

Abdul Awal, executive director of the Credit Development Forum, also spoke.

The sourcing model for the garment industry is based on paying the lowest possible wages and so is fundamentally flawed. "Made in Europe is not a guarantee of better rights or wages for garment workers," Holdcroft said. A seamstress in Belarus spoke of working 0.45 euro per hour embroidering blouses for Zara for a contract that had been outsourced