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

Dear Mr Secretary-General,

The International Federation of Business and Professional Women is a nongovernmental organization in consultative status with the United Nations Economic and Social Council since 1947.

I am pleased to confirm that the International Federation of Business and Professional Women – BPW International continues to support the ten principles of the UN Global Compact with respect to human rights, labor, environment, and anti-corruption. With this commitment, we express our ongoing intent to advance these principles within our sphere of influence, making clear statements of this commitment to our stakeholders and the general public.

We also pledge to continue taking part in the activities of the UN Global Compact where appropriate and feasible – and through, participation in over 100 countries in 5 continents; involvement in specialized initiatives and work streams; engagement in partnership projects; and reviewing and providing commentary to participating companies on their Communications on Progress.

Yours sincerely,

Dr Yasmin Darwich President BPW International

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