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

Dear Mr. Secretary-General

We are pleased to confirm that the New York City Bar Association (the Association) supports the ten principles of the UN Global Compact with respect to human rights, labor, the environment, and anti-corruption. With this letter, the Association, along with its various committees, including its United Nations Committee, expresses its intent to support the UN Global Compact in its efforts to advance these principles within our membership and the broader legal community in the New York City area.

We will support the ten principles and engage with the UN Global Compact in variety of manners, including through the following:

- Educating the legal community on the ten principles of the UN Global Compact and how these principles can be incorporated into the work of the legal profession;
- Holding programs and Continuing Legal Education events that promote the ten principles of the UN Global Compact;
- Conducting legal research and producing written reports that support the ten principles of the UN Global Compact; and
- Engaging in advocacy efforts that promote the objectives of the UN Global Compact.

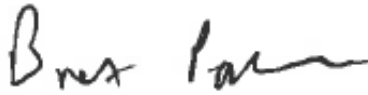
The Association recognizes that a key component of our membership in the UN Global Compact involves submitting a Communication of Engagement (COE) detailing the

About the Association

The mission of the New York City Bar Association, which was founded in 1870 and has 25,000 members, is to equip and mobilize a diverse legal profession to practice with excellence, promote reform of the law, and uphold the rule of law and access to justice in support of a fair society and the public interest in our community, our nation, and throughout the world.

Association's efforts to support the implementation of the ten principals and engage with the UN Global Compact. The Association commits to submit a COE within two years of joining the UN Global Compact and every two years thereafter.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Bret Parker". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Bret" being more legible than the last name "Parker".

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