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

Re: Our commitment to the United Nations Global Compact

I am pleased to confirm that Salvos Legal supports the ten principles of the Global Compact on human rights, labour, environment and anti-corruption.

Salvos Legal is a law firm with a difference – all of the profits from our commercial law firm are used to fund our free humanitarian services for vulnerable and marginalised people. To date, we have acted or assisted in over 16,950 humanitarian cases.

With this communication, we express our intent to implement the Global Compact principles. We are committed to making the Global Compact and its principles part of the strategy, culture and day-to-day operations of our company, and to engaging in collaborative projects which advance the broader development goals of the United Nations, particularly the Sustainable Development Goals.

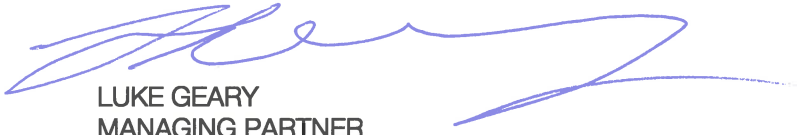
Salvos Legal will make a clear statement of this commitment to our stakeholders and the general public. We recognize that a key requirement for participation in the Global Compact is the annual submission of a Communication on Progress (COP) that describes our company's efforts to implement the ten principles and support any specialized UN Global Compact issue platform that our company may join at a later date. 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. This includes:

- A statement signed by the Managing Partner, expressing continued support for the Global Compact and renewing our ongoing commitment to the initiative and its principles. This is separate from our initial letter of commitment to join the Global Compact.
- A description of practical actions (i.e., disclosure of any relevant policies, procedures, activities) that the company has taken (or plans to undertake) to implement the Global Compact principles in each of the four issue areas (human rights, labour, environment, anti-corruption).
- A measurement of outcomes (i.e., the degree to which targets/performance indicators were met, or other qualitative or quantitative measurements of results).

If you have any questions or require further information please do not hesitate to contact me on +612 8202 1500 or by email at luke.geary@salvoslegal.com.au.



Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Luke Geary', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

LUKE GEARY
MANAGING PARTNER
SALVOS LEGAL