

COMMUNICATION ON ENGAGEMENT OF ORPHANS, WIDOWS AND DISABLED PERSONS ORGANISATION

We are pleased to confirm that Orphans, Widows and Disabled Persons Organisation reaffirm its support of the Ten Principles of the United Nations Global Compact in the areas of Human Rights, Labour, Environment and Anti-Corruption.

With this commitment, we express our intent to support the Global Compact advancing these principles, and to work against corruption in all its forms, including extortion and bribery, as advanced by the UN Global Compact's Tenth Principle including the newly adopted Sustainable Development Goals (SDG's) and will make a clear statement of this commitment to our stakeholders and the general public. We also pledged to participate in and engage with the UN Global Compact in the following area:

- Engage with Global Compact Local Networks
- Join and/or propose partnership projects on corporate sustainability
- Engage companies in Global Compact-related issues
- Join and/or support special initiatives and work streams
- Provide commentary to companies on Communications on Progress
- Participate in Global Compact global and local events
- Ask Government to:

- *Fully implement and enforce the tenets of the UN Convention against Corruption by strengthening anti-corruption policies, laws and enforcement mechanisms to create a level playing field and incentivize good behavior;*
- *Make a commitment to reduce corruption risks from procurement and contract processes of large-scale projects that are designed to support sustainable development;*
- *Commit to engaging in competitive and transparent procurement processes through public advertising of all Government procurement cases;*
- *Achieve greater transparency in relation to revenues received by Governments from private sector companies;*
- *Support corporate efforts to enhance anti-corruption implementation, corporate governance, innovative collective action, and public-private partnership initiatives*

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 10th principles and to engage with the Global Compact. We support public accountability and transparency, and therefore commit to report on progress within 2 years of joining the Global Compact and every 2 years thereafter according to the Global Compact COE policy.

Sincerely yours,



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President