

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

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Dear Mr. Secretary-General,

I am pleased to confirm that *Vinge* supports the ten principles of the Global Compact with respect to human rights, labour, environment and anti-corruption.

With this communication, we express our intent to advance those principles within our sphere of influence. We are committed to making the Global Compact and its principles part of the strategy, culture and day-to-day operations of our firm, and to engaging in collaborative projects which advance the broader development goals of the United Nations, particularly the Sustainable Development Goals. *Vinge* 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 Global Compact is the annual submission of a Communication on Progress (COP) that describes our firm'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 Global Compact, and *annually* thereafter according to the Global Compact COP policy. This includes:

- (a) A statement signed by the chief executive expressing continued support for the Global Compact and renewing our ongoing commitment to the initiative and its principles. This is *separate* from our initial letter of commitment to join the Global Compact.
- (b) A description of practical actions that the firm has taken (or plans to undertake) to implement the Global Compact principles in each of the four issue areas.
- (c) A measurement of outcomes.

We look forward to working with the Global Compact and our fellow signatories and participants to build a more sustainable and inclusive global economy in the years ahead.

Yours sincerely,

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