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Prof. Rev. Fr. Jacques Simporé,

by virtue of Art. 5, § 1 and 5 of the new Statute of the Pontifical Academy for Life, approved by the Holy Father on 18 October 2016 and attached hereto, I am very pleased to inform you that Pope Francis has appointed you, for five years, **Ordinary Member** of this Pontifical Academy.

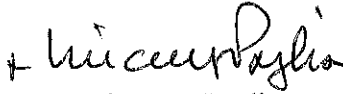
I wish to express my deepest gratitude for the devotion and support you have shown over the years to the institutional mission of the Pontifical Academy for Life, which will be able to continue, also thanks to your contribution, even more fruitfully, in “the scientific work of cultural research and academic education” at the service of human life, requested of the Academy by the Holy Father.


Pope Francis himself will open the Plenary Assembly of our Academy, which will take place in the Vatican from **5 to 7 October 2017** and you are kindly invited to attend, in order to share together moments of study and reflection.

In the coming days you will receive further concrete information, especially in relation to your participation in the Assembly.

With kindest congratulations, also on behalf of the Chancellor, Mons. Renzo Pegoraro.

Warmest regards,


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President


Msgr. Renzo Pegoraro
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With Attachment

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