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From Michael Meyer T +49 30 27 87 73 00

Regarding **UN Global Compact** Dear Mr. Secretary-General,

I am pleased to confirm that Democracy Reporting International gGmbH 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 in the following ways:

- Participating in UN Global Compact Events in Germany;
- Implementing the UN Global Compact principles in DRI's internal policies;
- Mainstreaming DRI's work to conform to the UN Global Compact principles; and
- Using the UN Global Compact principles to guide our partners in their work and encourage them to join the UN Global Compact.

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

Sincerely yours,

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