

H.E. António Guterres
Secretary-General
United Nations
New York, NY 10017
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Mr. Secretary-General,

I am pleased to confirm that Nouryon continues to support the United Nations (UN) Global Compact and its ten principles in each of the four areas – human rights, labor, environment, and anti-corruption.

At Nouryon, sustainability is about long-term thinking and achieving growth. We do this by:

- continuously improving our safety and environmental performance,
- growing and innovating our essential solutions that help our customers be more sustainable, and
- engaging and partnering with our employees, customers, suppliers and society to drive sustainable progress.

We support public accountability and transparency and continue to report on our progress. In our recently published 2021 Sustainability Report, we discuss our support for all 17 of the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) and highlight ten SDGs that we believe our Company and sustainable solutions contribute to the most.

Last year, we achieved record breaking annual people and process safety performance, and we made ambitious commitments to reduce carbon emissions. This includes new 2030 targets to reduce absolute greenhouse gas emissions (Scopes 1 & 2) by 40%, total waste intensity by 10%, and water consumption intensity by 10%, versus a 2019 baseline. By 2050, we aspire to be a net zero organization. We transparently reported progress and will continue to measure outcomes against these and other targets.

I invite you to read more about all the progress we are making in our report as we advance toward net-zero.

Sincerely,



Charlie Shaver
Chairman and CEO