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

This is to state that "Dhriiti – The Courage Within" – a not-for-profit promoting entrepreneurial skills and an entrepreneurial way of living – 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: propose and implement partnerships with corporate, government, and other NGOs to create a greater positive impact; engage with Global Compact Local Networks; support UN Global Compact business participants as they implement and report on their sustainability efforts, and join and/or support issue platforms and workstreams.

We recognize that a key requirement for participation in the Global Compact is the submission of a Communications on Engagement (COE) that describes our organisation's efforts to support the implementation of the ten principles and to engage with the Global Compact. We 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,

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