



March 14, 2017

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

Dear Mr. Secretary-General

I am pleased to confirm that American K-9 Detection Services, LLC (AMK9) supports the Ten Principles of the United Nations Global Compact on human rights, labor, environment and anti-corruption. With this communication, we express our intent to implement those principles. We are committed to making the UN Global Compact and its principles part of the strategy, culture, and day-to-day operations of our company, and to engaging in collaborative projects which advance the broader development goals of the United Nations, particularly the Sustainable Development Goals. AMK9 will make a clear statement of this commitment to our stakeholders and the general public.

We recognize that a key requirement for participation in the UN Global Compact is the annual submission of a Communication on Progress (COP) that describes our company's efforts to implement the Ten Principles. We support public accountability and transparency, and therefore commit to report on progress within *one year* of joining the UN Global Compact, and *annually* thereafter according to the UN Global Compact COP policy. This includes:

- A statement signed by our Chief Executive Officer expressing continued support for the UN Global Compact and renewing our ongoing commitment to the initiative and its principles.
- A description of any planned or executed practical actions to implement the UN Global Compact principles, particularly in the areas of human rights, labor, environment and anti-corruption
- Qualitative and quantitative performance metrics where we have specific targets.

As the global largest private sector canine service provider we are committed to implementing sustainable business practices. We look forward to the opportunity to join the UN Global Compact's mission and the endeavor for a better world.

Sincerely,

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President & Chief Operating Officer American K-9 Detection Services, LLC