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

Dear Mr. Secretary-General,

China Federation of Overseas Chinese Entrepreneurs, approved by the Chinese State Council and registered in the Chinese Ministry of Civil Affairs, is a non-profit national organization which is directed by the All-China Federation of Returned Overseas and is the biggest federation of overseas Chinese entrepreneurs. We have more than 11,000 corporation members involving returned Chinese, returned overseas students, citizens from Hong Kong, Macau and Taiwan, all overseas relative and their companies. Our members distribute in China mainland and other 20 countries or areas, and their investments cover almost all business fields. What's more, we have being made close contact with more than 200 mainly important Chinese organizations distributed in more than 100 countries or areas.

Aim of our organization: 'serving our members and contributing to the society'.

Main functions of our organization: keeping the connection and communication between China and overseas; uniting all overseas Chinese businessmen and returned overseas students to make contributions to the development of China's economy; helping Chinese companies invest abroad and import advanced technology and talents; preserving and advertising Chinese culture and promoting the communication between China and the other countries.

Development and contributions of our organization: After 10-year development since founded, *China Federation of Overseas Chinese Entrepreneurs* is now the biggest organization of overseas Chinese businessman, including 90 group members and 11,000 overseas Chinese entrepreneurs totally. All the member companies invest back China after having achieved business success abroad. Up to 2013, we have hosted more than 160 investment and charity activities with the cooperation of various city or province governments and the total capital of contracts has reached 1 trillion yuan. The above activities contribute a lot to the development of our members' companies, the increase of the government tax revenues and the upgrading of China's economic structure. In addition, we encourage members to take part in various public welfares. For example, our members donated 110 million yuan to the reconstruction of Beichuan middle school after the 2008 earthquake.

Sincerely yours,

Mr. 许荣茂,
President, China Federation of Overseas Chinese Entrepreneurs



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Dear Mr. Secretary-General,

I am pleased to confirm that China Federation of Overseas Chinese Entrepreneurs supports the ten principles of the Global Compact on human rights, labour, environment and anti-corruption. With this commitment, we express our intent to support the Global Compact advancing these principles, and will make a clear statement of this commitment to our shareholders and the general public.

We also pledge to participate in and engage with the UN Global Compact in the following ways:

- Attract new participants to the UN Global Compact through their outreach efforts and awareness raising
- Organize learning and dialogue events, workshops and training for their members on the UN Global Compact and specific topics relevant to corporate sustainability
- Provide their expertise and/or the voice of their members to Global Compact working groups and special initiatives.
- Engage their members in collective action efforts on Global Compact-related issues
- Host the secretariat for a Global Compact Local Network

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 effort 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. 许荣茂

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