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- 1. The Director General has received a communication dated 29 May 2017 from the Permanent Mission of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan to the Agency concerning Jordan's nuclear policies and practices.
- 2. As requested, the communication is herewith circulated for the information of all Member States.

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NOTE VERBALE

The Permanent Mission of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan to the United Nations and other International Organizations in Vienna presents its compliments to the Director General of the International Atomic Energy Agency and has the honour to transmit this communication concerning Jordan's nuclear policies and practices.

The Government of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan adheres to major international nuclear non-proliferation agreements in this field: Nuclear Non-proliferation Treaty (NPT), the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty (CTBT), the Convention on Physical Protection of Nuclear Material (CPPNM) and its amendment, Application of Safeguards in Connection with the Treaty on Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons, Protocol Additional to the Agreement between the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan and the IAEA for the Application of Safeguards in Connection with the Treaty on Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons, and the Joint Statement on Countering Nuclear Smuggling. These form Jordan's national nuclear non-proliferation policies.

On December 5th, 1974 Jordan signed its Full-Scope Safeguards Agreement with the IAEA and Protocol Additional to the Agreement in March 1998. In July 2007 Jordan established the State System of Accounting for and Control of Nuclear Material.

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In establishing its National Export Control System in 2009, Jordan decided to respect and act in accordance with the provisions of INFCIRC/254/Part 1 and Part 2 as amended, with regard to any transfer of nuclear material, equipment and related technology, including nuclear related dual-use equipment, materials, software and related technology.

The Permanent Mission of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan to the United Nations and other International Organizations in Vienna kindly requests the Director General of the International Atomic Energy Agency to circulate this Note Verbale to all IAEA Member States for their information and as evidence of Jordan's support for the Agency's non-proliferation objectives and safeguard activities.

The Permanent Mission of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan to the United Nations and other International Organizations in Vienna avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Director General of the International Atomic Energy Agency the assurances of its highest consideration.

Vienna, May 29th, 2017

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