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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 and a description of practical actions relevant to the principles of the UN Global Compact.

We would like to align our COP deadline with our internal reporting cycle. We hereby request our COP-deadline to be adjusted to April 10th.

Yours faithfully,

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