

18 Feb. 18

## Period covered by this Communication on Engagement

From: 11 Feb. 18

To: 11 Feb. 20

To our stakeholders:

I am pleased to confirm that **"PROGRESPECT"** 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.

Furthermore, we express our intent to support the Global Compact advancing these principles, and will make a clear statement of this commitment to our stakeholders and the general public.

We also pledge to participate in and engage with the UN Global Compact in the following way(s):

- 1. We closely work with corporate/corporate social responsibility entities and we develop partnerships through a multi stakeholder approaches;
- 2. We support UN Global Compact business participants wherever we involve;
- 3. We closely work with local, regional and global networks;
- 4. We provide our efforts to prevent corruption and protection of human rights.

We recognize that a key requirement for participation in the Global Compact is the submission of a Communication on Engagement (COE) that describes our organization's efforts to support the implementation of the ten principles and to engage with the Global Compact. We support public accountability and transparency, and therefore commit to report on progress within two years of joining the Global Compact and every two years thereafter according to the Global Compact COE policy.

Sincerely yours,

Dr. Sriram Kannekanti, Executive Director

