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For the attention of
Global Compact Office
United Nations
New York, NY 10017
USA

Dear stakeholders,

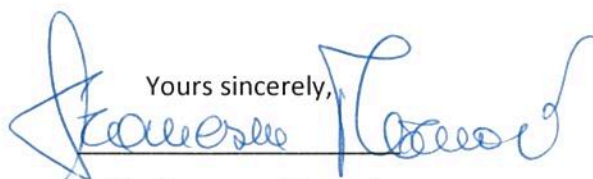
We recognise that a key requirement for participation in the UN Global Compact is the annual preparation and posting of a Communication on Progress (COP) that comprises a CEO statement of continued support for the UN Global Compact, a description of practical actions with regard to the principles of the UN Global Compact, and a measurement of outcomes or expected outcomes.

Unfortunately we are late in creating, sharing and posting our COP report for the following reasons:

- 1) We would like to align our 2022 COP with the Financial Report only recently completed (April 2022) and we need more time to synchronize these two documents.
- 2) We are in the process of creating a dedicated sustainability area on our website but require more time to complete it.

We hereby request 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 2022 at the latest.

Yours sincerely,


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