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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 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 a transition in our senior leadership and the demands of the beginning of a new academic year.

We hereby ask for an extension period in order to be able to post a COP that describes our university'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 31, 2018 at the latest.

Thank you. Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Tony Buono".

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