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To our stakeholders:

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 currently working on making a report that reflects the progress we have made with the implementation of the principles of Global Compact since our previous report. We want this report to be of a quality that reflects our respect for Global Compact and our active commitment to support our suppliers in continued progress on CSR.

Recently we have had to divert significant resources to a restructuring process of our organization aiming at further strengthening our customer focus and our ability to push for further CSR improvement. This includes change of staff in our CSR department. For this reason we are sorry to announce that we have to postpone the publishing of our CSR report 1010 a short period of time in order to produce a report of the desired quality.

We hereby request 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 05-08-2010 at the latest.

Sincerely yours,  
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