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To: Heads of Research Units

Dear Colleagues

Re: Invitation to 2nd General Planning Meeting, 15-19 November 2010, at EFDA-JET.

Following the 1st General planning meeting on 1-5 March 2010 and the review meetings by the Task Forces E1/E2 in July and September 2010, preparations for the JET experimental campaigns with the ITER-like wall (ILW), enhanced neutral beam heating power and improved diagnostics are now nearing conclusion.

The preparation of experiment proposals will be completed by 15 October 2010, in order to allow proper assessments by the Task Force Leaders and EFDA-JET CSU.

A 2nd General Planning Meeting (GPM) will take place at EFDA-JET, Culham Science Centre, UK, starting at 2pm on 15 November 2010 and finishing at 1pm on 19 November 2010. Although remote participation is possible, on-site participation is strongly recommended.

At the 2nd GPM the boundary conditions for the campaigns in 2011 and beyond will be given, the experiment proposals will be reviewed and discussed, and priorities for science and sequence will be established for a balanced and focussed programme for the exploitation of the ILW up to the end of 2013, and a detailed timeline for the experimental Campaigns C28-C29 during 2011.

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I trust that the strong involvement of your Association in the use of the JET Facilities under EFDA will continue during this preparation phase of the experimental campaigns with the ILW. Thus, I look forward to receiving the proposal of your Association for participation in this meeting, which should be sent to George Sips (George.Sips@jet.efda.org) by 25 October 2010.

Since the meeting is eligible for Mobility Support you may initiate the Administrative process with the relevant department within the European Commission.

Yours sincerely



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