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To our Stakeholders

I am pleased to confirm that the Sustainable Development Organization reaffirms its support of the Ten Principles of the United Nations Global Compact in the areas of Human Rights, Labour, Environment and Anti-Corruption. We welcome feedback on its contents.

In this our first Communication on Engagement, we describe our actions to integrate the Global Compact and its principles into our social work. We are also committed to share this information with our stakeholders using our primary channels of communication.

Sincerely yours,



Farid Hussain (Mr.)
President and CEO
Sustainable Development Organization

COMMUNICATION ON ENGAGEMENT (COE)

Period covered by this Communication on Engagement

December, 2015—November, 2017

Mission

Sustainable Development Organization, located in the heart of India, New Delhi, established in November 2015, is a not-for-profit Registered Society with a mission to create awareness through discussions, deliberation, seminars, debates etc. regarding sustainability and environmental development study in general and awakening in particular among wide strata of society.

Its aims to promote environmental and social education among the different communities specially minorities communities through short term and medium-term training-cum-awareness programs especially in rural areas of the country and to organize relief camps for the people affected either by natural calamities like flood, earthquakes, cyclones etc or by communal violence and to work for their rehabilitation and to provide medical assistance to the affected people.

Description of actions

Sustainable Development Organization is wholly aligned with the UNGC and engaged in many activities that we hope and expect will support its flourishing. Few major activities in the last two years are as under:

- ❖ Sustainable Development Organization decided with its members and stakeholders to celebrated world awareness days including Ozone Day, Earth Day, Environmental Day etc. every year. First celebration for Ozone Day was held in Bihar. In this awareness programme, a quiz competition was held among local school students from class III to 10th standard. A large number of students took part in the competition. Villagers are also attended the programme and made it successful. Awards were also distributed for the winners. We put few point related our current education, employment and environment in front of villagers and stakeholders.
- ❖ SDO also runs a school free of cost for basic education for minority student. This school is situated at Katihar District in Bihar (India). Besides Islamic education, English, Hindi, Urdu and Arabic are being taught there. Students are being given basic education in this school. Total five well qualified teachers are teaching in the school.
- ❖ SDO has many other activities in the past two years through field work and social networking sites to support ten principles of UNGC in the areas of Human Rights,

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Labour, Environment and Anti-Corruption. SDO has a facebook page and a group to make awareness through digital resources.

We are also pleased to support the United Nation Global Compacts via a strong working relationship, participation in each other's events.

Measurement of outcomes

Our Organization got overwhelming responses from our project areas. People are willing to change their life style. They want to send their children to schools for good education. They want to teach their children a good skill so that they can earn and make beautiful their lives.

People who attended our different programmes, they showed their desire to do better and took steps for betterment of their society. Everyone are concerned about the Global Warming and everyone are protesting against corrupt authorities and want to bring laws for corrupt officers. SDO also made awareness about child labour and human rights. Now Many villagers are helping us by sending their children for education. Due to our efforts people are planting trees in surrounding of their houses.

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