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EXTENSION MSG FEEDBACK ON 2026 DRAFT VALIDATION REPORT

Dear Sirs,

In response to your letter of 13 October requesting an extension to submit the MSG's feedback on the draft Validation Report shared with the group on 17 September, the International Secretariat agrees to grant the extension, in accordance with Validation procedures and practice.

The Secretariat expects to receive the feedback no later than 30 October 2026. We look forward to receiving the GYEITI MSG's feedback by that date.

Yours sincerely,



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