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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 Engagement (COE) that declares continued support for the UN Global Compact and measurement of outcomes or expected outcomes.

We are currently in the process of working on our university's vision of public service and sustainability in accordance with our new strategic plan. Therefore, we would like to finalize our COE as a result of this collaborative effort by the sustainability commission.

We hereby ask for an extension period to post a COE that describes our university's efforts and progress to implement the principles of the UN Global Compact.

Sincerely yours,

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Haluk Mert Bal

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