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**SUBJECT: Deadline Modification Request**

Dear 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 regards to the principles of the UN Global Compact, and a measurement of outcomes or expected outcomes.

We need more time to create, share and post our COP report due to operational intensity of Corporate Communications team in 2017.

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 March 5, 2018 at the latest.

