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BACKGROUND AND OBJECTIVES

Following the Ministerial Conferences held in Paris in 2005 and in Beijing in 2009, the IAEA is organizing the International Ministerial Conference on Nuclear Power in the 21st Century, in St Petersburg, Russian Federation, from 27 to 29 June 2013.

The objectives of the conference are to provide an opportunity to discuss, at the ministerial and international expert level, the role and viability of nuclear power in sustainable development, including climate change mitigation; its role in meeting the growing global requirements for electricity; and its status and prospects for the future.

MAIN TOPICS

Energy and the Environment

Energy economics and competitiveness, linkages between energy and sustainable development, the role of nuclear power in energy security and climate change.

Nuclear Safety and Reliability through International Cooperation

Continuous improvement of performance and reliability of nuclear power plants, international and national perspectives and measures to strengthen nuclear safety, including in countries with rapidly expanding programmes, and synergy between nuclear safety and security.

MAIN TOPICS (cont.)

Infrastructure, Technology and Institutional Developments – The Way Forward

Infrastructure for new nuclear power programmes, human resources for the future, new models for financing nuclear projects and developments in waste management.

Drivers for Deployment of Sustainable and Innovative Technology

What governments and other investors can do to create conditions that foster deployment of innovative technologies such as fast reactors, closed fuel cycles and new designs for small, modular reactors.

CONFERENCE STRUCTURE

National statements will be delivered in plenary sessions.

Four panel sessions will be conducted, including presentations and round-table discussions among internationally recognized experts.

REGISTRATION AND FUNDS

No registration fee is required. Limited funds are available to assist selected participants from developing countries to attend the conference.

Approved grants will usually cover only part of the cost of attendance.

WORKING LANGUAGES

The working languages of the conference will be all the official IAEA languages: Arabic, Chinese, English, French, Russian and Spanish.

EXHIBITIONS

A limited amount of space will be available for displays/exhibits during the conference. Details will be available in the near future on the conference web page.

