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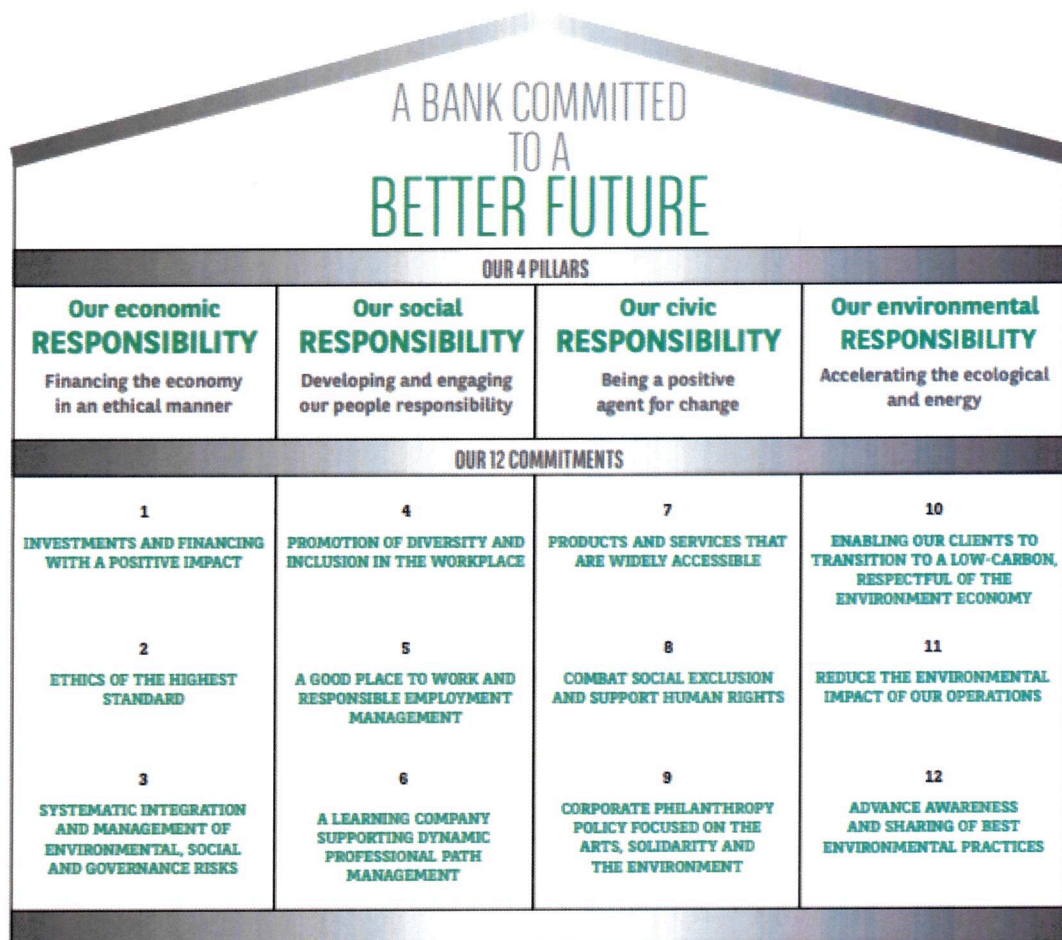
Statement of continued support for the United Nations Global Compact

The BNP Paribas Group joined the United Nations Global Compact in 2003 and has since continuously promoted the principles evoked within its framework.

As our [2019 Universal Registration Document](#) (chapter 7) shows, criteria for social and environmental responsibility are integrated in all aspects of our business.

It is thus with firm conviction that our Group hereby renews its support for the Global Compact.

BNP Paribas is committed to a long-term financing for the economy. As such, its CSR policy has been built on four pillars, with 12 commitments.





In September 2017, BNP Paribas decided to reach a new milestone in terms of social and environmental engagement. In line with its 2020 strategy, the Group created a Company Engagement department, directly represented on the Group's Executive Committee. This department works with all BNP Paribas' business lines, in order to define and implement the company's engagement strategy relating to key fields for the future of our society: economic development, the environment and energy transition; social inclusion and regional development; diversity and respect of human rights... This ambition is formalized in the Group's [2020 Engagement Manifesto](#).

BNP Paribas is committed to be a responsible bank, making a constant and comprehensive effort to include the CSR perspective in all its internal and external processes.

The Group shows a particular dedication to the fight against money laundering, the financing of terrorism, and corruption. This initiative is rooted in BNP Paribas' core values and [Code of conduct](#) (revised in 2018 with an addendum on anti-corruption practices). It applies to our business relations, regardless of the nature of the operation effected with respect to the client, whether in finance or investment. In the same manner, rules governing supplier relations as well as an ethical code for staff behavior are precisely defined.

Since 2010, BNP Paribas developed strong processes to control the impact of financial products and services on society, notably thanks to the integration of ESG criteria in the financing and investment decisions. In 2018, BNP Paribas published its [Responsible Business Principles](#), stating its ambition to work with companies that share the same environmental and social standards as the Group. It is with this same commitment and spirit of collaboration that the Group approaches all CSR-related challenges, and that I will exercise my mandate of President of the think tank *Entreprises pour l'Environnement*, that began in May 2019.

Furthermore, in the wake of its participation in the development of the [United Nations Principles for Responsible Banking](#) in 2018, BNP Paribas was among the 130 banks from 49 countries that committed to these Principles when they were launched in September 2019. Through them, BNP Paribas acknowledges the central role of banks in achieving the SDGs and the climate targets set in the Paris Agreement, and commits to align its practices with these major targets.

In addition to be a signatory of the Women Empowerment Principles, BNP Paribas is also an active member of the Global Compact in France (Club Advanced); the Group is pleased to be among the French companies having committed to the voluntary application of the principles.


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