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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 British Management University in Tashkent 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 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): to promote the UN Global Compact Ten Principles and educate a variety of audiences about sustainability; to join the Principles for responsible Management Education (PRME) (application has been sent); to conduct applied research and thought leadership to advance best practices. Moreover, we have opened a Centre for Corporate Social Responsibility where we will educate local businesses to employ an ethical strategy and observe ethical principles. Furthermore, we are planning to support community service endeavours and engage in broader philanthropic initiatives to make a difference in the lives of the disadvantaged and to provide an advice to business organisations in building a diverse workforce with respect to gender, race, national origin and other aspects that different people bring to the workplace.

We recognise 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.

Sincerely yours,

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