

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

Governance

Development House 56-64 Leonard Street London EC2A 4LT +44 (0)20 7549 0350 hello@gpgovernance.net gpgovernance.net

1st June 2018

Dear Mr. Secretary-General,

I am pleased to confirm that Global Partners Governance Practice Limited supports the ten principles of the Global Compact with respect to human rights, labour, environment and anticorruption.

With this communication, we express our intent 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 for our company, and to engaging in collaborative projects which advance the broader development goals of the United Nations, particularly the Sustainable Development Goals, Global Partners Governance Practice Limited will make a clear statement of this commitment to our stakeholders and the general public.

We recognise that a key requirement for participation in the Global Compact is the annual submission of a Communication on Progress (COP) that describes our company'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 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.
- A description of practical actions (i.e. disclosure of any relevant policies, procedures, activities) that the company has taken (or plans to undertake) to implement the Global Compact principles in each of the four issue areas (human rights, labour, environment, anti=corruption).
- A measurement of outcomes (i.e. the degree to which targets/performance indicators were met, or other qualitative or quantitative measurements of results).

Yours sincerely

Director