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To, H.E. Ban Ki-moon Secretary-General United Nations New York, NY 10017 USA

Dear Mr. Secretary-General,

I am pleased to confirm that International Society for Small and Medium Enterprises (ISSME) 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 specialized initiatives and workstreams; engagement in partnership projects; and reviewing and providing commentary to participating companies on their Communications on Progress.

With warm regards

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Secretary General