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Dear Christina

Thank you for the amended TOR and your response sent two evenings ago. Although we have begun discussing the amended TOR, we will need additional time past tomorrow to consider your letter and the amended TOR. As you may know, our executive board is dispersed in various communities throughout Guyana, making rapid communication difficult in many cases. Therefore we request at minimum, an additional week (until October 20, 2023) to respond.

To be clear, we are not withdrawing from the appeal process. However, we cannot sign any TOR for the appeal process until we have consulted our executive board and unless we are able to trust that the TOR sets up a fair process that will appropriately consider the substance of our complaint and appeal.

We would like to believe that we are not being coerced into making any decisions in a rushed manner and that ART respects our need for additional time.

Thank you.

Laura

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