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Subject: Re: APAS-D-14-00036

Date: April 28, 2014 at 7:29 PM

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Dear Prof. Hong,

Thank-you for your email. You have communicated your strategy perfectly.

Please accept my apologies for having disturbed your serenity. I mistakenly assumed you people are scientists.

Yours sincerely,

Pat Frank

Xenophanes, 570-500 BCE

On Apr 27, 2014, at 7:53 PM, HONG wrote:

Dear Pat Frank,

First, we really appreciate your submission on APJAS. However, as mentioned in previous communication, it is our strategy to have the handling editor all the right of the decision of the assigned paper. Also, the APJAS has a strategy to assign the previous submission to the same editor.

We hope you to understand our strategy.

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2014. 4. 25., 오후 1:56, Patrick Frank <<u>pfrank830@earthlink.net</u>> 작성:

Dear Prof. Hong,

Prof. Lee's reasons for declining manuscript APAS-D-14-00036 have no objective relevance. She is evidently unable or unwilling to evaluate a paper assessing the uncertainty arising from climate model error.

Accordingly, I respectfully request that you assign manuscript APAS-D-14-00036 to an alternate editor.

Thank-you very much for your consideration,

Pat Frank

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******* These things are, we conjecture, like the truth; But as for certain truth, no one has known it.

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