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Dear Prof. Van Aken,

Dear Prof. Bion,

We are writing to you with regard to your request for endorsement of the "Roadmap on Intensive Care Medicine" by the Council of UEMS. This request was presented and discussed at the last Council Meeting held in Brussels on 19th April 2008.

We are pleased to inform you that a majority of Members supported this proposal. At the same time, we would like to take this opportunity to acknowledge the quality and thoroughness of your research and thank you for your commitment to the UEMS as a whole.

As already said at the meeting, the UEMS Executive will fully support the defence and implementation of this paper. We would like to point out that despite the currently unfavorable EU context as regards medical training, the utmost will be done to achieve a genuine implementation of these guidelines.

Looking forward to further collaborating with you,

Dr Zlatko Fras

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