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# TotalEnergies Corbion joins the United Nations Global Compact initiative

**RAYONG, Thailand, November 28th 2023** — TotalEnergies Corbion, producers of Luminy® PLA, has joined the United Nations Global Compact initiative, committing to ten principles on human rights, labor, environment, and anti-corruption. The UN Global Compact aims to align businesses with sustainability principles and accelerate the achievement of the UN Sustainable Development Goals (SDG's). This voluntary initiative relies on CEO commitments to implement universal sustainability principles.

Recognizing the significance of advancing the SDGs, TotalEnergies Corbion takes pride in contributing through responsible production and innovative initiatives that offer tangible support for climate actions.

TotalEnergies Corbion's CEO, Thomas Philipon, states, "Joining the Global Compact Initiative is very natural step for us as it is both in line with our values and the business model we are developing". He continues, "it makes a clear statement to our stakeholders and the broader general public. We are developing everyday sustainable solutions in collaboration with our partners through the value chain and it is critical to be transparent around the progresses we are making together."

With more than 18,000 companies and 3,800 non-business signatories based in over 162 countries and 69 Local Networks, the UN Global Compact is the world's largest corporate sustainability initiative. For more information, follow @globalcompact on social media and visit the website at [www.unglobalcompact.org](http://www.unglobalcompact.org).

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**About TotalEnergies Corbion**

TotalEnergies Corbion is a global technology leader in Poly Lactic Acid (PLA) and lactide monomers. PLA is a biobased and biodegradable polymer made from annually renewable resources, offering a reduced carbon footprint versus traditional plastics. The Luminy® PLA portfolio, which includes both high heat and standard PLA grades, is an innovative material that is used in a wide range of markets from packaging to consumer goods, fibers and automotive. TotalEnergies Corbion, headquartered in the Netherlands, operates a 75,000 tons per year PLA production facility in Rayong, Thailand. The company is a 50/50 joint venture between TotalEnergies and Corbion. [www.totalenergies-corbion.com](http://www.totalenergies-corbion.com)

**About TotalEnergies**

TotalEnergies is a global multi-energy company that produces and markets energies on a global scale: oil and biofuels, natural gas and green gases, renewables and electricity. Our 105,000 employees are committed to energy that is ever more affordable, cleaner, more reliable and accessible to as many people as possible. Active in more than 130 countries, TotalEnergies puts sustainable development in all its dimensions at the heart of its projects and operations to contribute to the well-being of people. [www.totalenergies.com](http://www.totalenergies.com)

**About Corbion**

Corbion is the global market leader in lactic acid and its derivatives, and a leading supplier of emulsifiers, functional enzyme blends, minerals, vitamins, and algae ingredients. We use our unique expertise in fermentation and other processes to deliver sustainable solutions for the preservation of food and food production, health, and our planet. For over 100 years, we have been uncompromising in our commitment to safety, quality, innovation and performance. Drawing on our deep application and product knowledge, we work side-by-side with customers to make our cutting-edge technologies work for them. Our solutions help differentiate products in markets such as food, home & personal care, animal nutrition, pharmaceuticals, medical devices, and bioplastics. In 2020, Corbion generated annual sales of € 986.5 million and had a workforce of 2,267 FTE. Corbion is listed on Euronext Amsterdam. [www.corbion.com](http://www.corbion.com)