

From the Chief Executive **Helen Brand OBE**



H E Ban Ki-moon  
Secretary-General  
United Nations  
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Dear Mr Secretary-General

I am pleased to confirm that ACCA (the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants) supports the ten principles of the UN Global Compact with respect to human rights, labour, environment, and anti-corruption. With this commitment, we express our intent to advance these principles within our sphere of influence, and will make a clear statement of this commitment to our stakeholders and the general public.

We also pledge to take part in the activities of the UN Global Compact where appropriate and feasible – through, for instance, participation in Country/Local Networks; involvement in specialised initiatives and workstreams; engagement in partnership projects; and reviewing and providing commentary to participating companies on their Communications on Progress.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Helen Brand', written in a cursive style.

Helen Brand