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H.E. António Guterres Secretary-General United Nations NEW YORK NY 10017 USA

Dear Mr Secretary-General

I am pleased to confirm that the University of Wollongong supports the ten principles of the UN Global Compact with respect to human rights, labor, 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 the UN Global Compact in the following way(s):

- Provide continued support for the Faculty of Business Principles of Responsible Management Education (PRME) advanced signatory
- Promote the UN Global Compact Ten Principles
- Conduct applied research and thought leadership in best practices

We recognize that a key requirement for participation in the Global Compact is the submission of a Communication on Engagement (COE) that describes our organization'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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