Walmart Response re. Concerns biometric harnesses may be used in warehouses to monitor workers' activity 25 November 2019

Business & Human Rights Resource Centre invited Walmart to respond to the following item:

"Warehouses are making workers wear biometric harnesses that track their movements on the job", Business Insider, 6 November 2019: <u>https://www.businessinsider.com/warehouses-make-workers-wear-biometric-harnesses-that-track-movements-2019-11?r=US&IR=T</u>

Walmart sent us the following response:

We have a very small pilot of Strongarm technology in a few of our distribution centers with the sole focus on whether the technology will help our supply chain associates work safer in our buildings. We have no plans at this time to roll the pilot out to other locations.