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MEMORANDUM

To : The Members of the Nuclear Physics Research Committee

From : The EEC

Subject: Minutes of the MEC meeting held on 15 November 1966

Present: W. Paul (Chairman), J. Bell, G. Cocconi, L. Dick, A. Diddens
Maria Fidecaro, B. Gregory, G. Munday, P. Preiswerk, L. van Hove,
and for part of the time: J. Allaby, W. Baker, M. Borghini,
G. Conforto, G. Chichovani, L. Dilella, P. Falk-Vairent,
M. Ferroluzzi, G. Fidecaro, J.M. Gaillard, B. Hahn, B. Hyams,
B. Maglic, I. Mannelli, A. Michelini, G. Merlo, H. Muller,
O. van Rosum, C. Rubbia, J.C. Sens, P. Sondaregger, J.P. Stroot,

M. Vivargent, K. Winter and A. Zichichi.

The following papers have been received by EEC.

- ✓ 1. G. Chicovani et al. Experiment to determine spin and parity of A2 meson.
 - 2. Muon storage ring group. Requests for 1967.
 - 3. CERN-Munich group. Experimental proposal for $\phi \rightarrow KK$.
- ✓ 4. Pisa-Orsay-Saclay collaboration. Status of the experiment in the d₂ beam, November 1966.
 - 5. V. Bisi et al. Further investigations on K_0 decays in the ejected beam.
 - 6. Groupe H.E.R.A. Faisceau pour S54.

After the representatives of various groups had presented the status of various experiments, the EEC made the following recommendations:

- 1. The g-2 experiment S33 gets priority in the weeks 51 and 52.
- 2. The Aachen-CERN experiment S49 on the interference between $K_1^0 \to \pi^+\pi^-$ and $K_2^0 \to \pi^+\pi^-$, should get two times 24 hours before Christmas to set up the beam; and one pulse over 5 in the first week of January, and then priority over target 1 for four weeks before the shut-down.
- 3. The extension of CERN-Munich experiment S42 (ρ and ω decays into muons pairs) is approved in the sense that the experimental apparatus can stay until it is necessary to remove it because of the final installation of e_3 . The experiment will run if possible.
- 4. Again, before Christmas, two weeks for testing background for search on charge 1/3 particles at CERN PS should be given to Allaby et al. (see minutes of the EEC meeting held on 4 October, 1966).
- 5. Chicovani et al. get the first two weeks in January, to test the apparatus for determining spin and parity of the A_2 meson, while no decision is taken for the other two weeks requested.
- 6. The decisions about the continuation of Orsay-Pisa-Saclay experiment S55 on the angular distribution of $\pi^- p \to \Lambda^o(\Sigma^o) K^\bullet$ in the forward direction are delayed to the next meeting.