

# **Illegal Working Steering Group**

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# Illegal Working Policy

- Why is illegal working an issue for the Government, other employers and employees?
- What has the Government done to date?
- What might this group's contribution be?



# Why illegal working is an important issue

- Competitiveness
- Labour market needs
- Health and Safety
- Stability
- Responsibility
- Exploitation
- Undermines Immigration Control
- “Pull Factor”
- Impact on Services
- Revenue



# Progress to date

- Internal Review
- MISC16 - Rooker Group
- “Secure Borders, Safe Haven”
- NIA Act
- Illegal Working Steering Group



# White Paper Recommendations

- Three broad areas for action:
- strengthening present enforcement arrangements;
- facilitating effective joint working across government;
- improving business compliance.



# What can this group provide?

- Shared commitment
- Self-regulation
- Enforcement
- Codes of Practice
- Guidance
- Shared best practice
- Working together to deliver workable change



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