

May 23, 2024

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

Dear Mr. Secretary General,

I am pleased to confirm that the **LEBANESE NATIONAL ENERGY** aim is to empower and engage communities across Lebanon to work towards the Sustainable Development Goals for 2030.

Our goal is to drive positive change and support national, social, and economic development in Lebanon. As a local organization, we believe that by developing Lebanon's human capital and resources, we can reverse the brain drain and create positive transformation.

During 2024, our projects will focus on supporting small-scale, high-impact initiatives that integrate the concept of human rights into the broader understanding of citizenship. Specifically, our efforts will prioritize the following areas:

1. Inclusive Governance:

- We will work towards promoting inclusivity, individuality, and diversity, advocating for the rights of all individuals.
- Our initiatives will aim to strengthen democracy, human rights, and the rule of law.

2. Gender Equality and Empowerment of Women and Girls:

- We are committed to supporting women's rights organizations and movements, providing them with the necessary resources and support.
- We will actively contribute to programs that promote gender equality and empower women and girls in all aspects of life.

By integrating these priorities into our projects, we aim to create a society that values inclusivity, respects human rights, and provides equal opportunities for all individuals, regardless of their gender or sexual orientation. Our partnership with the UNGCNL will further strengthen our efforts in achieving these goals.

Sincerely yours,

Lena (Marie-Helene) Kairouz-

President LNE





February 12th, 2023

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Dear Mr. Secretary General,

I am pleased to confirm that the **LEBANESE NATIONAL ENERGY** supports the ten principles of the UN Global Compact with respect to human rights, labor, environment, and anticorruption.

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 ways:

- Propose and implement partnerships on corporate sustainability and engage with other stakeholders.
- Engage with Global Compact Local Networks.

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.

Sincerely yours,

Ghassan El Khoury

President