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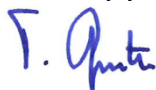
To our stakeholders:

Lonza considers participation in the UN Global Compact an essential part of doing business and belonging to the family of globally active chemical, pharmaceutical and biotechnological companies. The annual release of the required Communication on Progress (COP) is an inherent part of this program.

In 2015 we are unable to meet the originally set publication date of April 15, due to several unforeseen business projects which compete with the same resources. We anticipate a delay of a maximum of one month, which will allow us to verify and validate key performance data and wording for the 2015 COP.

We hereby ask for an extension period of a maximum of one month in order to be able to make a meaningful COP available to our stakeholders. The 2015 COP report covering progress during 2014 fiscal year will be posted on the UN Global Compact website on May 15th at the latest.

Sincerely yours,



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