



April 23, 2014 Helsinki, Finland

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.

Stockmann Group is required to submit its Communication on Progress (COP) to the UN Global Compact by April 26, 2014. Stockmann Group intends to fulfill the COP requirement by submitting its' CSR Report which is published annually in late April/ early May. This year, our report is scheduled to be published on 29 April, 2014. Thus, please accept this letter as Stockmann Group's formal request for a 4 day grace period until the end of April, 2014.

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 April 30, 2014 at the latest.

Sincerely yours,

Mrs. Nora Malin

Director, Communications

Stockmann Group