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

I respectfully write to confirm that I.R. Consilium, LLC supports the Ten Principles of the United Nations Global Compact on human rights, labor, the environment, and anti-corruption.

As proud contractors to the United Nations, we support the broader goals of the UN, including its Sustainable Development Goals. Since our inception, we have always sought and will continue to seek partnerships and projects whose outcomes specifically advance these aims in a manner consistent with the UN Guiding Principles on Business and Human Rights. As a company committed to international law and security, we have the values of the UN embedded in our culture and strategy. This commitment is exemplified through projects I.R. Consilium has undertaken in researching, advising, and reporting on issues such as downstream oil theft, illicit trafficking, illegal fishing, piracy and private security accountability. We will continue to pursue projects like these that directly impact the four areas of concern.

As aspiring participants in the UN Global Compact, we acknowledge the importance of integrity and public accountability. We therefore pledge to announce our participation to the general public through our website and to submit an annual Communication of Progress (COP) to the UN. In accordance with the COP guidelines, this annual report will include a signed statement of continued participation, a description of practical actions taken in support of the Ten Principles, and a measurement of outcomes.

We recognize and celebrate that in taking action implementing the Ten Principles and wider UN goals, we contribute to a safer world.

Sincerely yours,

Dr. Ian M. Ralby
Founder & CEO, I.R. Consilium LLC