

19th August 2016 Sydney Stock Exchange Level 41, 259 George st, SYDNEY NSW 2000, Australia

To: H.E. Mr. Ban Ki-moon Secretary General United Nations New York, NY 10017

USA

Sustainable Stock Exchanges: Voluntary Commitment to Promote Sustainability Performance and Transparency in Capital Markets

Dear Mr. Secretary General,

On behalf of Sydney Stock Exchange I commit our organization to the following statement:

We voluntarily commit, through dialogue with investors, companies and regulators, to promoting long-term sustainable investment and improved environmental, social and corporate governance disclosure and performance among companies listed on our exchange.

We look forward to participating in the Sustainable Stock Exchanges initiative as a global forum for sharing best practices on sustainability and capital markets.

Sincerely,

Tony Sacre

CEO

Sydney Stock Exchange

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Mukhisa Kituyi, Secretary-General, UNCTAD
Achim Steiner, Executive Director, UNEP
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