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To: H.E. Mr. António Guterres 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 Shanghai 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,

Huang Hongyuan

President

Shanghai Stock Exchange

CC:

MukhisaKituyi, Secretary-General, UNCTAD Erik Solheim, Executive Director, UN Environment LiseKingo, Executive Director, United Nations Global Compact Fiona Reynolds, Managing Director, UN-Supported Principles for Responsible Investment

## **Suggested Contact Points:**

- Hard copy letter to AntónioGuterres, Secretary-General, United Nations
- If possible, also send a hard copy to each organization head (addresses listed below), if not email is fine.
- Pls also send a scanned copy of the letter to info@sseinitiative.org

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