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H.E. António Guterres Secretary-General United Nations New York, NY 10017 USA

Dear Mr. Secretary General,

I am pleased to confirm that The Finnish Forest Industries Federation supports the ten principles of the UN Global Compact with respect to human rights, labour, environment and anti-corruption. With this commitment, we express our intent to support the Global Compact advancing these principles and will make a clear statement of this commitment to our stakeholders and the general public.

We also pledge to participate in and engage with the UN Global Compact in the following way(s):

- Support our member companies in their corporate responsibility and sustainability work
- Encourage our member companies to join the UN Global Compact
- Organize dialogue events and workshops for our member companies on the specific topics relevant to corporate sustainability in collaboration with the UN Global Compact
- Engage our member companies in collective action and partnership efforts on UN Sustainable Development Goals
- Join forces with the UN Global Compact to advocate the business case for key corporate citizenship issues to policymakers and the public
- Provide expertise and the voice of our sector to UN Global Compact work and special initiatives
- Support the development and activities of a Global Compact Local Network



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We recognize that a key requirement for participation in the Global Compact is the submission of a Communication on Engagement (COE) that describes our organization's efforts to support the implementation of the ten principles and to engage with the Global Compact. We support public accountability and transparency, and therefore commit to report on progress within two years of joining the Global Compact and every two years thereafter according to the Global Compact COE policy.

Best regards

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