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H.E. Ban Ki-Moon  
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Dear Mr. Secretary General,

I am pleased to confirm that CARE Australia 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 way(s):

- Work in partnership with businesses to promote women's economic empowerment, decent work, environmental sustainability and anti-corruption measures
- Engage with Global Compact Local Networks to share the evidence from our work and best practice to promote the above
- Support UN Global Compact business participants, and support issue platforms and work streams to work collectively on the issues above.

We recognize that a key requirement for participation in the Global Compact is the submission of a Communication 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 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,



Robert Yallop

Acting Chief Executive Officer

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