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UN Global Compact

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With this letter the Global Public Policy Institute (GPPi), an independent non-profit think tank in Berlin, Germany, expresses its continued support for the United Nations Global Compact and renews its ongoing commitment to the initiative and its ten principles.

Since our membership in January 2012, we have continued to take actions to engage with the Global Compact initiative and to support the principles. In line with the Global Compact recommendations as well as our own mission of improving global governance, we have conducted applied research, consulting activities and dialogue programs which address the Sustainable Development Goals generally, as well as targets specifically, for example with respect to SDGs 1, 9, 11, 13, 16 and 17. Further, our work is generally in support of the Principles of the Global Compact, particularly our efforts in the areas of human rights.

Within our organization, we also promote values such as an equal opportunity environment, gender equality, transparency and accountability and we also promote these values vis-à-vis our funders and partners. We have codified these, and other, efforts into official institutional policies on anti-corruption, partner due diligence to ensure compliance with our own values and standards, whistleblowing, anti-harassment, safeguarding and environment & sustainability.

We look forward to continuing our support of the Principles of the Global Compact in the years to come.

Yours sincerely,

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