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Lefteri--

Both Seth and I have been contacted by Eugenie Reich <eugenie.reich@gmail.com> (see below).

I suggest that you contact her soonest.

--Ken

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Ken; I was contacted by a Eugenie Reich freelance for Nature.  
 Her goal is to write a newstory that will cause an investigation of RT  
 We need to have a position in this matter before it spins out of control.  
 Best would be if Lefteri announced an investigation.  
 She keeps asking me why hasn't Lefteri initiated an investigation?  
 I say ask him. She asks me if I believe the data and I say it's wrong. So she says why don't you accuse him of fraud?  
 Of course I say it's a long way from bad science to fraud. This will get it's own life unless Lefteri acts.  
 I am overarching PI but I am unable to act cause RT didn't acknowledge Darpa..  
 Feel free to pass on to Lefteri.  
 This is just a stream of concern.  
 Seth

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