

GENERAL CONFERENCE

MEETINGS

for

Monday, 20 September 2004

10.00 a.m.
Plenary Hall

Opening of the 48th session

1st meeting

Election of officers and appointment of the General Committee

Applications for membership of the Agency

Message from the Secretary-General of the United Nations

Statement by the Director General

Contributions to the Technical Cooperation Fund for 2005

General debate and Annual Report for 2003

(The **provisional list** of speakers in the general debate on the opening day is as follows:

Mexico, United States of America, European Union (Netherlands), South Africa, Islamic Republic of Iran, Japan, Russian Federation, China, Slovakia, Romania, Saudi Arabia, Morocco, Burkina Faso, Ukraine, Tunisia, Yemen, Denmark, Chile)

3.00 p.m.
Plenary Hall

PLENARY:

2nd meeting

General debate and Annual Report for 2003 (continued)

6.15 p.m. *
Meeting Room M

GENERAL COMMITTEE:

1st meeting

* *Tentative*

INFORMAL MEETINGS

EU Coordination Meeting

Monday 9.00 a.m. Meeting Room N

WEOG

Monday 9.30 a.m. Meeting Room N

FORECAST

for

Tuesday, 21 September 2004

10.00 a.m.
Plenary Hall

PLENARY:

3rd meeting

10.00 a.m.
Meeting Room B

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE:

1st meeting

3.00 p.m.
Plenary Hall

PLENARY:

4th meeting

3.00 p.m.
Meeting Room B

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE:

2nd meeting

GENERAL CONFERENCE

OTHER MEETINGS and PROGRAMMES

Monday, 20 September 2004

- 9.00 a.m.** EU Group followed by WEOG — Meeting Room N, Austria Center Vienna (ACV) 1st floor
- 2.00 p.m.** Presentation on the ‘Illicit Trafficking Database’ — Meeting Room J-241/2, ACV
- 3.00 p.m.** Presentation and Demonstration of the ‘International Catalogue of Sealed Radioactive Sources and Devices’ — Meeting Room J-241/2, ACV
- 3.00 p.m.** Briefing on ‘Nuclear Knowledge Management’ — Meeting Room N, ACV 1st floor
- 3.00 p.m.** ARCAL Technical Cooperation Meeting — Conference Room V, VIC 7th Floor
- 4.00 p.m.** Briefing on ‘50 Years of Nuclear Power: Review and Outlook’ — Meeting Room N, ACV 1st floor
- 5.00 p.m.** Briefing for IGOs and NGOs — Meeting Room O, ACV 1st floor
- 6.15 p.m. to 8.00 p.m.** Joint Reception hosted by the President of the Conference and the Director General of the IAEA — Rotunda, ACV (by invitation only)

Detailed information on each programme is contained in this document.

GENERAL

GENERAL ARRANGEMENTS

The Conference is meeting in the Austria Center Vienna (ACV), Bruno Kreisky Platz 1, 1220 Vienna, which is located next to the Vienna International Centre (VIC). The ACV telephone number is 212 44 00.

The starting time of all meetings will be announced in the Journal. Delegates are requested to be in their places by those times to allow meetings to start punctually. Evening meetings will be announced during the session if they become necessary.

Attached are Seating Plans for Conference Room A (Plenary Meetings) and Conference Room B (Committee of the Whole). The numbers in square brackets (e.g. [No. 7]) identifying locations throughout this document correspond to the ACV Floor Plans that are also attached for your convenience.

General information about the Conference, such as the location of meeting rooms and offices, telephone extensions and the various services, may be obtained at the Information Desk on the 2nd floor [No. 11], extensions 2141/2144.

FORMALITIES ON ARRIVAL

Each participant will require a badge with a photograph for entry into the ACV during the session. The staff at the Registration Desk will issue badges to those designated participants who are not already in possession of a valid VIC grounds pass. Badges issued for the General Conference will also be valid for entering the VIC. You are required to identify yourself with valid identification, i.e. passport, driver's license, etc. Participants may register throughout the week of the Conference's session at the Registration Desk on the ground floor [No. 1] of the ACV.

CREDENTIALS

Delegates (but not other members of delegations) will require credentials specifically for the session, even if they are already accredited to the Agency in some other capacity (for example, as Resident Representative). Credentials have to be delivered in due time to avoid difficulties, particularly for the General Committee. If credentials were not delivered by Friday, 17 September, delegates should deliver them directly to the Credentials Officer at the ACV on the 2nd floor, Room C 246 [No. 5], extension 2092, on Monday morning.

DELEGATES' LIST

The first official list of members of delegations was issued on Sunday, 19 September; it contains information on the composition of delegations which had been communicated to the Secretariat by 5.00 p.m. on Friday, 17 September. If, during the session, changes are required in the particulars provided at the time of registration, delegates are requested to inform the Protocol Office on the 2nd floor at the ACV, Room C 246 [No. 5], extension

2090, in writing, so that the list of delegation members may be brought up to date.

SPEAKERS' LIST FOR PLENARY MEETINGS

At plenary meetings the President calls upon speakers on each item in the order in which they have entered their names on a written list. Delegates wishing to speak on an item are requested to inform Ms E. Wessely, on the 2nd floor at the ACV, room A 351 [No. 8], extension 2133, who will also have a table in the Plenary Hall near the podium. Delegates should also contact the same official if they wish to speak on other items at plenary meetings. Delegates of Ministerial rank will be given preference.

Microphones have been placed on all tables. Delegates are requested to use them for voting by roll call, for explanation of vote, for interventions in the exercise of the right of reply and for procedural motions. At other times, and especially during the general debate, delegates are requested to deliver their statements from the rostrum. **Delegates about to make their statement are asked to come forward to the front when the preceding speaker is making his concluding remarks and to wait at the table marked "next speaker".**

Inscription in the list of speakers in the general debate was opened on 28 June 2004 and, subject to changes, the first eighteen speakers in general debate — which is expected to start on Monday morning — are as follows: Mexico, United States of America, European Union (Netherlands), South Africa, Islamic Republic of Iran, Japan, Russian Federation, China, Slovakia, Romania, Saudi Arabia, Morocco, Burkina Faso, Ukraine, Tunisia, Yemen, Denmark, Chile.

STATEMENTS OF DELEGATES

To make more efficient use of the general debate, and in line with recommendations on streamlining the work of the General Conference, delegates are urged to keep the duration of their oral presentations down to **15 minutes at the most**, by focusing on the main points which they wish to make. Copies of the full texts (in the original language) will be made available to other delegates during the session, if delegates so request.

To facilitate interpretation, the texts of statements to be delivered should be handed to the Conference Officer in advance. In addition, to facilitate the posting of statements on the Agency's website, copies of statements should be provided in electronic form as early as possible to the IAEA Division of Public Information. Statements should be emailed to **webeditor@iaea.org**

To facilitate the preparation of the records of the proceedings, it would be appreciated if delegates intending to provide the Secretariat with texts of statements would have them typed double-spaced (like this paragraph).

DOCUMENTS

Delegates are reminded that General Conference documentation is available electronically and are urged to make full use of this service so as to reduce the costs to the Agency of printing and distributing hard copies of documents. Both addresses below may be used:

<http://www.iaea.org/About/Policy/GC/GC48/Documents/docindex.html>

or <http://www.iaea.org/About/Policy/GC/GC48/Documents/index.html>

Documents in hard copy will continue to be available at the Documents Station on the 2nd floor at the ACV [No. 9].

Delegates wishing to submit draft resolutions or other documents to the Conference during the session are requested to provide the Conference Secretariat on the 2nd floor at the ACV, Room B 548 [No. 15], extension 2011, or the appropriate Committee Secretary, with the text as early as possible.

A limited amount of typing can be arranged for delegations by Documents Services, on the 2nd floor at the ACV, Room A 350 [No. 7].

**USE OF RADIO
RECEIVERS IN
MEETING
ROOMS**

In meeting rooms A, B, C, M, N and O of the ACV, portable radio receivers will be available, enabling participants to follow the proceedings in the original language and in the other working languages of the Conference. As these receivers must be serviced between meetings, participants are requested not to remove them from the meeting rooms.

**USE OF MOBILE
TELEPHONES IN
MEETINGS
ROOMS**

Participants are requested to **turn off mobile telephones** when entering any of the meeting rooms.

NO SMOKING

Smoking is strictly prohibited in the meeting rooms. Participants are kindly requested to respect this ban.

**TECHNICAL
COOPERATION
FUND FOR 2005**

To enable up-to-date information to be provided to the General Conference regarding contributions to the Technical Cooperation Fund for 2005, the Contributions Officer, Mr D.K. Sharma, will be available to receive pledges in his office on the 2nd floor at the ACV, room A 443 [No. 13], extension 2112, or, immediately before and during plenary meetings, at a desk in the Plenary Hall near the podium.

The Contributions Officer and his staff are also available to discuss issues pertaining to Regular Budget and assessed programme costs payments as well as to respond to any questions Member States may have in respect of arrears, payment plans and voting rights.

OTHER MEETINGS

The following additional meetings have been scheduled:

SCIENTIFIC FORUM

The Scientific Forum, with the theme 'Nuclear Fuel Cycle Issues and Challenges', will take place on 21 September 2004 with sessions at 10.00 a.m. and 3.00 p.m. addressing 'Advanced Fuel Cycles and Reactor Concepts' and 'Waste and Spent Fuel Management Issues', and one session on 22 September 2004 at 10.00 a.m. addressing 'Research Reactor Fuel Cycle and Related Issues'.

The Director General will make an opening statement followed by an address by the Chairman of the Forum, Mr Bernard Bigot and a special address by Prof. Carlo Rubbia.

All three sessions will take place in Conference Room C (ACV). Each of the three sessions will consist of an introduction by a moderator knowledgeable in the specific field and presentations made by leading experts. Participants will be encouraged to enter into discussions with the speakers and panellists. Please see the distributed programme for further details. Interpretation will be provided during presentations and panel discussions.

SENIOR REGULATORS' MEETING (closed meeting)

The traditional Senior Regulators' Meeting will take place on Tuesday 21 September, starting at 9.00 a.m. in the IAEA Boardroom, on the 4th floor of Building C at the VIC. Discussions will be conducted in English only. See attached programme for further details or contact the Department of Nuclear Safety and Security (Tel.: 2600/22551) should you require additional information.

Following the Senior Regulators' Meeting, a presentation on 'Lessons learned from the Mihama NPP event' will be given, from 5.30 p.m. to 6.30 p.m., by Dr Masaaki Mishuro, Director General of the Nuclear and Industrial Safety Agency (NISA), Japan, and Dr Kunihisa Soda, the Commissioner from the Nuclear Safety Commission (NSC), Japan.

TECHNICAL COOPERATION MEETINGS

There will be meetings of representatives of AFRA, ARCAL and RCA Cooperative Agreements. Member State representatives from the regions of Europe and West Asia will also hold individual group meetings. Representatives of Member States of ARASIA will also hold a group meeting. There will also be a meeting of the Quadripartite Forum (AFRA, ARASIA, ARCAL, RCA).

The timetable and locations of the meetings are as follows:

ARCAL: When: Monday, 20 September, 3.00 p.m.–6.00 p.m.
Where: VIC, 7th Floor, Conference Room V

AFRA:	When: Tuesday, 21 September, 10.00 a.m.–12.00 noon Where: VIC, 7 th Floor, Conference Room V
RCA:	When: Wednesday, 22 September, 9.00 a.m.–1.00 p.m. Where: VIC, 7 th Floor, Conference Room V
ARASIA:	When: Wednesday, 22 September, 9.00 a.m.–10.30 a.m. Where: VIC, 7 th Floor, Conference Room V
Europe Group Meeting:	When: Thursday, 23 September, 10.00 a.m.–12.00 noon Where: VIC, 4 th Floor, IAEA Board Room
West Asia Group Meeting:	When: Thursday, 23 September, 10.30 a.m.–12.30 p.m. Where: VIC, 7 th Floor, Conference Room V
ARASIA Group Meeting:	When: Thursday, 23 September, 9.00 a.m.–10.30 a.m. Where: VIC, 7 th Floor, Conference Room V
Quadripartite Forum (AFRA, ARASIA, ARCAL, RCA)	When: Thursday, 23 September, 3.00 p.m.–6.00 p.m. Where: VIC, 7 th Floor, Conference Room V
Consultations With Member States	Consultations with the representatives of most Member States that are engaged in technical cooperation with the Agency are being held prior to the Conference session. For delegations present in Vienna only during the week of the Conference session, and for specific issues and/or special problems, meetings will be arranged during that week. In such cases, the Department of Technical Cooperation will provide advance notice of the meeting times and venues to individual delegations. Delegations that do not receive such advance notice but wish to discuss technical cooperation projects with members of the Secretariat are requested to contact the appropriate TC Area Section Head at the ACV (Africa — Mr A. Boussaha; East Asia & the Pacific — Mr Xu; Europe — Mr M. Samiei; Latin America — Mr G. Piderit; and West Asia — Mr F. Khang).



International Atomic Energy Agency

GENERAL CONFERENCE

SENIOR REGULATORS MEETING

Tuesday, 21 September 2004

IAEA Board Room (C04)

Preliminary Programme

Tuesday, 21 September	
09:00–09:15	<i>Opening Remarks – Mr. T. Taniguchi, DDG-NS, IAEA</i>
09:15–10:15	New Scientific Developments of Interest for Regulators Status and trends of the UNSCEAR estimates of the deleterious effects attributable to ionising radiation exposure – <i>Prof. Yasuhito Sasaki, Chairman of the United Nations Scientific Committee on the Effects of Atomic Radiation</i> New Draft Recommendations of ICRP – <i>Prof. Roger Clarke, Chairman of the International Commission of Radiological Protection</i>
10:15–10:30	Coffee Break
10:30–11:30	Session I: Safety of Research Reactors: Applying the Code of Conduct Development of the Code and mechanisms for application by the State, the regulatory body and the operating organization
11:30–12:30	Panel discussion: Issues related to the application of the Code
12:30–12:45	Chairman's Summary
12:45–14:00	Lunch Break
14:00–15:30	Session II: Controlling Radioactive Materials and Preventing Malicious Acts against Nuclear Installations: Interfaces and Synergies between Regulatory and Security Organizations A holistic approach for regulatory requirements
15:30–16:00	Coffee Break
16:00–17:00	Panel discussion: Safety and security of radioactive sources and nuclear installations: implications for Regulators
17:00–17:15	Chairman's Summary

EXHIBITS AND DISPLAYS

As in previous years, a number of exhibits and displays have been arranged by the Secretariat. They are located on the 2nd floor at the ACV. A location plan for the exhibits and displays is attached for your convenience.

***Exhibit on
Technical
Cooperation
between the IAEA
and the Republic
of Korea***

The Republic of Korea has prepared an exhibit on technical cooperation between the IAEA and the Republic of Korea. It is situated between Foyer A and B on the 2nd floor at the ACV and will be on display until 22 September 2004.

The theme of the exhibition is 'New horizons for Nuclear Security and Emergency Preparedness', with particular emphasis on Korea's newly developed system for real time radiation sources tracking and on upgraded environmental radiation monitoring systems.

The official opening by the Director General will take place tomorrow:

When: Tuesday, 21 September at 1.00 p.m

Where: between Foyer A and B on the 2nd floor at the ACV

***Exhibit on
'Twenty-Year
Cooperation
between China
and the IAEA'***

This exhibit is being displayed in the Rotunda at the VIC from 13 to 23 September 2004.

***Argentina
Bulgaria
Romania
Slovakia
USA***

Exhibits by these countries on various themes can also be found on the 2nd floor of the ACV.

OTHER EVENTS ORGANIZED IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE GENERAL CONFERENCE

Presentation on the 'Illicit Trafficking Database'

Presentation on the IAEA Illicit Trafficking Database (ITDB) operations and global illicit trafficking trends and patterns between 1993–2003.

The presentation has been organized by the IAEA Office of Nuclear Security. The ITDB is a key contributor to the IAEA's activities to help strengthen nuclear security worldwide and prevent nuclear and radiological terrorism. This is a unique database, which contains information confirmed by the States involved about incidents involving illicit trafficking in nuclear and other radioactive materials. The ITDB staff will provide the participants with an overview of the ITDB programme and operations, as well as results of the evaluation of information contained in the database. Participants will also receive an ITDB information package.

When: Daily, 20–24 September from 2.00–2.45 p.m.

Where: Meeting Room J-241/2 at the ACV

Attendance is for Member States' delegations and official observers only

Presentation and Demonstration of the 'International Catalogue of Sealed Radioactive Sources and Devices'

Presentation on and hands-on demonstration of the Source Catalogue as a useful database for experts to safely recover sources of unknown origin.

When: Monday to Thursday, 20–23 September starting at 3.00 p.m. and continuing with a demonstration from 4.00 p.m. -6.00 p.m.

Where: Meeting Room J-241/2 at the ACV

The IAEA Waste Technology Section (WTS) of the Division of Nuclear Fuel Cycle and Waste Technology has organized this presentation. The Source Catalogue is considered a useful tool in implementing the Agency's comprehensive approach to nuclear security covering all the activities that contribute to prevention and detection of, and response to malicious acts with radioactive sources. In response to the interest of the Member States, this presentation has been organized to promote awareness of the Source Catalogue, the first version of which will be available for distribution to the IAEA Member States by the end of this year. The WTS will provide the participants with relevant background information and an overview of the Source Catalogue followed by a hands-on computer demonstration. In addition, a poster will be displayed and there will be a continuous Power-Point presentation on problematic issues regarding sealed sources. The participants will also receive relevant information material.

***Briefing on
'Nuclear
Knowledge
Management'***

A briefing on 'Nuclear Knowledge Management' summarizing the presentations and discussions at the 'International Conference on Nuclear Knowledge Management: Strategies, Information Management and Human Resource Development' held between 7–10 September. It will also address Agency activities, organizational adjustments and immediate plans in the area of preserving and enhancing nuclear knowledge, and ensuring the availability of qualified manpower for the continued and expanded safe and secure utilization of all nuclear technologies.

When: Monday, 20 September at 3.00 p.m.

Where: Meeting Room N on the 1st floor at the ACV

***Briefing on '50
Years of Nuclear
Power: Review
and Outlook'***

The briefing on '50 Years of Nuclear Power: Review and Outlook' will consist of two components. Firstly, it will summarize the 'International Conference on Fifty Years of Nuclear Power — the Next Fifty Years', held in Moscow and Obninsk on the 50th anniversary of the first connection of a nuclear power plant to an electricity grid; lessons learned from those fifty years; the international conference's recommendations to the Agency of activities it should undertake to maintain the nuclear power option; and the needs and benefits of nuclear power for many of the countries presenting to the international conference.

Secondly, it will address Agency activities on energy planning and capacity building in interested Member States and cooperation within the UN system on sustainable energy development.

When: Monday, 20 September at 4.00 p.m.

Where: Meeting Room N on the 1st floor at the ACV

***Briefing for IGOs
and NGOs***

A briefing for the representatives of intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations attending the General Conference session will be held today:

When: Monday, 20 September at 5.00 p.m.

Where: Meeting Room O on the 1st floor at the ACV

***INPRO
Briefing***

This event entitled 'Innovative Nuclear Technologies' addressing innovation and the future development of the International Project on Innovative Nuclear Reactors and Fuel Cycles (INPRO) will take place on:

When: Wednesday, 22 September at 3.00 p.m.

Where: Meeting Room N on the 1st floor at the ACV

GENERAL FACILITIES AND SERVICES DURING THE CONFERENCE

SERVICES

Telephone

The Information Desk will take incoming telephone calls for participants. The number is 212 44 00 extension 2141 (through dialing). In addition, a facsimile line with the number 212 44 00 2145, will be available at the Information Desk for the receipt of **incoming** facsimile messages for participants. Please ensure that the recipient's name and country is legibly printed and easily identified.

Post Office

A Post Office is located on the ground floor [No. 3]. For outgoing long-distance telephone calls and facsimiles, participants are asked to contact the Post Office.

DHL Services

DHL will be providing courier services for the duration of the 48th session of the General Conference and will be located on the 1st floor at the ACV.

Their opening hours are Monday–Friday from 1.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m.

All GC participants can avail themselves of the courier services and will receive the same special rates (cash only) for official or private shipments as applicable to all VIC staff.

Electronic Mail

Delegates will be able to receive and send electronic mail during the Conference. The public address is: **GENCONF04@IAEA.ORG**. Senders should specify the recipient's name and country in the subject line in order to ensure that the message is allocated to the proper delegate. Delegates at the Information Desk may pick up messages sent to this email address. This email address may be used only to receive messages.

In addition to the general email address, delegates may register during the Conference for a specific individual email address valid for the duration of the General Conference.

Internet Access

An Internet Corner has been set up in Foyer B on the 2nd floor at the ACV for delegates wishing to access the Internet.

Computers are available at the Internet Corner so that delegates can send and receive email messages using their individual email address. For those in possession of a WLAN enabled laptop, Internet access through a wireless connection will be possible in the Foyer B lounge. This type of connectivity is also available in the entire C tower of the VIC building.

If your portable notebook/laptop is not WLAN enabled, you may use any of the **8 modem connections** located at 01 Pub. Inf. Area [No. 3] to connect to the Internet.

<p>IT Help Desk</p>	<p>For the duration of the General Conference, the IAEA Division of Information Technology’s Customer Services Section (CSS) will be providing help desk services at the ACV.</p> <p>They can be reached at extension *620 and are located in Room 02 A 352 on the 2nd floor.</p>
<p>Souvenirs</p>	<p>Souvenirs of the IAEA will be on sale for the duration of the 48th session of the General Conference and the souvenirs stand will be located on the 1st floor at the ACV.</p>
<p>Restaurant Facilities</p>	<p>Restaurant facilities will be available at the ACV for the duration of the session. Lunch will be served in the restaurant on the first floor [No. 1] from 11.30 a.m. to 2.30 p.m. Snacks and beverages will be available all day at the ACV Snack Bar, which is located on the 2nd floor [No. 10].</p>
<p>Banking Services</p>	<p>Full banking services are available at the VIC from 9.00 a.m. to 3.00 p.m. on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday, and from 8.30 a.m. to 5.00 p.m. on Thursday.</p> <p>No banking services will be provided at the ACV, although a cash dispenser is situated on the ground floor next to the Post Office.</p>
<p>Emergency Medical Attention</p>	<p>Emergency medical attention is obtainable in the Medical Service at the VIC from 8.30 a.m. until the close of the last meeting of the day (VIC Building F, 7th floor, dial 88/22222). For emergency assistance at other times, delegates may apply to the security guard (VIC, dial 88/3903).</p>
<p>ISSUE OF VIC COMMISSARY CARDS TO HEADS OF DELEGATIONS</p>	<p>Heads of delegations are advised that cards entitling them to make purchases at the VIC Commissary will be issued by the United Nations Security Pass Office, which is situated at Gate I, from 8.00 a.m. to 4.00 p.m. for the duration of the session. After receipt of the card, the bearer is requested to validate it at the Commissary Service Counter (VIC, Building F, basement level –1, Room F-151) from 12 noon to 6.00 p.m.</p>
<p>SECURITY</p> <p>Identification Badges</p> <p>Lost and found</p>	<p>Security equipment has been installed at the ACV. All persons attending the Conference are requested to cooperate with the security personnel.</p> <p>In the interest of security, conference participants are requested to wear their badges when entering the ACV for as long as they are in the building.</p> <p>Please make sure that your personal belongings are not left unattended. Items found should be handed to the Lost and Found Office in the VIC, Building F, ground floor, Room F OE21, extension 3903.</p>

<p>EMERGENCY STAIRCASES IN THE ACV</p>	<p>The emergency staircases in the ACV cannot be used for going from one floor to another. Although they can be entered on any floor, the only exits are at the -3 (i.e. lowest) level. They should therefore be used only in a real emergency. In the event of an emergency evacuation, please follow the instructions of the United Nations security personnel on duty.</p>
<p>ACCESS TO THE ACV FROM THE VIC</p>	<p>Participants can enter the ACV via the VIC through connecting doors located on the ground floor of Building G of the VIC.</p>
<p>PARKING AT THE ACV</p>	<p>Parking space is reserved on parking decks 1 and 2 of the ACV. For official cars with chauffeurs, red stickers entitling the cars to be driven to the main entrance of the ACV will be issued. For other cars, General Conference or VIC grounds passes will suffice as identification for free parking in this area. Drivers are requested to obtain a parking ticket from the ACV parking dispenser when they first enter the ACV garage and exchange it for a cost-free parking permit, valid until the end of the Conference, at the Registration Desk at the ACV on the ground floor [No. 1].</p>
<p>PUBLIC TRANSPORT</p>	<p>It is possible to travel between the VIC and Vienna's city centre by underground train (U-Bahn). Tickets may be purchased at U-Bahn stations or in advance, in quantities of five or ten, at most Austrian tobacco shops (identified by the round AUSTRIA TABAK sign) and at the newspaper stand in the Rotunda at the VIC. Weekly tickets are also available.</p>
<p>CONFERENCE JOURNAL AND SOCIAL CALENDER</p>	<p>The organizers or sponsors of receptions and other events to be arranged during the Conference are invited to get in touch with the Protocol Office or with Ms Blacker, the Editor of the Conference Journal on the 2nd floor [No. 16], extension 2120, email address <u>Daily-Journal.Contact-Point@iaea.org</u>, if they wish to have such events publicized.</p>

CHAIRPERSONS OR COORDINATORS OF AREA AND OTHER GROUPS — September 2004

GROUP	CHAIRPERSON/ COORDINATOR	NAME
NORTH AMERICA	USA	Ambassador SANDERS (Mr S. Noble/Mr Glass/Mr D. Noble)
	Canada	Ambassador HALL (Mr Proudfoot)
LATIN AMERICA (GRULAC)	Brazil	Ambassador VEIERA DE SOUZA
WESTERN EUROPE	Greece	Ambassador SOTIROPOULOS
	United Kingdom	Ambassador JENKINS
EASTERN EUROPE	Slovakia	Ambassador NEMETHY
AFRICA	Burkino Faso	Ambassador DAMIBA
MIDDLE EAST AND SOUTH ASIA	India	Ambassador SHARMA (Ms Durai)
SOUTH EAST ASIA AND THE PACIFIC	Australia	Ambassador STOKES (Mr Beven)
FAR EAST	Vietnam	Ambassador NGUYEN TRUONG GIANG
GROUP OF 77 & CHINA	Algeria	Ambassador FEROUKHI
WEOG	Sweden	Ambassador LINDHOLM
ASIAN GROUP	Korea, Rep. of	Ambassador CHO
EUROPEAN UNION	Netherlands	Ambassador DE VISSER
GENEVA GROUP	USA	Ambassador SANDERS
	UK	Ambassador JENKINS
NAM NON-ALIGNED MOVEMENT	Malaysia	Ambassador HANIF (Mr Raja Adnan)

SOCIAL CALENDAR

Monday, 20 September

- 6.15 p.m. to 8.00 p.m. Joint Reception*, the President of the Conference and the Director General of the IAEA — Rotunda, ACV
- 7.00 p.m. Reception*, H.E. Mr Patrick Villemur, Ambassador of France, at the Residence
- 7.30 p.m. to 9.00 p.m. Reception*, US Secretary of Energy and Mrs Spencer Abraham; US Nuclear Regulatory Commission Chairman, Mr Nils J. Diaz; US Special Representative Ambassador Jackie W. Sanders; and US Chargé d’Affaires, a.i. Stephen V. Noble
Radisson SAS Hotel, Parkring 16, 1010 Vienna

Tuesday, 21 September

- 1.15 p.m. Lunch*, Mr Georg Adamowitsch, State Secretary, Federal Ministry of Economics and Labour, Germany — VIC Restaurant
- 7.00 p.m. Reception*, Mrs Benita Ferrero-Waldner, Federal Minister for Foreign Affairs of Austria,
Federal Chancellery, Ballhausplatz 2, 1010 Vienna

Wednesday, 22 September

- 1.15 p.m. Lunch*, Mr Anil Kakodkar,
Chairman of the Atomic Energy Commission of India — ACV

Thursday, 23 September

- 1.00 p.m. Vin d’honneur, Unveiling ceremony of a painting by Yaacov Agam donated to the IAEA by the Israeli Atomic Energy Commission.
Entrance Hall, ACV.
- 1.15 p.m. Lunch reception*, Mr Zhang Huazhu, Chairman, China Atomic Energy Authority —
China-Restaurant Sichuan
Arbeiterstrandbadgasse 122, A-1220 Vienna

* by invitation only