

COMMUNICATION ON ENGAGEMENT {COE}

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: {2021-08-21}

Statement of continued support by the Human Rights and Grassroots Development Society HRGDS

2022-12-06

To our Stakeholders:

I am pleased to confirm that Human Rights and Grassroots Development Society HRGDS reaffirms its support to the United Nation Global Compact and its Ten principles in the areas of Human Rights, Labour, Good Governance, Security and Anti-Corruption. This is our Communication on Engagement with the United Nations Global Compact. We welcome feedback on its contents

In this Communication on Engagement, we described the actions that our organization has undertaken to support the UN Global Compact and its principles as suggested for an organization like ours. We also commit to sharing information with our stakeholders using our primary channels of communication

Sincerely yours,

For: Human Rights and Grassroots Development Society HRGDS



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Executive Director

Communication on Engagement

Actions Taken

The following actions were undertaken in the quest to advance the Ten principles of the United Nations Global Compact, particularly in the areas of Human Rights, Peace, Labour, Good Governance, Security and Anti-Corruption

Human Rights Education and Advocacy

The Human Rights and Grassroots Development Society HRGDS sensitized Grassroots Stakeholders on the ideals of Human Rights and the inevitable roles of Human Rights protection for peaceful coexistence among the people and the corporate world.

Date of Action: 27/11/2019

Participants: Civil Rights advocates, Security agencies, Labour Unions, Students, Marketmen & women, Community leaders, Artisans, Faith-based organization leaders, Media and corporate bodies

Theme: Promoting Human Rights for Peaceful Coexistence

Objectives and Achievements

It aimed at fostering Sustainable peace and the Protection of Human Rights for All. The need for all stakeholders to eschew violence was emphasized and collective commitment toward sustainable peace was made by all critical stakeholders in attendance.

COVID -19 AWARENESS AND PALLIATIVE DISTRIBUTION

The Human Rights and Grassroots Development Society HRGDS embarked on Covid-19 awareness across Fifteen (15) selected Local governments out of the Twenty (20) in Ogun State, Nigeria, distributed Food stuff as palliatives to alleviate the

sufferings of the vulnerable during the lockdown, and over Four thousand Five Hundred (4,500) Face masks were manufactured and distributed across market and communities.

It was a Three (3) Week project that commenced in March 2020 to April, 2020 during the window opportunities allowed by the Federal and State Governments.

Methodology adopted

Women, Youths, Community leaders, and the Area Community Development Committee organ which comprises a conglomeration of grassroots leaders were assembled under a social distancing protocol observation at different locations and over Eight Hundred and Fifty (850) received Food palliatives and Face masks

Advocacy for Public Accountability and Transparency

The Human Rights and Grassroots Development Society HRGDS has continuously been engaging public officeholders on the need to promote accountability in governance and run open governance, we embarked on advocacy visits to relevant stakeholders and organizations on the need to partner in the fight against corruption.