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

I am pleased to confirm that *Youth With Disabilities Forum* supports the ten principles of the Global Compact with respect to human rights, labour, environment and anti-corruption. With this communication, we express our intent to advance those principles within our sphere of influence, and will make a clear statement of this commitment to our stakeholders and the general public.

Youth With Disabilities Forum is going to build capacities of people with disability and local stakeholders in the field of activism and public advocacy. Basic problems which the disabled encounter are disrespect of fundamental human and civil rights – right to equality, accessibility to public buildings and all social, cultural and educational segments of society, and right to employment: „Equal opportunities“. The best way and mechanism to overcome helplessness, poverty and social marginalization of this group is recognized to be the work on raising of activism. The achievement of a society of equal opportunities is only possible in practical work at all social levels.

Sincerely yours,

Mr. Zeljko Ilic
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Executive director

