



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

9 November 2021

Dear Mr. Secretary-General,

I am pleased to confirm that Insight Investment supports the Ten Principles of the United Nations Global Compact on human rights, labour, environment and anti-corruption.

Insight is a global asset manager headquartered in London. We manage £837bn on behalf of pension funds, insurance companies and a range of other institutional investors.¹

We intend to implement the principles and are committed to making the Compact and the principles part of our strategy, culture and day-to-day operations. I chair the Insight Responsibility Oversight Committee, which is accountable for our policies, procedures and activities relating to responsible investment on behalf of our clients. As part of our work we will engage in collaborative projects to advance the broader development goals of the United Nations, particularly the Sustainable Development Goals, which we already reflect in aspects of our investment process.

As a committed responsible investor for many years, we have long sought to reflect environmental, social and governance risks within the extensive investment research and engagement activity that we conduct with a broad range of stakeholders. The effectiveness of our governance structure and processes are regularly reviewed to ensure that we deliver meaningful outcomes and encourage continuous improvement in activities across all areas of our business.

Insight will make a clear statement of our commitment to upholding the Compact to our stakeholders and the general public through our annual responsible investment report.

We recognise the need to submit a Communication on Progress (COP) describing our efforts to implement the principles. We support public accountability and transparency, and therefore commit to report on progress within one year of joining the UN Global Compact, and annually thereafter according to the UN Global Compact COP policy. This includes:

- A statement signed by me expressing continued support for the UN Global Compact and renewing our ongoing commitment to the initiative and its principles. This is separate from our initial letter of commitment to join the UN Global Compact.
- A description of practical actions (i.e., disclosure of any relevant policies, procedures, activities) that the company has taken (or plans to undertake) to implement the UN Global Compact principles in each of the four issue areas (human rights, labour, environment, anti-corruption).

¹ As at 30 September 2021. Assets under management (AUM) are represented by the value of cash securities and other economic exposure managed for clients.

- A measurement of outcomes (i.e., the degree to which targets/performance indicators were met, or other qualitative or quantitative measurements of results).

Yours sincerely,



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