Information on the Logistics of the International Conference on
Fifty Years of Nuclear Power- the Next Fifty Years,
27 June-2 July 2004
Moscow/Obninsk, Russian Federation

The Inaugural Session of the Conference will take place in Moscow at the:

Russian Academy of Sciences (Concert Hall)
32a Leninsky Prospect
Moscow 117334, Russian Federation

The Conference will continue in Obninsk at the:

Obninsk Conference Centre
Institute for Physics & Power Engineering
Obninsk, Kaluga Region 249033

Arrival, Transport, and Accommodation in Moscow:

Participants arriving in Moscow (International Airport Sheremetyevo) on Friday, 25 June and Saturday, 26 June will be met by the local organizers and taken to their hotels. The local organizers will assist participants with hotel room booking for the President Hotel and the Hotel Academicheskaya only. If you wish to stay in one of the other hotels indicated on the attached list of hotels, you will have to book yourself via Internet (websites are indicated on top of the hotel list).

In any event please complete the enclosed hotel reservation and send it to the address indicated on the form before 1 June 2004.

On Sunday, 27 June, between 12.30 and 13.30 hrs participants will be picked up from the hotels indicated on the list (together with their luggage) and taken to the Russian Academy of Sciences (Concert Hall) for Conference Registration.

Participants arriving at Sheremetyevo Airport before 16.00hrs on Sunday, 27 June will be brought directly to the Academy of Sciences (Concert Hall) for registration. Those arriving after 16.00hrs on Sunday will be taken directly to Obninsk.

Information on the date, time of arrival and flight number should be indicated on the hotel form.
Conference Registration:
The Registration desk at the Russian Academy of Sciences (Concert Hall) in Moscow will be open on Sunday, 27 June between 12.00 and 15.00. Attention is drawn to the fact that there will be strict security checking at the entrance to the Conference premises. Only participants presenting this letter will be allowed to enter.

Participants arriving after Sunday, 27 June, will be registered at the Conference Centre in Obninsk. Registration in Obninsk will start on Monday, 28 June, at 12.00 hrs.

No registration fee is charged.

Inauguration of the Conference:
The inaugural session of the Conference will take place on Sunday, 27 June between 15.00 and 17.00hrs at the Russian Academy of Sciences (Concert Hall) in Moscow and will be followed by a reception hosted by the Ministry for Atomic Energy of the Russian Federation.

Transportation from Moscow to Obninsk:
After the reception the buses to Obninsk will leave directly from the Russian Academy of Sciences (Concert Hall) at 20.00hrs.

Accommodation in Obninsk:
Upon arrival in Obninsk participants will be brought directly to their hotels. The attached hotel reservation form (for Moscow and/or Obninsk) must be completed and sent to the address indicated on the form before 1 June 2004. Room reservations will be confirmed to participants by e-mail.

Transportation within Obninsk:
Bus transportation will be provided between the hotel(s) and the meeting premises in the morning, for lunch and in the evenings at the end of the sessions.

Meals:
In Obninsk, meals will be provided for participants in the hotels at the price of 600 roubles per lunch and dinner. Tickets will be sold at the reception desk of the hotels.

Documentation:
A provisional programme of the Conference is attached. The final programme and the book of extended synopses will be available upon registration in Moscow and/or Obninsk.

Conference Proceedings:
The proceedings, containing the full texts of paper and poster presentations, will be published by the IAEA in unedited form in CD format. All participants will receive a free copy of the CD as soon as possible after the Conference.

Visa:
Invitation letters will be issued by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Russian Federation for all foreign participants.

For this purpose please complete the attached visa support form and send it urgently together with a copy of the personal page of your passport to Mr. Sergey Astapov by e-mail SergeyAstapov@dmvs.minatom.net or by Fax: 007 095 230 24 20.

After receipt of this visa support form the an invitation letter (or its registration number at the Foreign Ministry of the Russian Federation) will be sent to you by fax or by e-mail. This is required to apply for a visa at the Russian consulate in your country.
**Banking Facilities:**

There are several banks / currency exchange offices in the centre of Obninsk and near the Conference premises.

**Exchange rate:**

The present exchange rates are: 
1 euro = 35.3 roubles  
1 US $ = 28.5 roubles

**Tours:**

Local tours can be organized upon request in Obninsk.

Should you be unable to attend the Conference I would appreciate it very much if you could inform me accordingly before the meeting.

This and additional information is also available on the Conference web page which please check regularly for any additions and/or changes:

[http://www-pub.iaea.org/MTCD/Meetings/Announcements.asp?ConfID=114](http://www-pub.iaea.org/MTCD/Meetings/Announcements.asp?ConfID=114)

Please do not hesitate to get in touch with us for any further information.

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**Enclosures:** Provisional programme  
Hotel reservation form and list of hotels for Moscow  
Hotel reservation form for Obninsk  
Visa support form