

Fribourg, 30.03.2019

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

Dear Mr. Secretary General,

I am pleased to confirm that Porini Foundation 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 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 through development and support of new technologies like tamper proof and transparent blockchain.

We are working to combine benefits for nature conservation with benefits for local livelihood through implementing blockchain, for example to improve the efficiency of Protected Areas. We are building a permanent community driven micropayment system for disaster relief in Africa, to convoy the community during all 3 phases (disaster relief, rebuild, production of goods) to re-establish community wealth after a disaster. We are also engaged in Switzerland where we develop together with the national food cluster the AgriChain and are a founding member of the Swiss Blockchain Federation.

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

Sincerely yours,

Mr. Roman Eyholzer CEO