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H.E Ban Ki-moon  
Secretary-General

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New York, NY 10017

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**Subject: A LETTER OF COMMITMENT**

Sir,

The Global Forum for the Defence of the less Privileged (GFDLP), a human rights organization based in Bastos, Yaounde, Cameroon supports the ten principles of the UN Global Compact with respect to human rights, labor, environment, and anti-corruption. With this commitment, we express our steadfastness to support the UN Global Compact in the improvement of these principles and a firm statement of this commitment will be made known to the general public and our stakeholders.

We also pledge to participate in, and engage with the UN Global Compact in the following ways: Take actions that support the society around us such as our current offer of five scholarships to persons with physical disabilities at the Pan-African Institute for Development in West Africa , report annually on ongoing efforts, engage locally in the promotion and protection of children's rights, women's rights, rights of persons with disabilities, rights of indigenous communities, environmental rights and rights of detainees, make sustainability the crux of our struggle and operate responsibly in alignment with universal sustainable principles.

We are aware that a primary requirement for participation in the UN Global Compact is the tendering of a Communication on Engagement (COE) that describes our organization 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 therefore according to the Global Compact COE policy.

Yours Sincerely,

  
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