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Potsdam, 8th October 2012

Dear Paul,

I am glad you have accepted to be a member of the Committee on Superconductivity, which was established at the beginning of the year.

Since our last meeting at IASS, we have made relevant progress in the scientific and collaborative activities in our program *Long-distance energy transport through superconducting electric lines*.

I would like to call for a first meeting of the Committee on Thursday, 29th November in Potsdam. As you will see from the tentative agenda here enclosed, besides providing you with an update on the research results we will discuss the socio-economic and public acceptance aspects related to the perspectives of the development of this technology in the framework of evolving energy scenarios.

Please send us your answer no later than 31st October 2012. The IASS will cover the travel and accommodation expenses related to this event.

Dr. Delia Salmieri and Dr. Adela Marian (delia.salmieri@iass-potsdam.de, adela.marian@iass-potsdam.de) are at your disposal to discuss any details and our Secretary, Ms. Stefanie Rekers-Humbert, (e3.secretariat@iass-potsdam.de) will assist you with the organizational of your travel.

Looking forward to hearing from you soon, I send you my best regards.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Carlo Rubbia".

Carlo Rubbia

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