

Strengthening Coordination: Webinar on the Integrated Nuclear Security Support Plan – Perspectives from Mauritania and Philippines

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Information Sheet

Introduction

The Integrated Nuclear Security Support Plan (INSSP) is a voluntary tool that provides States with a systematic and comprehensive framework for reviewing their nuclear security regimes and identifying areas where they need to be strengthened.

The INSSP development process facilitates the identification, consolidation and prioritization of the nuclear security needs of an individual State into a document. This information describes the current status of an individual State's nuclear security regime and sets out recommendations for improvements to nuclear security. The INSSP also provides a customized framework for coordinating and implementing nuclear security activities conducted by the individual State, the IAEA and potential international partners.

The value of the INSSP for States in strengthening their nuclear security regimes is widely recognized, and to date 112 States have developed an INSSP.

This webinar is the second of two webinars that reflect on lessons learned from 15 years of implementation of the INSSP, since the first Plans were approved in 2006. Each webinar will focus on the perspectives of States and the lessons learned from the development and implementation of their INSSPs.

The other webinar in this series covered:

Achieving Sustainability: Webinar on the Integrated Nuclear Security Support Plan – Perspective from Egypt, 22 June 2021, 13:00

Objectives

During this July webinar, representatives from Mauritania and Philippines will share their experiences on how the INSSP has and is supporting strengthened coordination within the State. Panelists will discuss the benefits of establishing a national nuclear security coordinating body, as well as some of the challenges, and will exchange lessons learnt on coordinating nuclear security assistance from various international partners.

The objectives of this webinar are to:

- Provide an overview of IAEA support to Member States through the INSSP and how it contributes to strengthened national coordination.
- Provide practical examples from Member States on ways an establishment of a national nuclear security coordinating body facilitates information exchange, internal coordination, optimization of resources to further strengthen and enhance national nuclear security regime.

Target Audience

This webinar is aimed at States that have developed INSSPs and other States that do not have an INSSP in place, as well as international partners. Target audience includes INSSP Points of Contact as well as other States' representatives with nuclear security responsibilities such as: the

regulatory body, customs and border police, national police, intelligence services, response agencies, Ministry of Health, Ministry of Justice, Ministry of Defense, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, etc.

Working Language(s)

English

Registration

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Webinar Agenda

Introduction

- Opening remarks
- Objectives and overview of the webinar series
- Introduction of panelists

Mr Scott Purvis, Information Management Section Head, Division of Nuclear Security, IAEA

A conversation with Mauritania and the Philippines

Ms Maria Teresa A. Salabit, Supervising Science Research Specialist, Philippine Nuclear Research Institute, Philippines

Mr Deida Ahmed Bezeid, Advisor and Executive Secretary, Autorité Nationale de Radioprotection, de Sûreté et de Sécurité Nucléaires (ARSN), Mauritania

Mr Andrew Prosser, Nuclear Security Officer (INSSP), Information Management Section, Division of Nuclear Security, IAEA

Mr Zephirin Athanase Ouedraogo, Nuclear Security Officer (INSSP), Information Management Section, Division of Nuclear Security, IAEA

Q&A

Ms Youmee Baek, Nuclear Security Officer (INSSP), Information Management Section, Division of Nuclear Security, IAEA

Concluding remarks

Ms Valerie Rouillet-Chatelus, Needs Assessment Unit Head, Information Management Section, Division of Nuclear Security, IAEA