



United Nations
Global Compact

BUSINESS APPLICATION

1. REVIEW THE APPLICATION GUIDELINES

For a detailed, step-by-step guide to the Business Application process, applicants can review the [Application Guidelines](#).

2. PREPARE A LETTER OF COMMITMENT

All applicants are required to submit a Letter of Commitment addressed to the UN Secretary-General from their highest level executive (or equivalent), committing to implement the Ten Principles of the UN Global Compact, take action in support of the Sustainable Development Goals and submit an annual report on progress.

Templates of the Letter can be found in English and nine other languages [here](#).

3. COMPLETE THE ONLINE APPLICATION FORM

Complete the [Online Application Form](#) and upload a digital copy of the Letter signed by the highest level executive (or equivalent). Please have the following prepared before filling out the form:

- Basic Company Information
- Preferred Engagement Level
- Proof of Company Registration
- Primary Contact Point Details
- Financial Contact Details
- Number of Employees
- Highest Level Executive Contact Details
- Letter of Commitment (PDF Format)
- Annual Sales/Revenue in USD

WHAT'S NEXT?

The UN Global Compact Office undertakes a review of the application which can take 7 to 14 days to complete.

ELIGIBILITY

Companies from any industry or sector are eligible for participation **except** for those which fall under the following criteria:

1. Subject to a UN Sanction
2. Listed on the UN Ineligible Vendors List for ethical reasons
3. Derive revenue from controversial weapons, namely the production, sale and/or transfer of antipersonnel landmines or cluster bombs; or
4. Derive revenue from the production and/or manufacturing of tobacco.

SUBSIDIARIES

Are you a subsidiary of one of our participating companies? Please review our [subsidiary policy](#), along with further information on our review and eligibility process.