1 Day Follow Up Audit" charged at normal fee rates. If this is the case then the site will be notified after its submission of documentary evidence relating to that non-compliance. Any follow-up audit must take place within twelve months of the initial audit and the information from the initial audit must be available for sign off of corrective action.
- For changes to wages and hours to be correctly verified it will normally require a follow up site visit. Auditors will generally require to see a minimum of two months wages and hours records, showing new rates in order to confirm changes (note some clients may ask for a longer period, if in doubt please check with the client).

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# **Corrective Action Plan**

			Correct	ive Action Plan - nor	-complianc	es			
Non-Compliance Number The reterence number of the non- compliance from the Audit Report, for example, Discrimination No.7	New or Carried Over Is this a new non-compliance identified at the follow-up or ane carried over (C) that is still outstanding	Details of Non- Compliance Details of Non-Compliance	Root cause (completed by the site)	Preventative and Corrective Actions Details of actions to be taken to clear non-compliance, and the system change to prevent re-occurrence (agreed between site and auditor)	Timescale (limmediate, 30, 60, 90, 180,365)	Verification Method Desktop/ Follow-Up [D/F]	Agreed by Management and Name of Responsible Person: Note if management agree to the non- compliance, and document name of responsible person	Verification Evidence and Comments Details on corrective action evidence	Status Open/Closed or comment
0. Management systems and code implementation NC1 SMETA Additional element 0.1	New	上次审核日期为2015 年12月1日。对于 上次审核发现的问题 点(职业病体检), 工厂没有改善。		工厂应改善所有问 題点。	90 days	Follow up			Open
3. Safety and Hygienic Conditions No.1 ETI Code 3.1 Local law	Carried over	工厂没有安排职业病 体检给两名打胶的工 人。		工厂应安排职业病 体检给所有接触职 业危害的工人。	90 days	Desktop			Open

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3. Safety and Hygienic Conditions No.2	New	工厂没有提供活性炭 口罩给打胶工人。	工厂应提伊 舉给工人。	活性炭 30 days	Desktop		Open
ETI Code 3.1 Local law		24 22		9			\$6. 85°
备注	工厂共有两 需求。	条装配包装生产线,审核期间	仅开了一条(音乐贺卡生)	产线).工厂管理层:	表示另外一条未开的	生产线为视频贺卡生产线,	目前没有相关生产

Corrective Action Plan – Observations						
Observation Number The reference number of the observation from the Audit Report, for example, Discrimination No. 7	New or Carried Over Is this a new observation identified at the follow-up or one carried over (C) that is sill southernoon of the contract over (C) that is sill southernoon of the contract over (C) that is sill southernoon of the contract over (C) that is sill southernoon over (C) that is sill southernoon over (C) that is sill southernoon over (C) that is sill so the contract over (C) that is sill so the contract over (C) that is sill so that	Details of Observation Details of Observation	Root cause (completed by the site)	Any improvement actions discussed (Not uploaded on to SEDEX)		
Nil						

Good examples			
Good example Number The reference	Details of good example noted	Any relevant Evidence and Comments	

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number of the non- compliance from the Audit Report, for example, Discrimination No.7	
Nil	

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# Confirmation

	ave been discussed with and understood by you: (site management) ate the name of the signatory in applicable boxes, as indicating the signature.
A: Site Representative Signature:	Title
	Date 25 May 2017
B: Auditor Signature:	Title
	Date 25 May 2017
C: Please indicate below if you, the site management, dispute any of	the findings. No need to complete D-E, if no disputes.
D: I dispute the following numbered non-compliances: Nil	
E: Signed:	Title
(If <u>any</u> entry in box D, please complete a signature on this line)	Date 25 May 2017
F: Any other site Comments: Nil	·





# Guidance on Root Cause

## **Explanation of the Root Cause Column**

If a non-compliance is to be rectified by a corrective action which will also prevent the non-compliance re-occurring, it is necessary to consider whether a system change is required.

Understanding the root cause of the non-compliance is essential if a site is to prevent the issue reoccurring.

The root cause refers to the specific activity/ procedure or lack of activity /procedure which caused the non-compliance to arise. Before a corrective action can rectify the situation it is important to find out the real cause of the non-compliance and whether a system change is necessary to ensure the issue will not arise again in the future.

Since this is a new addition, it is not a mandatory requirement to complete this column at this time. We hope to encourage auditors and sites to think about Root Causes and where they are able to agree, this column may be used to describe their discussion.

## Some examples of finding a "root cause"

#### Example

Where excessive hours have been noted the real reason for these needs to be understood, whether due to production planning, bottle necks in the operation, insufficient training of operators, delays in receiving trims, etc.

#### Example 2

A non-compliance may be found where workers are not using PPE that has been provided to them. This could be the result of insufficient training for workers to understand the need for its use; a lack of follow-up by supervisors aligned to a proper set of factory rules or the fact that workers feel their productivity (and thus potential earnings) is affected by use of items such as metal gloves.

### Example 3

A site uses fines to control unacceptable behaviour of workers.

International standards (and often local laws) may require that workers should not be fined for disciplinary reasons.

It may be difficult to stop fines immediately as the site rules may have been in place for some time, but to prevent the non-compliance re- occurring it will be necessary to make a system change.

The symptom is fines, but the root cause is a management system which may break the law. To prevent the problem re-occurring it will be necessary to make a system change for example the site could consider a system which rewards for good behaviour

Only by understanding the underlying cause can effective corrective actions be taken to ensure continuous compliance.

The site is encouraged to complete this section so as to indicate their understanding of the issues raised and the actions to be taken.

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Click here for B members: http://www.surveymankey.com/s.aspx?sm=d3yYsCe48fre69DRgfY\_2brg\_3d\_3d



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