

MEETING PROFESSIONALS INTERNATIONAL

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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 late in creating, sharing and posting our COP report due to the major organizational restructuring the association has undergone, a recent transition in job responsibilities for this document and a heavy focus during the period when the document has been undergoing drafts and revisions on a totally relaunched website and our resource heavy annual congress at the end of July.

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 17th September, 43 days from today at latest, utilizing half of the regular grace period permitted.

Sincerely yours,

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