

7 November 2023

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

Dear Mr. Secretary-General:

We are pleased to confirm that Project Management Institute of New Zealand (“PMINZ”) supports the United Nations Global Compact's Ten Principles concerning anti-corruption, labor, human rights and the environment.

With this commitment, PMINZ expresses its intent to support the Ten Principles of the United Nations Global Compact and advance the United Nations 17 Sustainable Development Goals.

We pledge to participate and engage with the United Nations Global Compact in the following manner:

Our special interest group, PMINZ CCSAG (Climate Change and Sustainability Action Group), in collaboration with the UNGC NZ Country Office, to carry out the following activities:

1. Participate in speaking engagements and events, and provide content that supports the Ten Principles of the United Nations Global Compact, the United Nations 17 Sustainable Development Goals and aligns with PMINZ's strategic goals.
2. Raise awareness of the United Nations Global Compact to our Branches and volunteer community through our live and virtual events, national brand campaigns, partnerships, product offerings and thought leadership.
3. Engage young leaders and drive sustainability innovations by participating in United Nations Global Compact initiatives such as SDG Innovation Accelerator and PMI youth-focused programs and initiatives.
4. Generate awareness and actively participate with a diverse group of like-minded organizations (for and/or not-for-profit) to develop projects and programs aimed at delivering a societal, social, or sustainability related impact.
5. Nurture and expand PMINZ's Hours for Impact program, which will contribute to the hours of service committed to by the PMI global community to support the United Nations 17 Sustainable Development Goals by 2025.
6. Commit to aligning PMINZ's policies with the United Nations Global Compact's Ten Principles and United Nations 17 Sustainable Development Goals, including prioritizing diversity, equity, and inclusion within programs, policies, and PMINZ's Code of Ethics and Chapter Bylaws.

7. Commit to participating and supporting Global Compact Local Network activities to the best of our abilities.
8. Engage with the local UNGC office to identify and refine meaningful, reportable metrics and goals important to all stakeholders to appropriately monitor, measure, and report on our Sustainability and Social Impact performance and progress.
9. In support of the United Nations Sustainable Development Goal number 17 (Partnerships for the Goals), PMINZ has taken a collaborative approach to raise awareness of sustainability and to develop partnerships that enable the project management community to make sustainability a reality.

PMINZ recognizes that a critical requirement for participation in the United Nations Global Compact is the submission of a Communication of Engagement that describes our organization's efforts to support implementing the Ten Principles and engaging with the Global Compact.

We support transparency, as well as public accountability, and commit to reporting on any progress within two years of joining the United Nations Global Compact and every two years after that according to the Commitment of Engagement policy.

Sincerely yours,



Nicola Faithfull
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