

**Board of Advisors**

Ambassador TP Sreenivasan  
Mr PK Hormis Tharakan, IPS (Retd)  
Mr PR Devi Prasad, IES (Retd)  
Ambassador Venu Rajamony  
Prof (Dr) G Gopakumar  
Mr Sandip Ghose  
Dr Parth J Shah  
Prof (Dr) Shanta Sinha  
Prof K C Abraham  
Ms Susan Zielinski  
Prof (Dr) W Lawrence S Prabhakar  
Mr Alex Thomas

**Board of Trustees**

Dr D Dhanuraj (Chairman)  
Ms Rosemary K Abraham, IES  
Mr Antony Dawson D'silva  
Mr Jubin Jose  
Ms Saritha Varma  
Ms Lakshmi Ramamurthy  
Ms Nissy Solomon

The Centre for Public Policy Research (CPPR) is an independent, not for profit, public policy think-tank dedicated to in-depth research and scientific analysis. Established in 2004, our core areas of expertise are in Economy & Public Finance, Urban Governance, Urban Transport, Education, Health, Governance & Law, Election studies, International Relations, Defence & Security Studies, and Technology Policy and Artificial Intelligence.

005/CPPR/Gen/21-22/132

07/04/2022

To,

Deep Chandra Papnoi  
Programme Manager, UNGC India Network

**Subject: Request to extend the submission of 'Communication on Engagement date**

Dear Sir,

Greetings from CPPR!

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 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 as our entire team is engaged in preparation of hosting an international conference due from 19th -21 April 2022. Additionally the global pandemic did not give us ample opportunities to collaborate with the UN Global Compact network.

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 July 6, 2022 at the latest.

Looking forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely yours,



**D Dhanuraj**  
Chairman, CPPR