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To whom it may concern:

We recognize 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 of a statement of continued support for the UN Global Compact, a description of practical actions with regard to the principles of the UN Global Compact, and a measurement of outcomes or expected outcomes.

We are late in creating, sharing and posting our COP report due to delay in collecting, collating, analyzing pertinent information from our various work centers and our operational locations abroad and compiling it into a presentable document in the format of the COP. There has also been a change in the portfolio of key personnel associated with this assignment that has set-in a learning curve for the new incumbents. However, these issues have been resolved and we are confident of posting our COP shortly.

We hereby ask for an extension period in order to be able to post a COP that describes our company's efforts and progress to implement the principles of the UN Global Compact. Our new COP report will be posted on the UN Global Compact website by *January 31st 2010* at the latest.

Sincerely yours,

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