

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

26th, November 2009
Madrid, Spain

Dear Mr. Secretary-General,

I am pleased to confirm that SIGRE Medicamento y Medio Ambiente, S.L. (SIGRE) supports the ten principles of the Global Compact in respect to human rights, labour rights, the protection of the environment and anti-corruption. With this communication, we express our intent to support and advance those principles within our sphere of influence by making a clear statement of this commitment both internally and to the public. We will explore opportunities to partner with companies and other stakeholders to further the implementation of the ten principles.

We recognize that a key requirement for participation in the Global Compact is the annual submission of a Communication on Progress (COP) that describes our company'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.

Please find attached some general information regarding our organization as well as the contact person responsible for contacts with the office of the Global Compact.

Sincerely yours,


Humberto Arnés Corellano
CEO

Organization Information to the Global Compact

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Type of Organization

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Labour
Business Associations
CSR Organisation
Other (please specify) **_Not- For-Profit Organisation**

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NGO

Name of the organisation **SIGRE Medicamento y Medio Ambiente, S.L. (SIGRE)**

Address **Príncipe de Vergara 38, 6º I**

City **Madrid**

State/province **Madrid** Zip/postal code **28001**

Country **Spain**

Telephone: **+34.91.391.12.30** Fax: **+34.91.319.72.12** Website: **www.sigre.es**

Approximate number of employees **14** (direct) - (indirect)

Type of activity/s

SIGRE, Integrated Pack Management and Collection System for the pharmaceutical sector, is a non-profit enterprise financed entirely by the pharmaceutical industry.

This initiative was first sponsored by the pharmaceutical companies by way of Farmaindustria and then received the backing of the rest of the sector: distributors and pharmacies.

SIGRE has been implemented nationwide in order, on the one hand, to prevent pharmaceutical packaging and packaging waste, with the leftover medication that this may contain, from mixing with other domestic waste and ending up in the garbage without being able to receive suitable environmental treatment, and on the other, to promote preventive measures that may enable the amount of packaging waste generated by the industry to be reduced.

Name and title of highest executive

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Name and title of contact person

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Organization Information to the Global Compact

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Sector (if multiple, please highlight the most important):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Aerospace & Aviation | <input type="checkbox"/> Metals & Mining |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Automobiles & Auto Components | <input type="checkbox"/> Oil and Gas |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Agriculture | <input type="checkbox"/> Professional, Scientific and |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Chemical | Technical Services |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Commercial Services & Supplies | <input type="checkbox"/> Pharmaceutical & Biotechnology |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Commerce & Distribution | <input type="checkbox"/> Paper & Forest Product |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Construction & Engineering | <input type="checkbox"/> Personal Care & Household |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Containers & Packaging | Products |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Construction Materials | <input type="checkbox"/> Real Estate |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Education | <input type="checkbox"/> Technology Hardware & |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Finance & Insurance | Electrical Equipment |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Health Care Services & Supplies | <input type="checkbox"/> Textile, Apparel & Luxury Good |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Food & Drink | <input type="checkbox"/> Transportation & Storage |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Industrial Conglomerates | <input type="checkbox"/> Telecommunication |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Internet & E-commerce | <input type="checkbox"/> Tourism and Leisure |
| <input type="checkbox"/> IT Consulting & Software | <input type="checkbox"/> Utilities |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Leisure Equipment & Products | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Machinery | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Media & Communications | |

If 'Other' please specify: **Waste Management**