## **Business and Trade Committee**

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Dame Julia Hoggett DBE Chief Executive Officer London Stock Exchange [By email]

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Dear Dame Julia,

## **Make Work Pay: Employment Rights Bill – evidence to Committee inquiry**

I write following the most recent oral evidence session of the Business and Trade Committee in which we heard from Yinan Zhu, EMEA General Counsel, Shein.

The Committee was profoundly concerned at the lack of candid and open answers to some extremely simple, basic questions about the integrity of Shein's supply chain.

The Committee would like to draw your attention to the concerning evidence we heard, and I have therefore attached the transcript of the evidence to this letter.

In the light of this I would be grateful if you would let me know what checks, if any, the London Stock Exchange has in place to authenticate statements by firms seeking to list, with particular regard to their safeguards against the use of forced labour in their products.

Yours sincerely,

**Chair of the Business and Trade Committee**