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- 1. The Secretariat has received a Note Verbale dated 5 December 2022 from the Permanent Mission of the Russian Federation to the Agency.
- 2. As requested, the Note Verbale, together with its attachment, is herewith circulated for the information of all Member States.

Unofficial Translation

ПОСТОЯННОЕ ПРЕДСТАВИТЕЛЬСТВО РОССИЙСКОЙ ФЕДЕРАЦИИ ПРИ МЕЖДУНАРОДНЫХ ОРГАНИЗАЦИЯХ В ВЕНЕ



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The Permanent Mission of the Russian Federation to the International Organizations in Vienna presents its compliments to the Secretariat of the International Atomic Energy Agency and has the honour to transmit the Appeal by the Federation Council of the Federal Assembly of the Russian Federation to the parliaments of the countries of the world and international parliamentary organizations in connection with the continuous strikes against the Zaporozhskaya Nuclear Power Plant.

The Permanent Mission of the Russian Federation requests the Secretariat to circulate this information among all IAEA Member States as soon as possible.

The Permanent Mission of the Russian Federation avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the IAEA Secretariat the assurances of its highest consideration.

Attachment: 1 p.

Vienna, "05" December 2022

THE SECRETARIAT OF THE INTERNATIONAL ATOMIC ENERGY AGENCY Vienna

APPEAL BY FEDERATION COUNCIL OF THE FEDERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE RUSSIAN FEDERATION

to the parliaments of the countries of the world and international parliamentary organizations in connection with the continuous strikes against the Zaporozhskaya Nuclear Power Plant

The Kiev regime does not stop carrying out flagrant and irresponsible provocations by attacking the Zaporozhskaya Nuclear Power Plant (ZNPP), threatening its safe operation and increasing the risks of a man-made disaster, the consequences of which cannot be predicted. If such strikes continue, there may be danger of large-scale radiation contamination, which will affect the territories not only of Russia and Ukraine, but also of neighboring European countries.

Ukraine's actions in relation to the ZNPP cannot be described otherwise than as nuclear terrorism, that brings destruction and death.

Repeated statements by the representatives of the Russian Federation in the UN Security Council, the IAEA policy-making bodies, and other major international platforms about the destructive activities that threaten all of humanity, which are carried out by armed Ukrainian neo-Nazis and foreign mercenaries in relation to the Zaporozhskaya NPP, remain without a proper response.

The Federation Council of the Federal Assembly of the Russian Federation demands from the military and political leadership of Ukraine immediate cessation of any attacks against the ZNPP and related critical infrastructure.

The Federation Council of the Federal Assembly of the Russian Federation urges the parliaments of the countries of the world and international parliamentary organizations to condemn the policy of the Kiev authorities and demand to stop aggressive actions that threaten the safety of Europe's largest nuclear power plant.