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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 CEO 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 publishing our COP report this year, due to a need for aligning the submission date with the publication date of our Annual report, this year and going forward.

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 October 27<sup>th</sup> 2016, at the latest.

Sincerely yours,

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