## LETTER OF VOLUNTARY COMMITMENT

## WORLD ENERGY COUNCIL

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Dear Secretary General,

I am pleased to confirm that Arup supports this charter. Whilst we understand that **this charter is not legally binding**, we champion this effort. It is critically important for the business community, policy makers, innovators and investors to understand the importance of supply diversity in our pursuit toward mitigating the negative impacts of climate change notably through hydrogen. Arup will make a clear statement of this commitment to its stakeholders and the general public.

Arup undertakes to draw together our global hydrogen experience supporting the evaluation, application and deployment of effective hydrogen-based solutions. We will share successful outcomes and perspectives while also exchanging lessons learned where these support further effective propagation of this energy and feedstock vector in so far as this does not conflict with our work being under specific requirements for confidentiality.

We commit to annually submitting our progress towards enabling low carbon hydrogen to the World Energy Council.

Together we can work to enable a better, faster and successful energy transition.

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Alan Belfield, Chairman of Arup Group