

directed primarily at demonstrating the safety and licensing of radioactive waste disposal.

PROGRAMME

The workshop will have two sessions: the first dealing with developments in the safety standards for radioactive waste disposal and the associated licensing implications, and the second with the harmonization of approaches to demonstrating the safety of geological disposal and the related licensing implications. Each session will commence with an introductory keynote presentation to be followed by a panel discussion of key issues associated with the topics and also with issues identified by the workshop participants.

Session I 09:00 – 12:30	Session II 14:00 – 17:30
Developments in International Safety Standards on Radioactive Waste Disposal	Harmonization in Safety Demonstration for Geological Disposal
Ia Keynote Presentation	Ia Keynote Presentation
Ib Roundtable Discussion	Ib Roundtable Discussion

MEETING ARRANGEMENTS

The workshop will take place at the International Convention Centre, Cape Town Waterfront, and is being organized by the IAEA and hosted by the Government of South Africa through the Department of Energy, in cooperation with the National Nuclear Regulator. The working language of the workshop will be English.

All persons wishing to participate in the meeting must register for the international conference *Further Enhancing the Global Nuclear Safety and Security Regime*, through the competent national authority (Ministry of Foreign Affairs or national atomic energy authority) and must notify the Scientific Secretary of the workshop (see below). Information on registration for the international conference can be found on the IAEA website: <http://www-pub.iaea.org/MTCD/Meetings/Announcements.asp?ConfID=35791>.

As a general rule the IAEA does not pay the cost of attendance, the costs for the organization of the meeting are borne by the IAEA and the Host Government. No registration fee is charged to participants.

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Passport and Visa Requirements

Visitors from all nations are welcome in South Africa but must have a valid passport and usually need a visa. Please consult your travel agent or a South African Embassy well in advance regarding visa requirements.

All delegates are encouraged to visit the website of the SA Department of Home Affairs firstly to find out if they need a visa and secondly, to find out where their closest designated SA Embassy or consulate is situated. A visa application form can also be downloaded from the web site or below. The web site address to find your nearest consulate or embassy is: <http://www.home-affairs.gov.za/sa-abroad/salist.htm>.


You are then required to fill in the application form (DI84 form) and request a letter of invitation from the IAEA Secretariat. The application form and letter of invitation are to be sent by courier or through a travel agency to the nearest designated SA Embassy or Consulate in good time to obtain a visa.




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