

May 31<sup>th</sup>, 2017

Antonio Guterres  
Secretary-General  
United Nations  
New York, NY 10017  
USA

Dear Mr. Secretary-General,

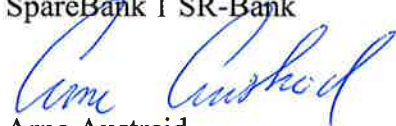
**Statement of continued support for the UN Global Compact**

SpareBank 1 SR-Bank wishes to promote sustainable development and long-term value creation through responsible business operations. Therefore we will continue to support the United Nations Global Compact.

The ten fundamental principles of the UN Global Compact in the areas of human rights, labour standards, the environment and anti-corruption play a vital role in our corporate social responsibility efforts.

A more detailed description of our performance regarding actions relating to the UN Global Compact principles in 2016 is given in our Communication on Progress (COP) and on our web page [sr-bank.no](http://sr-bank.no).

Yours sincerely  
SpareBank 1 SR-Bank



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