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Dear Mr. Comby,

I have the pleasure of informing you that at the 2nd Governing Board meeting held in Prague on May 29th 2008, the application of AEPN to become a member of the Sustainable Nuclear Energy Technology Platform was approved. The document explaining the organization and rules of the SNE-TP was also approved at the Governing Board meeting, http://www.snetp.eu/home/liblocal/docs/SNETP_Organisation_version7.5.pdf, and I refer you to this document for questions you may have concerning the governance of the platform. The Board also asked the Executive Committee to prepare a document concerning the Communication Strategy of the platform, which will be of interest to you.

AEPN may now participate fully and officially in the different Working Groups (Strategic Research Agenda, Deployment Strategy, Education, Training and Knowledge Management). You may also be interested in the preparation of a European Industrial Initiative for sustainable fission (Generation IV technologies) in the context of the SET Plan. You may find more details on the status of the platform's activities in the recently released Newsletter (available on the website) or by contacting the secretariat, secretariat@snetp.eu.

I look forward to AEPN's active participation in the platform's work, and to welcoming you to our first General Assembly, which will take place in Brussels on the 26th November. Details and registration for this event may be found on the website, www.snetp.eu.

With my very best regards,

Philippe PRADEI Chair of SNE-TP



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