

To whom it may concern,

Re: Request a 90 day extension to our COE deadline.

On behalf of the World Green Building Council (WorldGBC), we would like to request a 90 day extension to our deadline to submit our 2024 Communication on Engagement. WorldGBC has been a non-business signatory of the United Nations Global Compact since 2020, and you can find recent Communications of Engagement through our Annual Report back catalogue.

The reason for the request for extension in 2024 is due to the development of our new strategy for our global network. This has involved a comprehensive development and consultation with our members (of which there are around 80 national Green Building Councils) and wider stakeholders. This process has taken more time than anticipated due to the complexity of the stakeholder engagement governance, and we consequently have had to delay the planned June publication of our Annual Report.

The Communication on Engagement will be published within our forthcoming Annual Report within the next three months, and this will then be uploaded to the portal as our submission for this year.

Please accept our apologies for the delay and any inconvenience in adhering to this reporting cycle, but we trust you recognise the reason for delay when undertaking extensive member and stakeholder engagement processes.

Thank you for your flexibility and we look forward to continuing to engage with the UNGC team.

Kind regards,

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CEO

World Green Building Council