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Alex Burghart MP
Parliamentary Secretary
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Dear Minister Burghart,

Thank you for your letter. I would also like to express my great appreciation for our meeting and the opportunity to learn more about the open government initiatives being implemented by the UK Government.

I am very glad to receive your confirmation for attending the OGP Global Summit in September. Your leadership and expertise on the core issues being discussed throughout the summit will provide a valuable perspective to the diverse OGP community gathered there, including at the Ministerial Steering Committee meeting taking place on September 5th. More details will be shared in the coming weeks.

I also confirm receipt of the relevant documentation regarding UK's compliance with OGP minimum participation requirements as outlined in the Criteria & Standards Sub-Committee resolution from 20 December 2022. It is encouraging to see the UK Government striving to go above the minimum requirements as outlined in your letter dated 29 June 2023. This information has been transmitted to the rest of the Criteria & Standards Subcommittee for their information.

I am pleased to inform you that, considering that the terms of the resolution have been met, inactivity discussion will not be considered by the Subcommittee for the time being. The UK Government will remain under Procedural Review until it meets the minimum requirements, as assessed by the IRM Results Report that should be published early next year.

The OGP Support Unit and Steering Committee stand firmly committed to assisting and supporting you in any way necessary during the final stages of implementation of the UK's fifth action plan and the co-creation of the next one.

Yours sincerely,



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Chief Executive Officer

