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H.E. António Guterres  
Secretary-General  
United Nations  
New York, NY 10017  
USA

Dear Mr. Secretary-General,

I am pleased to confirm that **Etisk Handel Sverige** supports the Ten Principles of the UN Global Compact with respect to human rights, labor, 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): Our activities range from peer learning networks and advisory support to multi-stakeholder projects that address systemic challenges. For example, we are partnering with CSOs to strengthen worker-centered social audits in Morocco with a focus on gender equality and safe transport, and we coordinate Nordic collaboration on responsible recruitment in the berry picking industry. We also produce tools and guidance for companies to better manage human rights risks, such as our solar energy supply chain due diligence toolkit.

<https://etiskhandel.se/wp-content/uploads/2025/04/ETI-Sverige-Verksamhetsberattelse-2024.pdf>

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,

**Henrik Lindholm,**  
**Director at Etisk Handel Sverige**