

JM Empowerment Foundation

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H.E. Ban Ki-moon

Secretary-General

United Nations

New York, NY 10017

USA

Dear Mr. Secretary- General

I am pleased to confirm that JM Empowerment Foundation 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 support the Global Compact advancing these principles, and will make a clear statement of this commitment to our stakeholders and the general public.

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

- Engage with Global Compact Local Networks
- Join and/or Propose Partnership Projects on Corporate Sustainability
- Engage companies in Global Compact-related issues
- Join and/or Support special initiatives and workstreams
- Provide commentary to companies on Communications on Progress
- Participate in Global Compact global and local events

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 efforts 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,


A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Joyce Manlangu', is written over a horizontal line.

Ms. Joyce Manlangu

Founder and Executive Chairperson, JM Empowerment Foundation