

December 12, 2019

His Excellency, António Guterres Secretary-General **United Nations**

Dear Mr. Secretary-General,

Re: Communication on Engagement

The Nigerian Economic Summit Group (NESG) and the UN Global Compact have had a formal partnership through a Memorandum of Understanding since 2007. Through this collaboration, the NESG has hosted the Secretariat for the Global Compact Local Network of Nigeria since 2007 till date. In serving as the Secretariat, NESG has been advocating and implementing the 10 principles of the UN Global Compact in respect to human rights, labour, environment and anti-corruption both as an individual organisation and as part of the Local Network in Nigeria.

Further, the NESG through its research and advocacy efforts that permeates through engagements with the public and private sector, including academia and civil society is committed to the work and efforts of the UN Global Compact.

NESG through the Local Network and the UN Global Compact work together regularly being mindful of the fact that the two organisations share similar values and objectives aimed at promoting sustainability and positive impact. The Group therefore remains committed to the UN Global Compact and looks forward to continuing and enhancing the collaboration.

Kindly find attached our Communication on Engagement as part of NESG's 2018 Annual Report and Snapshot of our activities in 2019 (https://www.nesgroup.org/snapshot).

Warm regards,

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