

R E A C H A

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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 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 to our deep implementation work in remote geographies like Kashmir and the Northeast in India. As a result, we have not been able to compile the required information in a manner that is expected as concerned teams have been deployed in these projects. I hope you will understand.*

As an NGO we remain deeply committed to achievement of SDG goals as enunciated by UNGCNI/UN. Over the last 2 years we have diligently supported government and corporate initiatives across the country to strengthen development work with focus on compliance with impact. We are in the process of compiling the required information for CoE submission to UNGCNI portal. In the meantime, our Annual Reports (2008-09 till 2023-24) and FCRA Annual Returns (2022-12 till 2022-23) can be accessed at <u>https://reacha.org/about.</u> Our FCRA was renewed and is now valid till 31st March 2029.

We hereby ask for an extension period in order to be able to post a COP that describes our NGOs 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 **30**th **September 2024 at the** *latest.*

Sincerely yours,

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