

December 11, 2023

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, a description of practical actions with regard to the principles of the UN Global Compact, and a measurement of outcomes or expected outcomes. IISD continues to be aligned with the values and mandate of the UN Global Compact.

We sincerely apologize for being late in creating, sharing, and posting our COP report. This oversight was due to recent changes in leadership, and a current interim leadership structure, resulting in the reminders being sent to the wrong email address.

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 March 17, 2024 at the latest.

Sincerely yours,



Martha Casey, Interim Co-CEO