



Mr António Guterres
Secretary-General
United Nations
New York, NY 10017
USA

THE MAYOR
OF THE
CITY OF DERBY

Mayor's Parlour
Council House
Corporation Street
Derby DE1 2FS

Telephone
01332 642551
Email
mayor@derby.gov.uk

Friday 3 February 2017

Dear Mr Secretary General,

I am pleased to confirm that the City Council of Derby in Derbyshire (United Kingdom) 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 the UN Global Compact, particularly by furthering our work towards a sustainable and inclusive City and by further developing the cross-community partnership working that aims to tackle the challenge of Modern Slavery with the Police and Crime Commissioner, the Office of the Bishop of Derby and the other wide-ranging groups who constitute the Modern Slavery Partnership.

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. This will be supported and facilitated by the Law School at the University of Derby.

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.

Sincerely yours,

Councillor Linda Winter
Mayor of the City of Derby