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## TO MRS. LISE KINGO – EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR UN GLOBAL COMPACT

Esteemed Mrs. Kingo,

I take advantage of this opportunity, to express my congratulation on your nomination as the new UN Global Compact Executive Director .

I want also to wish you a mandate full of achievements, for the benefit of a rapid universal completion of the Millennium Development Goal and for fostering the involvement of all the sectors of civil society in promoting the awareness and realization of MDG objectives.

- 1. Regarding the Communication on Engagement (COE) it is my honor to start by reiterating the continuous commitment of Institute of International Relations and Economic Cooperation of Romania to the 10 principles of United Nations Global Compact Initiative.
- 2. Regarding the description of the practical actions in support of the UN Global Compact principles and the measurements of the outcomes in the period between August 2012 –August 2015 our Institution organized the fallowing events in the support and in connection to Global Compact Initiative
- a. Conference of Eurasia Security and Cooperation (13 November 2012) debated the proposal of establishing a conference for Europe and Asia to debate and adopt the measures necessary for creating peace, dialogue and an economic cooperation area.

The conference was organized with the support of European Council on International Relations and European Council on Tourism ad Trade.

Date: 13 November 2012

The number of participants was around 200 journalists, diplomats, and former presidents of Europe and 32.000 viewers on the two sites dedicated to the event (Bucharest Conference on OSCE- <a href="www.osce2010.webs.com">www.osce2010.webs.com</a>) (Eurasia Conference-<a href="http://eurasia-conference.webs.com">http://eurasia-conference.webs.com</a>)

b. Conference on G Global Strategy –dedicated to presenting to the public principles of combating economic crisis, ensuring development and prosperity. The conference was based on the Millennium Development Golas and UN Global Compact Initiative and subsequent G Global Initiative of President Nursultan Nazarbayev of Kazakhstan.

Date: 25 April 2015.

Participants: 300 diplomats, parliamentarians and ministers for Central and Eastern Europe.

c. Harare Conference in Zimbabwe (3 June 2014) in cooperation with European Council on Tourism ad Trade and Zimbabwe Minister of Tourism

on promoting Tourism as a tool of development and achievement of Millennium Development Goal.

Date: 3 June 2014

Participants: 300 personalities from Africa and European Union tourism and trade entities, NGO's and mass media and more than 2 million viewers on the Televisions broadcasting of the event.

d. Bucharest Conference on World Democratic Models presenting the importance of democracy and liberty as fundaments in promoting development, equilibrium and in insuring the Millennium Development Goals and UN Global Compact targets.

Date: 3 March 2015-Place Romanian Parliament

Participants: 300 members of the Romanian parliaments, diplomats accredited to Bucharest, special guests from Central Asia and Assembly of Peoples of Kazakhstan and Kazakhstan Parliament.

e. Addis Ababa Tourism Conference for 2015. The conference on development in Africa, on international support for tourism and state building in the African region was organized in cooperation with European Council on Tourism ad Trade and Minister of Culture and Tourism of Ethiopia under the Office of Prime Minister Hailemariam Desalegn

Date: 10 July 2015

Participants: 500 diplomats, parliamentarians and ministers for Africa, Ethiopia, Sudan, Somalia and Horn of Africa NGO and civil society organizations and representatives from Central and Eastern Europe.

Esteemed Mrs. Lise Kingo-UN Global Compact Executive Director,

I must reiterate our support and warm appreciation for your efforts on behalf of Global Compact Initiative and we are remaining true to our dedication in a common vision of a better world.

Your devoted,

Professor Anton Caragea PhD, MA, FINS



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