**Marsh Awards for Outstanding Contribution to the Fight Against Slavery**

To be presented at the Human Trafficking Foundation’s Anti-Slavery Day Awards Online Ceremony 18th October

**Nomination Form**

The Human Trafficking Foundation holds an annual Awards Ceremony to mark Anti-Slavery Day, supported by the Marsh Awards Trust. We recognise the work of groups or individuals who fight Modern Slavery and Human Trafficking in the UK and internationally. There are four awards to recognise exemplary work which has a significant impact on the fight against modern slavery. We welcome nominations from voluntary, public and private sectors.

This year there are four award categories:

1. Reducing Vulnerabilities (Advocacy Award)

This category recognises those working to achieve systemic change to reduce the prevalence of trafficking or improving outcomes for survivors’ rights and entitlements on a long-term basis. Examples of work within this category could include campaigns to support individuals to access their rights or work for rights-based policy change.

1. Rebuilding Lives (Frontline Award)

This category recognises those in the sector working to enhance support for survivors. It considers work that takes a holistic approach to addressing individual needs and helps survivors rebuild their lives and strengthen resilience. Examples of this work could include support and work programmes.

1. Empowering Survivor Voices

This category recognises the truly remarkable impact of survivor leaders’ voices who have shaped the agenda in the sector and empowered others to do the same. This award also celebrates those in the sector whose work is consistently informed by the lived experienced of survivors.

1. Statutory Services Award

This category recognises the outstanding contribution of statutory services who have gone above and beyond their legal duties to respond to modern slavery. Examples of work within this category could be an individual who has championed modern slavery or an organisation who has embedded a systems change approach.

All nominations will be judged, where relevant by the sector on the additional following criteria:

* Working in Partnership/Collaboration
* Working to improve long-term outcomes for survivors
* Innovation and or demonstration of why this approach works well.
* Going beyond what is expected

All nominations will be published on our website and anyone fighting to end modern slavery can vote for the winner using our online voting page. Each award winner will receive a grant of £1000.

*Please set out the reasons for your nomination with reference to the relevant criteria on the form and do not assume prior knowledge of the work. We do not encourage, and no additional points will be awarded, for multiple nominations of the same nominee.*

**Who can be nominated?** – any individual, organisation or group based in the UK who has made a significant contribution to preventing or addressing Modern Slavery. Nominations of public officials are welcomed. We are not accepting self-nominations.

**To make a nomination:**

* Complete the information requested below and send it by e-mail to jasmine@humantraffickingfoundation.org. The total nomination form should not exceed 6 pages.

**Deadline for submissions: 24th August 2021.**

1. **Person making nomination and their organisation**
2. **Person/ organisation group being nominated**
3. **Nomination Category**
4. **What contribution has the Nominee made to fighting Modern Slavery?**
5. **Nominator’s experience/ knowledge of the Nominee’s work.**