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# Communication on Engagement (COE) to the Global Compact

The United Nations Association of Sweden (UNA-Sweden) has been a Global Compact participant since 2010. UNA Sweden fully supports the UN Global Compact and the ten principles of UN Global Compact regarding human rights, labour, environment and anti-corruption.

**UNA-Sweden is undergoing organizational changes due to reduced financial opportunities. For that reason this COE, which was intended to be sent in in 2023, was delayed until now. We apologize for this inconvenience.**

UNA Sweden is a non-governmental organization who serves as an umbrella organization consisting of 4 446 individual members (January 1<sup>st</sup> 2024) and 65 national member organizations. Our work is based on the three pillars of the United Nations, working for peace, security and disarmament; promoting sustainable development and working to end poverty; securing human rights and democracy.

## For a better world

We communicate our opinions to the public and engage in a continuous dialogue with the government, the Parliament and other state authorities. We actively participate in the debate about the future of the UN and work for a better and stronger UN.

## Sustainability – the SDG's

UNA Sweden is promoting sustainable development and work actively with the 17 global Sustainable Goals (Agenda 2030), both nationally and internationally.

## Collaboration with the private sector

UNA Sweden has always had partners and different collaborations with the corporate sector in terms of supporting our work and projects. For instance we have engaged companies in support of our fundraising campaign for UNFPA.

**UNA-Sweden will continue to support the UN Global Compact and its ten principles.**

UNA-Sweden remains supportive of the ten principles of the UN Global Compact.

In 2023 and 2024 we've also engaged with the UN Global Compact Network in Sweden by presenting our work to their staff and offering them a platform to connect to other UN entities in Sweden ("the UN family").

For more information on the work of UNA-Sweden in 2023 please see our annual report at: [fn.se/wp-content/uploads/2024/05/3C-Arsredovisning-2023.pdf](https://fn.se/wp-content/uploads/2024/05/3C-Arsredovisning-2023.pdf) (Swedish only, I'm afraid).

On behalf of the United Nations Association of Sweden,



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