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## Statement of support for the United Nations Global Compact, Clas Ohlson AB (publ)

We are passionate about simplifying life in all kinds of homes, and about solving our customers' problems in a sustainable way. We integrate key sustainability issues into our strategy, business model and governance. Sustainability forms an integral and integrated part of our operations and every employee and function work with sustainability as a natural feature of all of the work that we do. Our strategy, 100 more years, entails that we will be a meaningful and trusted brand and company and we can only achieve this if we drive sustainability in all of our channels and dimensions.

We became a signatory of the UN Global Compact in 2009 and we remain firmly committed to the initiative and to continue to take action and operate responsibly in line with the ten principles in the areas of human rights, labour, the environment and anti-corruption.

Furthermore, Clas Ohlson fully supports the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) in their ambition to achieve a better and more sustainable future for all. Clas Ohlson will do its part by working strategically on its most important sustainability issues. During the financial year, we mapped the SDGs based on our areas of activity. The SDGs have been discussed among both Group Management and the Board of Directors, and we have linked our new sustainability targets to several of the SDGs.

Our Annual and Sustainability Report 2018/19 describes our achievements, progress towards our sustainability goals, and comprises our Communication of Progress.

Sincerely yours,



Lotta Lyrå,  
CEO & President

*Clas Ohlson was founded in 1918 as a mail order business in Insjön, Sweden. Today we are a retail company with customers in five markets, approximately 5,000 co-workers and annual sales of approximately 8.8 billion SEK. Our share is listed on Nasdaq Stockholm. A lot has happened since the start in 1918, but one thing has remained the same over the years; that we want to help and inspire people to improve their everyday lives by offering smart, simple, practical solutions at attractive prices. Visit [about.clasohlson.com](http://about.clasohlson.com) to read about us and our passion for simplifying life in all kinds of homes.*