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To the delegates* and individual members of EGATIN

Dear all

Some time has passed since we met in Budapest, where about 60 participants enjoyed good hosting and fine presentations covering the theme of the Study Days: 'Applied group analyses - challenges and training'.

At the AGM it was proposed that the present chair should extend his period. The arguments were the need for consolidation and continuity at a time where there are changes in the committee membership.

The AGM supported the proposal and it was decided that the committee should put forward changes in the bylaws.

The constitution says: 'The committee will elect its chairman, who will fill the office for not more than 3 years'.

The suggestion from the committee is: 'If the committee finds it appropriate and convenient, the period can be extended to a further 1 to 3 years'.

Notice: The next AGM will be in Oslo April 27th. 2008

Two new members joined the committee: Paula Carvalho from Lisbon and Amélie Noack from London. They are both competent group analysts and are experienced in training and organizational matters. At the same time Thor Kristian Island from Oslo stepped down finally after years of devoted work in the EGATIN committee.

At the policy meeting the following questions were put forward by the chair for discussion:

- What applied Group Analysis do we know of?
- What kinds of training and theory regarding AGA are being practiced?
- To what extent should group analytic training include applied group analysis?

*Please pass on the information to colleagues in the Institute, you represent