

GLOBAL COMPACT LOCAL NETWORK RUSSIA

THE CONCEPT OF A HIGH-LEVEL BUSINESS BREAKFAST WITH THE PARTICIPATION OF THE DELEGATION OF RUSSIAN BUSINESS UNDER THE AEGIS OF THE GLOBAL COMPACT LOCAL NETWORK RUSSIA WITHIN THE 4TH SESSION OF THE UN ENVIRONMENT ASSEMBLY

13 March 2019 (08.00-10.00) / UN Gigiri Complex / Delegates restaurant

Main theme: Business Contribution to Innovative Solutions of Environmental Challenges in the context of SDGs: sharing experience and exploring new opportunities

Main partners: UN-Environment, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Russian Federation (Embassy of the Russian Federation - Representative Office of the Russian Federation to international organizations in Nairobi (Kenya), Embassy of Kenya in Moscow (Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Kenya), International Chamber of Commerce, Global Compact Local Networks in the Russian Federation and Kenya.

Event format: High-level business breakfast, suggesting informal communication and amicable atmosphere. Presentation of specific innovative projects in the field of ecology and minimization (elimination) of the negative impact on the environment has to be in the spotlight.

Objectives of the discussion:

1. Highlight private sector solutions to global environmental challenges and contributing to the Sustainable Development Goals in cooperation with the UN and a wide range of stakeholders.
2. Identify the main possible directions for further cooperation between businesses and UN Environment in Russia, Kenya and the world.
3. To highlight the role of the UN, in particular, the Global Compact Local Networks in engaging businesses in the processes of sustainable development and the searching for innovative solutions to environmental problems.
4. To present best practices of Russian, Kenyan and international businesses in the field of environmental protection, environmental and climate responsibility, innovative solutions in the field of conservation, restoration, cyclical use, etc. natural resources and the potential of the planet.
5. Discussion of the principal provisions and signing of the Agreement between the Global Compact Local Network in the Russian Federation and UN Environment (or Discussion of the principal provisions of a possible Agreement between the Global Compact Local Network in the Russian Federation and UN Environment).

Program

Greeting. Meanings, values, context	Alexander Plakida	Chair of the Steering Committee of the Local Network of the Global Compact of Russia, Managing Partner of Alliance Consulting, Deputy Chair of the Board of ACIG Group of Companies, moderator
UN Environment Position	Joyce Msuya / Jorge Laguna-Celis / Kamar Yousuf	UNEP management
Greeting. Partnership and its prospects	Dmitry Maksimychev	Ambassador of the Russian Federation in Kenya / Head of the Representative Office of the Russian Federation at international organizations in Nairobi
Experience and approach of the Global Compact Network Kenya	Flora Mutahi	UN Global Compact Board Member, CEO Melvin Marsh Limited
UC RUSAL's Climate Strategy	Sergey Chestnoy	Advisor on Sustainable Development, RUSAL
International Chamber of Commerce position	Majda Dabaghi	Director - Green Inclusive Growth, International Chamber of Commerce
Baikal case: En+ sustainable approach to preserve natural heritage	Anton Butmanov	Director for Sustainable Development, En+
BNP contribution to the search of environmental challenges solutions	Antoine Sire	Director of Company Engagement and member of the BNP Executive Board
Sustainable Development as a factor of Business Success	Daria Goncharova	Chief Sustainability Officer, Polymetal
Inter IKEA Group approach to climate challenges	Lena Pripp-Kovac / Malin Pettersson-Beckeman	Head of Sustainability Inter IKEA Group / Head of Sustainability Communications Inter IKEA Group
Helping local communities in sustainable business development and improving access to potable water at Nordgold mines in West Africa	Oleg Bazaleev	Head of Sustainable Development Projects, Nordgold
Experience and approach of the Global Compact Africa Network	Nkiruka Chiemelu	Manager, Local Networks, Global Compact Africa Network
Discussion	Representatives of business, NGOs and scientific institutions of Kenya and participating countries in the session	