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Dear Dr Stück.

We would like to thank you for your active involvement, your suggestions and your ideas at the Berlin-Potsdam EPH Consultative Conference in November 2011. Your input has been especially important for the EPH Working Meetings in Potsdam. The establishment of the EPH Working Parties/Working Groups, based on the EPH Working Meetings in November 2011, are an essential step towards the further development of EPH as an instrument in science & policy.

The Working Party/Group EPH Structure needs an efficient bottom-up coordination and input for which we would like to involve you actively. We are thus glad to invite you to take over the role of Facilitator of one of the planned EPH Working Groups/Working Parties. Facilitators will prepare for larger working groups and working parties (the platforms) through establishing a coordination group in a specific field. The EPH thematic coordination group will elect a chairperson. We would be very glad if you can accept this offer, as we are convinced of your most valuable input into EPH as an instrument within the European Union. We sincerely hope this will be of interest for you and your institute.

To assist you in your decision, please find attached three planning documents:

- 1. List of tasks and timeline of the work of the Facilitators
- 2. Draft Guidelines of the Working Parties/Groups
- 3. 2nd Draft List of Working Parties Groups

Please do not hesitate to contact us by email or by phone in case you have any further questions. We are looking forward to your decision, which we expect as soon as possible, and contribution to the EPH development, and wish you again all the best for the new year.

Kindest regards,

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