

Group Chairman & CEO

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H.E. António Guterres Secretary-General United Nations New York, NY 10017 United States of America

Dear Mr. Secretary-General,

As Chairman & CEO of DP World, a global logistics leader that exists to enable smarter trade to create a better future for everyone, we are proud to share that we support the Ten Principles of the United Nations Global Compact on human rights, labour, environment and anti-corruption. With this communication, we express our intent to implement those principles through the 'Our World, Our Future' sustainability & impact strategy.

The strategy is two pronged, in which the 'Our World' component addresses our responsible business practices; while 'Our Future' will look at three legacy areas related to our business and industry namely, women, education and oceans. Our strategy has been developed in line with the sustainable development goals with an approach that advocates leadership, ambition and partnership.

DP World will make a clear statement of this commitment to our stakeholders and the general public. We recognize that a key requirement for participation in the UN 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 accountability and transparency, and therefore commit to report on progress within one year of joining the UN Global Compact, and annually thereafter according to the UN Global Compact COP policy. This includes:

- A statement signed by the chief executive expressing continued support for the UN Global Compact and renewing our ongoing commitment to the initiative and its principles.
- A description of practical actions and plans to implement the UN Global Compact principles.
- A measurement of outcomes which will be guided by our targets and associated KPIs stipulated in the 'Our World Our Future' strategy

Yours sincerely

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