



## COMMUNICATION ON ENGAGEMENT (COE)

Plan International Indonesia

**Period covered by this Communication on Engagement** [Ideally the two years prior to this report]

From: [20 April 2016] To: [20 April 2018]

### **Part I. Statement of Continued Support by the Chief Executive or Equivalent**

Please use the box below to include the statement of continued support signed by your organization's Chief Executive or equivalent.

[1 April 2018]

*To our stakeholders:*

*I am pleased to confirm that [Plan International Indonesia] reaffirms its support to the United Nations Global Compact and its Ten Principles in the areas of Human Rights, Labour, Environment and Anti-Corruption. This is our Communication on Engagement with the United Nations Global Compact. We welcome feedback on its contents.*

*In this Communication of Engagement, we describe the actions that our organization has taken to support the UN Global Compact and its Principles as suggested for an organization like ours. We also commit to sharing this information with our stakeholders using our primary channels of communication.*

*Sincerely yours,*

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "Dini Widiastuti", written over a blue rectangular stamp.



[Mrs. Dini Widiastuti]  
[Executive Director]

## Part II. Description of Actions

Please use the box below to describe the actions your organization has taken in support of the Global Compact. It is strongly recommended that the actions taken are related to one or more of the specific activities suggested. *Please refer to the complete list of suggested activities for your type of organization found here.*

Below we can find Plan International Indonesia's initiatives that have incorporated UN Global Compact principles and supported the achievement of SDGs through our engagement with various stakeholders.

### About Plan International:

Founded in 1937, Plan International is a development and humanitarian organisation that advances children's rights and equality for girls. We strive for a just world, working together with children, young people, our supporters and partners.

### Our purpose

We strive for a just world that advances children's rights and equality for girls.

We engage people and partners to:

- Empower children, young people and communities to make vital changes that tackle the root causes of discrimination against girls, exclusion and vulnerability.
- Drive change in practice and policy at local, national and global levels through our reach, experience and knowledge of the realities children face.
- Work with children and communities to prepare for and respond to crises and to overcome adversity.
- Support the safe and successful progression of children from birth to adulthood

### Engage with Global Compact Local Networks:

During this period (April 2016 to March 2018) Plan International Indonesia has participated at some activities that conducted by Indonesia Global Compact Network include:

1. Series multi stakeholders dialogue on Business and Human Rights. Walking the Talk: Promoting accountability business through advancement of UN guiding principles on business human rights (UNGPs) implementation in Indonesia. The dialogue conducted at every quarter with various topic among: result of baseline study on the Implementation of United Nations Guiding Principles on Business and Human Rights (UNGPs) in Indonesia, children's rights' business and principles (CRBP) implementation in sustainable supply chain, business and human right and responsible investment, how do stakeholders see the implementation of UNGPs in business?, etc.
2. Indonesia Global Compact Network (IGCN) forum was conducted on 12 October 2017 in Jakarta. Plan International Indonesia take part on the exhibition space and panel. We showcased of our successful project in WASH marketing in East and West Nusa Tenggara province. The project objective is to ensure community have access to improved sanitation through sanitation loan scheme, it is in line with SDG no. 6 (Ensure availability and sustainable management of water and sanitation for all). This project is a collaborative work between sanitation entrepreneurs and micro finance institution at the village level.



Furthermore, Plan International Indonesia has incorporated Global Compact principles through its work. We have projects that supports various SDG implementation such as economic empowerment, protection of women and children, gender equality, empowerment of women and girls, water and sanitation, sexual and reproductive health rights, early childhood education and disaster risk management.

### Part III. Measurement of Outcomes

Please use the box below to include the most relevant qualitative and/or quantitative indicators to measure the outcome of the activities described in Part II above.

#### ***Expertise provided by your organization to further the aims of Global Compact Local Network in your country***

Plan International Indonesia has shared some expertise to further the aims of Global Compact Local Network in Indonesia through sharing and showing in series dialogue and IGCN forum. The expertise that we shared include:

1. Our efforts to attain children's rights and equality for girls. We contribute mainly for the achievement of SDG no. 5 (achieve gender equality and empower all women and girls), 6 (clean water and sanitation), 8 (decent work and economic growth), 10 (reduce inequality within and among countries), 13 (climate action), 16 (peace, justice and strong institutions) and 17 (partnerships for the goals). As IGCN has activities that ensures youth engagement to bring fresh ideas to address development issues such as Youth Forum, Plan International Indonesia has youth advocates in Youth Coalition for Girls (YCG) that are currently working with other youth-led organisations, governments and stakeholders to ensure implementation of SDGs, particularly for goal 5: achieve gender equality and empower all women and girls. Child-centered climate change adaptation has also been the focus of Plan International Indonesia's Disaster Risk Management, which ensures promotion of greater environmental responsibility (principle 8) and usage of environmentally friendly technologies (principle 9). We are mainstreaming gender equality, protection and children's rights in all of our programming to ensure sustainability.
2. Child Centred Community Development (CCCD) is Plan's distinctive approach to working with communities to help more children and young people realize their potential. The principles of CCCD are:
  - Children at the center
  - Guided by human rights principles and standards
  - Responsibility and accountability
  - Inclusion and non-discrimination
  - Gender equality
  - Participation

The implementation of CCCD in development sectors is in line with the principle of SDGs implementation to ensure no one is left behind.

3. Project design on Water and Sanitation Hygiene (WASH) marketing in improving access of rural community to have sanitation facilities through sanitation loan scheme for contributing to SDG no. 6 (ensure availability and sustainable management of water and sanitation for all).

In the future, it will be beneficial for both Plan International Indonesia and IGCN if Plan International Indonesia participate in IGCN Working Groups such as that for business and human rights, children's rights and gender equality. One of our expertise is to provide technical expertise to integrate child rights' and gender equality principles in various works.