



CENTRE FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

A Non-Profit Organization

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To Our Stakeholders:

We recognize that a key requirement for participation in the UN Global Compact is the annual preparation 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 creating, sharing and posting our COP report due to delays in completing the pilot of our project “Dialogues on Sustainable Development Goals and Gender Equitable Business Models in Nigeria. Centre for Human Development has been active in the Local Network and participated in the 2016 UN Global Compact meeting to develop the skills for its project and interact with other international members. It has in the last year designed a program of intervention to engage the private sector in a transformative agenda aimed at achieving gender – equitable workplaces through capacity building and rigorous implementation of gender responsive business models in participating organizations. We need time to complete the pilot project in order to provide an informative COP.

We hereby ask for an extension period in order to be able to post a COP that describes our organization’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 June 30th 2017, 90 days from our COP deadline.

Sincerely yours,

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Executive Director