

**H.E. António Guterres** 

Secretary-General United Nations NEW YORK NY 10017 USA

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Dear Secretary-General,

## **Orora Limited United Nations Global Compact Communications on Progress 2023**

Orora's commitment to sustainability is deeply rooted in the principles of the Orora Way, which places a strong emphasis on the values of Teamwork, Passion, Respect, and Integrity. Guided by these core values, we strategically manage sustainability through three key pillars: Circular Economy, Climate Change, and Community. Our goal is to create shared benefits that extend to our communities, the environment, our customers, and the overall enhancement of our operations. Orora reaffirms its commitment to the ten UNGC principles on human rights, labour, environment and anti-corruption. As the Managing Director & Chief Executive Officer of Orora, I am pleased to present below the highlights of Orora's fourth Communications on Progress (CoP).

- In FY23 Orora made good progress on our Sustainability program focussed on the Circular Economy, Climate Change and Community pillars.
- Under the Circular Economy pillar Orora has targeted a 60% recycled content for glass beverage containers by 2025 and during FY23 achieved an average recycled content of 38% in line with the prior reporting period. We also averaged 57% recycled content in our corrugated board manufactured by Orora Packaging Solutions (OPS), this is an increase of 3% from FY22.
- Under the Climate Change pillar Orora progressed towards its commitment of achieving Net Zero
  greenhouse gas emissions by 2050 for Scope 1 and 2 emissions and of achieving an interim 40% reduction
  in these by 2035 from a 2019 baseline. In FY23 Orora demonstrated it has achieved a 12.98% reduction in
  these emissions from the FY19 baseline using Location Based Factors and a 4.84% reduction using Market
  Based Factors.
- Within the Community pillar, Orora embedded the final elements of our Global Integrated Safety Improvement Plan into our FY23 FY25 Global Health & Safety Strategy as well as implementing the Orora Stay Safe rules across all operations.
- As an integral component of our Human Rights Due Diligence Program, in FY23, we completed our review
  of high-risk industry sectors and high-risk countries associated with our supplier base for the North
  American business. We also successfully implemented our Supplier Assurance Framework within our
  Australian and New Zealand business and developed global modern slavery training and awareness
  material for all our team members.

This year, Orora is once again showcasing its CoP as an index, illustrating the tangible actions and results outlined in Orora's 2023 Annual Report, Corporate Governance Statement and Modern Slavery Statement. Our commitment to upholding the principles of the United Nations Global Compact (UNGC) is evident in our business practices, policies, and community engagements. Leading a company that actively participates in this crucial global initiative fills me with pride.

Yours sincerely,

**Brian Lowe** 

**Managing Director & Chief Executive Officer** 

Principles	Actions & Outcomes	Reference
Human rights		
Principle 1:	2023 Annual Report: Orora's approach to sustainability –	
Business should support and respect the protection of internationally proclaimed	Community	Pages 12-25
Human Rights	2023 Corporate Governance Statement	Pages 32-41
Principle 2:	Orora Modern Slavery Statement	Report
Make sure that they are not complicit in human rights abuses		
Labour		
Principle 3:		
Business should uphold the freedom of association and effective recognition of		
rights to collective bargaining	2023 Annual Report: Orora's approach to sustainability –	
Principle 4:	Community	Page 12-25
Elimination of all forms of forced a compulsory labour	2023 Corporate Governance Statement	Pages 32 – 41
Principle 5:	Orora Modern Slavery Statement	Report
Effective abolition of child labour		
Principle 6:		
Elimination of discrimination in respect of employment and occupation		
Environment		
Principle 7:		
Business should support a precautionary approach to environmental challenges	2023 Annual Report: Orora's approach to sustainability –	
Principle 8:	Climate Change	Pages 14-20
Undertake initiatives to promote greater environmental responsibility	2023 Annual Report: Principal Risks	Page 42-43
Principle 9:	2023 Corporate Governance Statement	Pages 33,37,38
Encourage the development and diffusion of environmentally friendly technologies		
Anti-corruption	2023 Annual Report: Orora's approach to sustainability –	
Principle 10:	Community	Page 12-25
Business should work against corruption in all its forms, including extortion and	2023 Corporate Governance Statement	Page 38-34
bribery		<u> </u>

