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Dear Mr. Lugo,

We, the Federación de Asociaciones Astronómicas de España - FAAE - supports and endorses the contents of the white paper titled: “The Future of the Arecibo Observatory: The Next Generation Arecibo Telescope.” Our organization recognizes the scientific, economic, and cultural impacts of the Arecibo Observatory and supports rebuilding a new telescope at the same site. We believe this new unparalleled instrument will push forward the boundaries of Planetary Science, Space and Atmospheric Sciences, and Astronomy for decades to come.

Sincerely,

Blanca Troughton
President of FAAE



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