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The Secretariat of the International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA) presents its compliments to the IAEA's Member States and has the honour to draw their attention to the **International Conference on Fast Reactors and Related Fuel Cycles (FR26): From Innovation to Implementation** (hereinafter referred to as "event") to be held in Beijing, People's Republic of China from **18 to 21 May 2026**.

The purpose of the event is to serve as a platform for global collaboration and knowledge exchange in the field of fast reactor and advanced fuel cycle technologies. Key objectives of the conference include i) identifying strategic and technical options proposed by countries, organizations and private companies; ii) promoting sustainable development of safe, secure, and economically viable fast reactor system technologies; iii) identifying and addressing critical technical challenges and knowledge gaps in relation to the industrial deployment of fast reactors and related fuel cycles. The conference goal will also be engaging young scientists and engineers to promote innovation, diversity including gender equality and future leadership in the development of innovative fast reactor concepts and related fuel cycles.

The event will be held in English.

Member States are invited to disseminate the attached Announcement and Call for Papers to the target audience for the event and to designate participants using the InTouch+ platform, as indicated in Section G. Member States are strongly encouraged to designate women participants.

The IAEA is generally not in a position to bear the travel and other costs of participants in the event. The IAEA has, however, limited funds at its disposal to help meet the cost of attendance of certain participants. Upon specific request, such assistance may be offered to normally one participant per country, provided that, in the IAEA's view, the participant will make an important contribution to the event.

Applications for financial assistance, as well as submissions of papers, can only be considered if received via InTouch+ by the deadlines indicated in Section N of the Announcement and Call for Papers.

It should be noted that compensation is not payable by the IAEA for any damage to or loss of personal property. The IAEA also does not provide health insurance coverage for participants in events. Arrangements for private insurance coverage on an individual basis should therefore be made. The IAEA will, however, provide insurance coverage for accidents and illnesses that clearly result from any work performed for the IAEA.

The Secretariat of the International Atomic Energy Agency avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the IAEA's Member States the assurances of its highest consideration.



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