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Secretary-General
United Nations
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Dear Mr. Secretary-General,

On behalf of Barloworld Limited, I hereby wish to reiterate our support to the ten principles of the United Nations Global Compact in respect to human rights, labour rights, the environment and anti-corruption. With this communication, we express our support to the advancement of these principles within our sphere of influence. We also remain committed to making the Global Compact and its principles part of the strategy, culture and day-to-day operations of our company and undertake to make a clear statement – to our employees, partners, clients and to the public – of this commitment.

We recognize that a key requirement for participation in the Global Compact is the annual submission of a Communication on Progress (COP), which I attach in this communication.

Additionally, I include the updated details of Barloworld's primary contact for the UN Global Compact below.

Sincerely yours,

Mr. Clive Thomson
CEO Barloworld Limited

Barloworld Limited's 2006 Sustainability Report may be downloaded from: http://www.barloworld.com/financials/annual2006_book/sustainability.pdf

	UN GC PRINCIPLE	Description of Practical Actions As they appear in the Barloworld Limited Annual Report 2006				Measurement of Outcomes	
		Commitments	Policies/Codes	Systems/Structures	Activities		Partnerships
HUMAN RIGHTS	Principle 1: Businesses should support and respect the protection of internationally proclaimed human rights	Pages 9-11;19-20; 25; 28; 34; 40; 66; 75/6; 78; 80/1; 84; 87	Pages: 40; 81	Pages 53/4; 59; 76	Pages 14; 19; 28; 72; 80; 83/4	Pages 14; 28; 72; 88	Pages 38; 63; 67 – 72; 76/7; 83/4; 88/9; 97
	Principle 2: Businesses should make sure that they are not complicit in human rights abuses	Pages 9-11;19-20; 25; 28; 34; 40; 66; 75/6; 78; 80/1; 84; 87	Pages 40; 81	Pages 53/4; 59; 76; 78	Pages 15; 80; 83/84	Pages 72; 88	Pages 38; 63; 67 – 72; 76/7; 83/4; 88/9; 97
LABOUR	Principle 3: Businesses should uphold the freedom of association and the effective recognition of the right to collective bargaining	Pages 25; 34; 78	Page 78	Pages 59; 78			Page 78
	Principle 4: Business should work towards the elimination of all forms of forced and	Pages 25; 34; 78; 80	Page 80	Page 59			Page 80

	compulsory labour						
	Principle 5: Business should support the effective abolition of child labour	Pages 25; 34; 78; 80	Page 80	Page 59			Page 80
	Principle 6: Business should work towards the elimination of discrimination in respect of employment and occupation	Pages 19; 20; 28; 34; 66; 78; 81	Pages 40; 78; 81	Pages 53/4; 59	Pages 14; 72; 83/4	Pages 14; 72	Pages 33; 67-72; 78; 83/4
ENVIRONMENT	Principle 7: Businesses should support a precautionary approach to environmental challenges	Pages 10; 28; 34/5; 93-96	Pages 93-96	Pages 93-96	Pages 93-96	Page 88	Pages 93-96; 98-101
	Principle 8: Business should undertake initiatives to promote greater environmental responsibility	Pages 10; 28; 34/5; 93-96	Pages 93-96	Pages 93-96	Pages 93-96	Page 88	Pages 93-96; 98-101
	Principle 9: Business should encourage the development and	Pages 10; 28; 34/5; 93-96	Pages 93-96	Pages 93-96	Pages 93-96	Page 88	Pages 93-96; 98-101

	diffusion of environmentally friendly technologies						
ANTI-CORRUPTION	Principle 10: Businesses should work against all forms of corruption, including extortion and bribery	Pages 10; 25; 64; 93	Pages 40/1; 93	Page 59		Page 88	

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