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President &
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H.E. Ban Ki-moon

Secretary-General United Nations New York, NY 10017 USA

Dear Mr. Secretary-General,

Allow me to express our continuing support for the *Global Compact* and its ten principles with respect to human rights, labour rights, the environment and anti-corruption.

I take great pride in informing you that in May 2009 we published our second *Corporate Responsibility Report*, which received an A+ ranking from the GRI. The report complies with the principles of both the GRI and the *Global Compact*. In addition, the report details our objectives for the coming two years.

Leumi was also awarded a Platinum Ranking in the "Maala" Ranking of 2010 - the Israeli Stock Exchange *CSR Index*, and achieved maximum points in the *Corporate Governance* category.

Allow me to unequivocally reiterate our commitment to ensure that The Global Compact principles remain an integral part of our strategy, culture and day-to-day operations. Clear statements to this effect have been communicated to our employees, partners, customers, and to the general public, and we have undertaken to continue to ensure same in the future.

Sincerely yours,