

23rd March 2022

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

Mr Secretary-General,

I am pleased to confirm that Ontic Engineering & Manufacturing UK Limited and its group companies ("Ontic") support the Ten Principles of the United Nations Global Compact on human rights, labour, environment, and anti-corruption. With this communication, we express our intent to implement and uphold those principles. We are committed to making the UN global compact and its principles part of our group strategy, culture, and day-to-day operations of our group, and to engaging in collaborative projects which advance the broader development goals of the United Nations, particularly the Sustainable Development Goals. Ontic will make a clear statement of this commitment to our stakeholders and the general public.

We recognize that a key requirement for participation in the UN Global Compact is the submission of a Communication on Progress (COP) that describes our group's annual efforts to implement the ten 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 as chief executive expressing continued support of the UN global Compact and renewing our ongoing commitment to the initiative and its principles.
- A description of practical actions (i.e., disclosure of any relevant policies, procedures, activities) that the group has taken (or plans to undertake) to implement the UN Global Compact principles in each of the four issue areas (human rights, labour, environment and anti-corruption).
- 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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