Myanmar Foreign Investment Tracking Project Response from Western Union

Sector: Finance and banking

Region of HQ: USA

Western Union did not provide individual answers to our questions, but instead sent the following statement:

In response to the first question, I've attached our most recent Report on Responsible Investment in Burma, which was submitted to the State Department in July. It generally describes the nature and extent of our operations in Myanmar.

In response to the other questions in your inquiry, I have attached Western Union's Corporate Responsibility Report, which contains information about Western Union's corporate responsibility efforts globally. This document contains specific information about our non-discrimination policy on pg. 51, and specific information about human rights on pgs. 50-52. There is information on how to contact the WU Board of Directors on pg. 54. We also wanted to point out that we are a member of BSR and work closely with them on our corporate responsibility efforts. Details about other organizations we work with can be found on pg. 83.

If you have questions or would like to discuss further, I or my colleague Joy Miller from our Social Ventures/Corporate Responsibility Department, would be happy to follow up. As noted in your email, we may supplement these documents with additional details over time.