International Press Institute

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

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Dear Mr. Secretary General,
I am pleased to confirm that the International Press Institute 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):

1. Engage the International Press Institute global network of editors, media executives and journalists on advancing human rights, the environment, labour standards and anti-corruption.
2. Join and support issue platforms and workstreams
3. Engage with Global Compact Local Network

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,

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