

HOSPITAL GERAL DE PEDREIRA - OSS SECRETARIA DE ESTADO DA SAÚDE ASSOCIAÇÃO CONGREGAÇÃO DE SANTA CATARINA

Sao Paulo, Brazil, July 20th 2008.

Att:

Ban Ki Moon Secretary-General United Nations New York, NY 10017 USA

Dear Mr. Secretary-General,

I am pleased to confirm that Hospital Geral de Pedreira supports the ten Principles of the Global Compact, in respect to human rights, labor rights, environmental protection and against corruption in all its forms.

With this letter, we express our intent to fully support and advance those principles within our sphere of influence. We commit to making the Global Compact and its principles part of the strategy, culture and day-to-day operations of our institution, and undertake to make a clear statement of this commitment – both to our employees, partners, clients and to the general public.

We support public accountability and transparency, and will report on progress made in a public manner. Please find attached information regarding our institution, as well as the contact person responsible for contacts with the Global Company Office.

Sincerely yours,

CEO