



## **INTRODUCTION**

### **INDUSTRY BACKGROUND**

NWF Agriculture Limited is a national supplier of dairy, beef and sheep feeds to UK farmers.

As at April 2021 the Company employed 215 with 55 holding driving positions (25.58%) and 56 employed within mill operations (26.05%). The remaining 48.37% of employees are within Management, Supervisory and Administrative roles.

There are currently 4 employees working part time of which 0 (0%) is male and 4 (1.86%) are female

This report contains the Gender Pay Gap for NWF Agriculture Limited in line with The Equality Act 2010 (Gender Pay Information) Regulations 2017.

The Company is committed to providing equal opportunities to all employees and continues to offer roles on a flexible basis; examples include part-time working, alternative working hours and term time working arrangements and compressed hours.

### **GENDER PROFILE**

The gender profile for NWF Feeds Limited at April 2021 was as follows: -

- Male 161
- Female 54
- Total number of employees 215

### **AVERAGE (MEAN) GENDER PAY REPORT**

The difference in mean (average) hourly rate pay between male and female employees is 27.26%

### **MEDIAN (MIDDLE) GENDER PAY REPORT**

The difference in median (middle) hourly pay between male and female full pay employees is 17.78%

### **BONUS PAYMENTS**

- a) The difference in mean (average) bonus pay (during the preceding 12 months) between male and female colleagues receiving a bonus was 67.79%
- b) The difference between the median (middle) bonus pay paid to males and that paid to females was 78.31%
- c) The proportions of male and female employees who received bonus pay was 27.33% male and 46.30% female

**Narrative:**

- 69 employees received a bonus payment during the preceding 12 months. 44 (63.77%) were male and 25 (36.23%) female.
- One recipient of a bonus payment was part time when the payment was made.
- QD contains the higher salaries and most senior managers therefore average bonus payments are higher.
- The difference between the middle bonus paid to males and that paid to females is £10,829.61

**PROPORTION OF MALE AND FEMALE EMPLOYEES ACCORDING TO QUARTILE PAY BANDS**

The proportions of male and female full pay employees in the lower, lower middle, upper middle and upper quartile bands were as follows:

Quartile	Female	Male
QD Upper (75 – 100%)	19.23%	80.77%
QC Upper middle (50-75%)	11.54%	88.46%
QB Lower middle (25–50%)	9.62%	90.38%
QA Lower (0-25%)	59.62%	40.38%

**Narrative:**

- Of the total full pay employees 75% were male and 25% were female.
- There are 0 females in a senior management position within band QD and 8 males.
- There are 28 middle management roles in QD of which 7 are held by females and 21 by males. This represents a 25%/75% split.
- The majority of administrative roles are within QA and QB of which 33 (94.29%) are held by females and 2 (5.71%) by males.
- The biggest pay gap between male and female is in within QB which contains almost half of Driving positions within the Company.

**Statement of Accuracy**

As Chief Executive of NWF Group plc, I hereby confirm that the above report is accurate to the best of my information, knowledge and belief.



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