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To: Salma Houerbi <houerbi@business-humanrights.org>, Marti Flacks <flacks@business-humanrights.org>

Subject: RE: BCG in our newsletter - invitation to respond

Dear Ms. Houerbi and Ms. Flacks:

Thank you very much for the outreach we received on April 24, 2020. We appreciate hearing from you and share your concerns on human rights violations.

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Thank you for your inquiry and for sharing your thoughts and expertise. We appreciate your engagement.

Sincerely,
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