# BRIGHT LIGHT PROJECTS UNITED NATIONS GLOBAL COMPACT COMMITMENT

STATEMENT

















**ENVIRONMENT** 



We are pleased to confirm that Bright Light Projects (BLP) supports the Ten Principles of the United Nations Global Compact on Human Rights, Labour, Environment and Anticorruption. With this communication, we express our intent to implement those principles. We are committed to making the UN Global Compact and its principles part of the strategy, culture and day-to-day operations of BLP, and to engaging in collaborative projects which advance the broader development goals of the United Nations, particularly the Sustainable Development Goals. Bright Light Projects is and will continue to make a clear statement of this commitment to our staff, volunteers, partners, Donors, stakeholders and the general public.

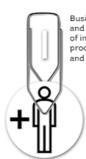
### The Ten Principles of the UN Global Compact

Corporate sustainability starts with a company's value system and a principles-based approach to doing business. This means operating in ways that, at a minimum, meet fundamental responsibilities in the areas of human rights, labour, environment and anti-corruption. Responsible businesses enact the same values and principles wherever they have a presence, and know that good practices in one area do not offset harm in another. By incorporating the Ten Principles of the UN Global Compact into strategies, policies and procedures, and establishing a culture of integrity, companies are not only upholding their basic responsibilities to people and planet, but also setting the stage for long-term success.

The Ten Principles of the United Nations Global Compact are derived from: the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, the International Labour Organization's Declaration on Fundamental Principles and Rights at Work, the Rio Declaration on Environment and Development, and the United Nations Convention Against Corruption.

# >>> Human Rights





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### >> Labour









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Principle 3: Businesses should uphold the freedom of association and the effective recognition of the right to collective bargaining;

Principle 4: the elimination of all forms of forced and compulsory labour;

PPrinciple 5: the effective abolition of child labour; and

Principle 6: the elimination of discrimination in respect of employment and occupation.

## >>> Environment



Principle 7: Businesses should support a precautionary approach to environmental challenges;

Principle 8: undertake initiatives to promote greater environmental responsibility; and

Principle 9: encourage the development and diffusion of environmentally friendly technologies.

# Anti-Corruption



Principle 10: Businesses should work against corruption in all its forms, including extortion and bribery.

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