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Dear Mr. Secretary General,

Özyeğin University Letter of Commitment to United Nations Global Compact

I am pleased to confirm that Özyeğin University, on its 10th Foundation Anniversary, supports the ten principles of the UN Global Compact with respect to human rights, labor, environment and anti-corruption.

As an academic partner, we pledge to participate in and engage with the UN Global Compact in the following ways.

- Raise awareness among our students and staff of the UN Global Compact Principles,
 Corporate Social Responsibility and Business Ethics.
- Conduct research and develop applicable projects focusing on the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).
- Establish partnerships and participate in cross-sectoral dialogue about the SDGs.
- Join the Principles for Responsible Management Education (PRME).

With this commitment, we also 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.

Sincerely yours,

Prof. Dr. F. Esra Gençtürk

Rector