

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

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

Dear Mr. Secretary General,

On behalf of Luxembourg Stock Exchange we commit our organization to the following statement:

As the leading Stock Exchange in the World for the listing of green bonds with almost 100 listings and as a capital markets intermediary committed to a sustainable economy, the Luxembourg Stock Exchange facilitates access to green bond instruments for an increasing number of issuers, bearing in mind both the importance of full disclosure for the integrity of the asset class at the service of investors specific environmental and performance goals and the opportunity to help green issuers with different fund-raising capabilities raise money without unnecessary burden.

We voluntarily participate in several initiatives, through dialogue with the Luxembourg Government, supranational organizations like the European Investment Bank, investors 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,



Maurice BAUER
Secretary General



Robert SCHARFE
CEO

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