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H.E. Ban Ki-moon
Secretary-General
United Nations
New York, NY 10017
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Dear Mr. Secretary-General

UNITED NATIONS GLOBAL COMPACT
Application for participating in the United Nations Global Compact

The above subject matter refers.

I am pleased to confirm that WELSA International Chartered Accountants ("WELSA" or "the Firm") supports the ten principles of the Global Compact with respect to human rights, labour, environment and anti-corruption. With this communication, we express our intent to advance those principles within our sphere of influence. We are committed to making the Global Compact and its principles part of the strategy, culture and day-to-day operations of the firm, and to engaging in collaborative projects which advance the broader development goals of the United Nations, particularly the Millennium Development Goals. WELSA will make a clear statement of this commitment to our stakeholders and the general public.

We recognise that a key requirement for participation in the Global Compact is the annual submission of a Communication on Progress ("COP") that describes our firm's efforts to implement the ten principles. We support public accountability and transparency, and therefore commit to report on progress within one year of joining the Global Compact, and annually thereafter according to the Global Compact COP policy.

Yours sincerely

DR W S SIBANDA
SENIOR PARTNER

