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National Liaison Officers /

National Coordinators

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Subject: Interregional Workshop on Addressing Infrastructure Issues and Small Modular Reactors & Microreactors Deployment, St. Petersburg, Russian Federation, from 17 to 21 June 2024

Dear National Liaison Officer / National Coordinator,

I am pleased to inform you that the International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA) is organizing the above event under the IAEA technical cooperation project INT2023, "Supporting Member States' Capacity Building on Small Modular Reactors and Micro-reactors and their Technology and Applications as a Contribution of Nuclear Power to the Mitigation of Climate Change".

The purpose of the event is to discuss and share experiences on the IAEA's Milestones Approach and the 19 nuclear infrastructure issues that countries should consider when developing a nuclear power programme, with a focus on the specific considerations for SMRs and MRs and their deployment.

The attached Information Sheet provides further details, including technical and administrative aspects of the event. Selection of participants will be in accordance with IAEA procedures. Member States are strongly encouraged to identify women participants.

The IAEA will provide non-local participants with a round-trip air ticket based on the most direct and economical route between the airport nearest the participant's residence and St. Petersburg or a travel allowance to purchase an air ticket. Travel details will be agreed with the participants upon receipt of their official nomination. Participants will also receive an allowance from the IAEA sufficient to cover their costs of lodging, daily subsistence and miscellaneous expenses for the duration of the event in line with IAEA rules and procedures.

We would appreciate receiving your country's nominations by **03 May 2024** through the IAEA's InTouch+ platform (<u>https://Intouchplus.iaea.org</u>). Should this not be possible, applicants may download the Nomination Form for the course from the <u>IAEA's webpage</u>. Completed forms must be endorsed by the relevant government authority and may be sent to the IAEA, preferably by email to Official Mail - IAEA Mail address <u>Official.Mail@iaea.org</u>, with copy to Mr Jing Zhang <u>J.Zhang@iaea.org</u> and to Mr Nikita Butakov <u>N.Butakov@iaea.org</u>. Please be advised that late

nominations or replacements of participants after the closing date for nominations will not be accepted.

We look forward to receiving your early response.

Yours sincerely,

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Enclosure: Information Sheet