



Creating an Inclusive Society for the Deaf!

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**Re: Requirements of the Commitment**

Reach Out Interpretation Services Uganda (ROIS) supports the ten principles of the UN Global Compact with respect to human rights, labour, environment and anti-corruption. With this commitment, we express our intent to support the Global Compact advancing these principles, and will make a clear statement of this commitment to our stakeholders and the general public.

We also pledge to participate in and engage with UN Global Compact in the following ways(s):

- Operate responsibly, in alignment with universal sustainability principles.
- Take actions that support the society around ROIS.
- Commit to the effort from ROIS's highest level, pushing sustainability deep into ROIS's DNA.
- Report annually on ROIS's ongoing efforts.
- Engage locally where we have a presence.

We recognise that a key requirement for participation in the Global Compact is the submission of a Communication on Engagement (COE) that describes our organisation's efforts to support the implementation of the ten principles and to engage with the Global Compact. We support public accountability and transparency, and therefore commit to report on progress within two years of joining the Global Compact and every two years thereafter according to the Global Compact COE policy.

Yours sincerely,

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Director

