



Copenhagen Commitment to Action

The Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) and the Paris Climate Agreement define a shared vision with concrete targets for a better and more sustainable future that can drive inclusive growth. To meet these targets, there is an **urgent need for leadership from government, business and civil society** and for accelerated action.

We recognize that **no single actor can deliver** on our global challenges and ensure a transformation towards a more sustainable global economy delivering green and inclusive growth, more and decent jobs, health benefits, protection of valuable ecosystems, and addressing climate change. Governments, cities and local authorities, businesses, investors, civil society, academia, international organizations and networks all have a role to play.

We believe that **SDG 17 on partnerships is the key** to unlock the market opportunities needed for delivering concrete, sustainable solutions and impact at scale and at pace - for the benefit of people, planet and prosperity.

We consider Partnering for Green Growth and the Global Goals 2030 (P4G) to be an incubator and accelerator of public-private partnerships that brings together mutually reinforcing agendas on sustainable development and climate change action to address the world's most urgent challenges.

Through P4G, we **commit to develop, accelerate and scale concrete market-driven solutions** within food and agriculture, water, energy, cities and circular economy.

We will promote transformational partnerships with a clear value proposition for all partners. With P4G, we will work together to share knowledge and best practices on public-private partnerships to inspire actionable solutions to ensure truly local, regional and global impact.

- *National, regional and sub-national governments and policy-makers* will promote an enabling environment for accelerating sustainable development, e.g. by addressing barriers, promoting ambitious policy action and enabling legislation.
- *Companies and investors* will step up efforts to provide the innovation, technology and expertise needed to tackle global challenges and unlock new market opportunities by integrating corporate responsibility and sustainability into their overall strategy and directing investments towards the SDGs.
- *Civil society* will contribute with knowledge, networks and sectoral expertise needed for ensuring concrete development impact for local communities and the overall challenge of combatting climate change, poverty and reaching the SDGs.
- *International organizations and academia* will bring a wealth of knowledge, expertise and network to help develop, identify and disseminate partnerships and best practices across countries and regions.

We welcome the **P4G Copenhagen Summit** as an important stepping-stone in our long-term shared vision and commitment to realize the SDGs and the Paris Climate Agreement.

We will intensify our efforts to develop, accelerate and scale public-private partnerships towards the UN Climate Summit in 2019, the P4G Summit in 2020 and beyond.