

Subject: Application for Global Compact Network Sweden

Dear Mr. Secretary General,

I am pleased to confirm that Swedish Water House (SWH) at Stiftelsen Stockholm International Water Institute (SIWI) 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): we at SIWI are UN ECOSOC accredited, Chair of COP28 Water Pavilion Steering Committee and strategic partner to UN Global Compact, CEO Water Mandate (https://ceowatermandate.org/about/strategic-partners/). SIWI now wishes to also engage and participate in UN Global Compact Network Sweden (https://globalcompact.se/) to further strengthening the role of water in climate adaptation and mitigation elevating our commitment to convene, influence, and facilitate multi stakeholder partnerships between science, policy and practitioners towards equitable and sustainable water governance as a means to reach Agenda 2030.

At SWH/SIWI we recognize 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.

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