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

Dear Mr. Secretary General,

I am pleased to confirm that YOUNG NATURALIST NETWORK 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):

1. Propose and implement partnerships on corporate sustainability and engage with other stakeholders.
2. Engage with Global Compact Local Network.
3. Join and /or support.
4. Promote the UN Global Compact Ten Principles and educate a variety of audiences about sustainability.
5. Support UN Global Compact business participants in implementing and reporting on their sustainability efforts.
6. Join the Global Compact Cities Programme.
7. Lend capacity to Global Compact Local Network and /or UN Global Compact in New York.

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.

With regards,

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Amit Dutta".

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