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## **GDE Executive Committee Teleconference 20 April 2006**

Present: B. Barish, T. Raubenheimer, \*G. Dugan, B. Foster, N. Walker, K. Yokoya, M. Hronek (sec)

\*G. Dugan chair/B. Barish present for ½ meeting due to travel.

Guest: W. Bialowons, P. Garbincius, T. Shidara

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OPEN SESSION – Cost Engineers

### **Questions Discussed:**

- Assessment of the status and issues to complete first roll up at Vancouver; do we need a meeting in June?
- Strategy and Confidentiality
  
- How do we initiate cost reduction?
- Costs Estimates – Europe and Asia What can we expect and when?

CLOSED SESSION:

### **Action Items:**

- DESY Meeting -- Draft agenda should be out by next week (4/28) if not sooner.
- Vancouver Meeting - organizational meeting on 4/27
  - Added another ½ day parallel sessions
  - Town meeting being organized with help from E. Clements
  - Physics group requested a talk on the baseline - we need a volunteer
- Valencia Meeting - teleconference on 4/25 to discuss scheduling
- FALC Resource –
  - Europe – numbers turned in to BB
  - Asia – KEK numbers turned in
- ILC R&D Program
  - GD and BB giving talks at P5/SLAC
  - Numbers being given are the same one's that were given out to the DOE at the review
- Global Coordination & ILC R&D
  - We received our report from the MAC
  - R&D needs more priority on the key items like cavity production.
  - We really need a plan and a schedule for the R&D.
- Addition of Grigory Shirkov of Dubna approved to join the GDE.