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Subject: UKIDSS review

Dear Andy,

The UKIRT Board has discussed how best to proceed with the review of the existing UKIDSS programme. We confirmed it would be simplest for everyone if this review were incorporated in a response to the UKIRT Call for Campaign Proposals (now posted on the JAC web-site).

In this Call, we have requested letters of intent by 3 July 2006. A single letter of intent covering the existing five UKIDSS surveys will be sufficient, but we would like a separate letter of intent for each of any new surveys UKIDSS plans to propose.

For the 3 November 2006 proposal deadline however, the Board asks that a separate proposal should be submitted for each of the five existing UKIDSS surveys. These proposals will be the opportunity for you to present reviews of what the UKIDSS surveys have been able to do in their first phases and present the plan for their continuation. Separate proposals should be submitted for any new campaigns for which you submitted letters of intent.

The referees reviewing the proposals will be asked to consider each proposal on its own merits in comparison with the other proposals which are submitted in response to the Call.

After all the proposals have been refereed, the Board is planning to meet in early February to decide the outcome of the campaign call and expects to be able to inform the community of its decisions shortly after that meeting.

Best regards,

Gary
on behalf of the UKIRT Board

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