Communication from the Permanent Mission of the Russian Federation to the Agency

1. On 18 April 2024, the Secretariat received a Note Verbale from the Permanent Mission of the Russian Federation to the Agency.

2. As requested, the Note Verbale is herewith circulated for the information of all Member States.
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 request to circulate among all IAEA Member States as soon as possible the information on attacks and provocations of the armed forces of Ukraine (AFU) with UAVs against the Russian nuclear facility – Zaporozhskaya NPP (ZNPP).

On April 18, 2024, the AFU again used an UAV to attack the unique ZNPP training center (TC). The AFU drone was neutralized above the roof of the ZNPP TC building, where the world’s only full-scale reactor hall simulator is located. This is the third attack on the TC in the last 12 days.

We have to emphasize yet again that these actions of the Kiev regime create risks for the safety of the ZNPP and can lead to catastrophic consequences.

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

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