The Ten Principles of the UN Global Compact and Supply Chain Sustainability

What should businesses do?



Principle 1

Support and respect the protection of internationally proclaimed human rights.

Principle 2

Make sure that they are not complicit in human rights abuses.



Principle 3

Uphold the freedom of association and the effective recognition of the right to collective bargaining.

Principle 4

Uphold the elimination of all forms of forced and compulsory labour.

Principle 5

Uphold the effective abolition of child labour.

Principle 6

Uphold the elimination of discrimination in respect of employment and occupation.



Principle 7

Support a precautionary approach to environmental challenges.

Principle 8

Undertake initiatives to promote greater environmental responsibility.

Principle 9

Encourage the development and diffusion of environmentally friendly technologies.



Principle 10

Work against corruption in all its forms, including extortion and bribery.