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H.E. Ban Ki-moon
Secretary-General
United Nations
New York, NY 10017
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DR. HARIOLF KOTTMANN
CEO

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Dear Mr. Secretary-General,

I am pleased to confirm that Clariant AG supports the ten principles of the Global Compact with respect to human rights, labor, environment and anti-corruption. With signing the Global Compact in 2013 we have committed to making the Global Compact and its principles part of the strategy, culture and day-to-day operations of our company, and to engaging in collaborative projects which advance the broader development goals of the United Nations, particularly the Millennium Development Goals.

We recognize that a key requirement for participation in the Global Compact is the annual submission of a Communication on Progress (COP) that describes our company's efforts to implement the ten principles. With our ongoing communication via our Sustainability Report, we express our intent to transparency and advance those principles within our sphere of influence. Our latest progress against these targets is described in our Sustainability Report 2014 that was issued in March of this year.

Sincerely yours,



Dr. Hariolf Kottmann
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