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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 **Charities Aid Foundation (CAF)** 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):

Throughout CAF's history, we have connected the private sector with charities to power social progress. In the UK and North America, we support and advise businesses to make a positive difference to the causes that matter to their people and customers, and in the communities in which they work. We believe that inspiring and enabling more businesses to give — and to give more strategically for the long term — could be transformative for the charitable sector. This drives our approach to corporate giving. PROVIDING EXPERT SUPPORT We help organisations to build successful business cases for giving, develop their strategies and programmes, engage their people and deliver their donations worldwide. Our experienced advisers, insight-led services and global network of verified charitable organisations enable businesses to achieve the positive change they want to see. Annual Report - https://www.cafonline.org/docs/default-source/annual-reports/caf_group_annual-report.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,

Neil Heslop,
CEO at Charities Aid Foundation (CAF)