SUMMARY OF MEETINGS
held on Friday, 29 September 2023

The Conference adopted the following draft resolutions which had been presented by the Chair of the Committee of the Whole in his interim report:
— under item 9 of the agenda, “The Agency’s Financial Statements for 2022”, the draft resolution contained in document GC(67)/4;
— under item 11 of the agenda, “Amendment to Article XIV.A of the Statute”, the decision contained in document GC(67)/L.4;
— under item 12 of the agenda, “Scale of assessment of Member States’ contributions towards the Regular Budget for 2024”, the resolution on page 3 of document GC(67)/12/Rev.1;
— under item 15 of the agenda, “Strengthening of the Agency’s technical cooperation activities”, the draft resolution contained in document GC(67)/L.8; and
— under item 16 of the agenda, “Strengthening the Agency’s activities related to nuclear science, technology and applications”, the draft resolutions contained in document GC(67)/L.3.

Under item 22 of the agenda, “Promotion of Efficiency and Effectiveness of IAEA Decision Making Process”, the Conference took note of the report of the Chair of the Committee of the Whole.

Under item 23 of the agenda, “Restoration of sovereign equality in the IAEA”, the Statements were made by Kazakhstan, Azerbaijan, Nepal, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, the Russian Federation, the Islamic Republic of Iran, the Syrian Arab Republic, the United States of America, Slovenia, Mexico, the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, Ireland, Egypt, Spain (on behalf of the European Union), South Africa, Switzerland, Pakistan and Sweden. The Conference did not approve some proposed amendments to preambular paragraph (d), to operative paragraph 1 or to operative paragraph 2 of the draft resolution contained in document GC(67)/COM.5/L.14. The Conference adopted by a vote the draft resolution contained in document GC(67)/COM.5/L.14. Statements were made by Jordan, Pakistan, the Syrian Arab Republic, India, Guatemala, Morocco, the Russian Federation, Egypt, Côte d’Ivoire, Japan and Kazakhstan.

Under item 26, “Amendment to Article VI of the Statute”, the Conference adopted the draft decision contained in document GC(67)/L.7. Statements were made by the Republic of Korea and Slovenia.

Under item 27, “Personnel”, the Conference adopted the draft resolution contained in document GC(67)/L.9.

The Conference considered agenda item 18, “Implementation of the NPT safeguards agreement between the Agency and the Democratic People’s Republic of Korea”, and adopted the draft resolution contained in document GC(67)/L.6. Statements were made by Canada and the Russian Federation.
Committee of the Whole 9th meeting

The Committee continued discussions under agenda item 17, “Strengthening the effectiveness and improving the efficiency of Agency safeguards”, on the draft resolution contained in document GC(67)/COM.5/L.8/Rev.1.

The Committee resumed discussions under agenda item 14, “Nuclear security”, on the draft resolution contained in document GC(67)/COM.5/L.11/Rev.1.

Plenary 12th meeting

The Conference continued discussions under agenda item 18, “Implementation of the NPT safeguards agreement between the Agency and the Democratic People’s Republic of Korea”. Statements were made by the Republic of Korea (on behalf of Japan, the Republic of Korea and the United States of America), Australia and China.

Under agenda item 29 “Report on contributions pledged to the Technical Cooperation Fund for 2024” contained in document GC(67)/21/Rev.1, the President gave a statement.

Committee of the Whole 10th meeting

The Committee agreed to recommend the following to the Conference for adoption:

— under item 13 of the agenda “Nuclear and radiation safety”, the amended draft resolution contained in document GC(67)/COM.5/L.12/Rev.3;
— under item 14 of the agenda, “Nuclear Security”, the draft resolution contained in document GC(67)/COM.5/L.11.Rev.2; and

Plenary 13th meeting

The Conference received the final report by the Chair of the Committee of the Whole on items 13, 14, and 17.

The Conference adopted the following draft resolutions which had been presented by the Chair of the Committee of the Whole in his final report:

— under agenda item 13, “Nuclear and radiation safety”, the draft resolution set out in document GC(67)/COM.5/L.12/Rev.3; after the adoption of draft resolution, statements were made by Norway, the Philippines, Canada, Costa Rica, Ireland, Sweden, France, Spain, Finland, Honduras, Uruguay, the United States of America, Chile, Mexico, Germany, Australia, South Africa, South Africa, Colombia, Italy, the Islamic Republic of Iran, Argentina and Pakistan; and

Under agenda item 17, “Strengthening the effectiveness and improving the efficiency of Agency Safeguards”, the draft resolution contained in document GC(67)/COM.5/L.8/Rev.2. After the adoption of the draft resolution, statements were made by India and Pakistan.

The President expressed her gratitude for the cooperation and the assistance extended to her and for the valuable support, which enabled the successful completion of the work of the Conference.