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Interested Parties of the Committee for Advanced Therapies (CAT)

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Patient Health Protection

Dear Sir/Madam,

Subject: Committee for Advanced Therapies' Hearing with Interested Parties in 2010.

You received on 1st March 2010 a questionnaire to collect feedback from stakeholders in the frame of the interaction between the Committee for Advanced Therapies (CAT) and its interested parties. Subsequent to this, the CAT Secretariat has carefully evaluated the responses received with a view to deciding on how best to structure interactions with CAT in the future.

The majority of stakeholders have expressed the view that future hearings with CAT should focus on specific topics suggested by interested parties in a particular area.

To address this wish the CAT has decided to hold separate meetings dedicated to specific needs of the various interested parties (large associations representing industry; SMEs; Academia, hospitals and research groups). These hearings will be conducted between April and July 2010 in the margins of CAT Plenary meetings.

You will receive specific invitations to attend one of these hearings in due course.

On behalf of the Chair and Members of the CAT, we would like to thank you for your continuous interest in the work of the Committee.

Yours sincerely,

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c.c. CAT Chair (Christian Schneider), Tony Humphreys, Patrick Celis

