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Date : June 23, 2008 Subject : Plagiarism

Dear Mrs. Glasgow:

This is in response of your letter dated March 12, 2008.

- 1. Your letter refers to my letter dated February 9, 2008, sent to Charlene Placido, Claude Canizares, Michael Sipser and Alar Toomre. It is noticed that none of the issues raised in my previous letters have been answered properly, nor have they ever been subject of a court procedure. (Encl.1-5)
- 2. Your answer in response of our allegations about plagiarism as performed by Prof. Alar Toomre, has been critically scrutinised by experts. It has been concluded the observed behaviour of Alar Toomre, between 2006 -2007 fully meets MIT's very own definition of plagiarism, i.e.: "Plagiarism is the copying, whether deliberate or unintentional, of ideas or portions of text without citing the sources for credit. It is also the use of other people's ideas without attributing them to the proper source."
- 3. Your statement without any motivation that the facts do not constitute plagiarism, is not only wrong, but shows a mindset of denial, which is not only bizarre, but also highly unprofessional.

We will take further action in due course.

Looking forward to your response with all rights reserved. The original letter, with enclosures will be sent separately by regular mail.

Very truly yours,

Prof. dr.ir. Anton F. P. van Putten

Director

Encl.
March 9, 2007, Placido
May 25, 2007, AvP
June 7, 2007, Canizares
September 3, 2007, AvP
October 16, 2007 Placido