A civil society vision for a UN Global Compact for Human Mobility and Migration in TEN ACTS

ACT 1 — Drivers of human mobility
Act to end the drivers of forced displacement and normalize and facilitate migration by choice.

ACT 2 — Safe pathways for human mobility
Act to enhance safe, regular and affordable pathways and opportunities for human mobility that comply with human rights.

ACT 3 — Protection
Act to meet the needs and respect, protect and fulfil the human rights of all migrants and refugees in distress, in transit, at borders and at destination, and end their criminalization and detention.

ACT 4 — Decent work and labor rights
Act to promote safe and decent labor mobility, working conditions and labor rights for migrants and refugees.

ACT 5 — Decent living conditions and access to justice
Act to ensure safe and decent living conditions and access to social services and justice for all migrants and refugees.

ACT 6 — Education and skills
Act to provide quality education and developmental care for all children, and improve student mobility, learning opportunities and recognition of skills and qualifications.

ACT 7 — Inclusion and action against discrimination
Act to promote social cohesion and inclusion of migrants and refugees into societies and combat all forms of xenophobia, racism and discrimination.

ACT 8 — Transnational and sustainable development
Act to foster transnational connections and contributions of migrants, refugees and diaspora to sustainable development, and reduce transaction costs for remittances and investments.

ACT 9 — Rights, return and reintegration
Act to develop global principles on the governance of return, reintegration and alternatives to return that guarantee the rights, safety and dignity of all migrants and refugees in these contexts.

ACT 10 — Governance, implementation and monitoring
Act to create transparent, accountable and participatory mechanisms and means of implementation for rights-based global governance of human mobility and migration.

CROSSCUTTING ALL TEN ACTS ARE

A — The rights of children
and primary consideration for sustainable solutions in children's best interests in all policies, decisions and actions.

B — Gender-responsive policies
that take into consideration the different needs, vulnerabilities and capacities of all migrants and refugees, and that ensure the full achievement of the rights and empowerment of women and girls.