



December 17, 2012

United Nations Global Compact Office
Two United Nations Plaza
New York, NY 10017

RE: Grace Letter

To Whom It May Concern:

We are aware that a key requirement for participation in the UN Global Compact is the annual preparation and posting of a Communication on Progress (COP) that comprises a statement of continued support to the UN Global Compact, a description of actions regarding the principles, and a measurement of outcome or expected outcome.

Our report is due January 18, 2012, which we are currently working on but will be unable to complete by the deadline. We hereby ask for an extension period in order to be able to post a COP describing the efforts made by our company to implement the principles of the Global Compact and beyond.

We would post our COP on the Global Compact website no later than March 18, 2011. By regulating our submittal date to March of every year our reporting year (January to December) will be in sync with the calendar year as we move forward.

Thank you for your consideration.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Adriana Cisneros de Griffin". The signature is fluid and cursive.

Adriana Cisneros de Griffin
Chief Executive Officer
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