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The Secretariat of the International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA) presents its compliments to the IAEA's Member States and has the honour to draw their attention to the **Second International Conference on Accelerators for Research and Sustainable Development** (hereinafter referred to as "event") to be held at the IAEA's Headquarters in Vienna, Austria, from **22 to 26 June 2026**.

The purpose of the event is to provide an international forum for discussing accelerator applications in research and industry, to present cutting-edge scientific results and developments in accelerator technology, to foster an exchange of information on best practices in accelerator facility utilization and management, and to showcase how achievements and experience in the field of accelerator technologies contribute to sustainable development. The event will explore a wide range of accelerators of various particles (electrons, protons and ions) and sizes, from tabletop devices to equipment in small laboratories and large international facilities. In addition to different accelerator types, discussions will cover various accelerator facilities, including compact neutron sources, free electron lasers, synchrotrons, and electron-based irradiation centres and other advanced infrastructure.

The event will be held in English.

Member States are invited to disseminate the attached Announcement and Call for Papers to the target audience for the event and to designate participants using the InTouch+ platform, as indicated in Section H. Member States are strongly encouraged to designate women participants.

The IAEA is generally not in a position to bear the travel and other costs of participants in the event. The IAEA has, however, limited funds at its disposal to help meet the cost of attendance of certain participants. Upon specific request, such assistance may be offered to normally one participant per country, provided that, in the IAEA's view, the participant will make an important contribution to the event.

Applications for financial assistance, as well as submissions of papers, can only be considered if received via InTouch+ by the deadlines indicated in Section O of the Announcement and Call for Papers.

It should be noted that compensation is not payable by the IAEA for any damage to or loss of personal property. The IAEA also does not provide health insurance coverage for participants in events. Arrangements for private insurance coverage on an individual basis should therefore be made. The IAEA will, however, provide insurance coverage for accidents and illnesses that clearly result from any work performed for the IAEA.

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The Secretariat of the International Atomic Energy Agency avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the IAEA's Member States the assurances of its highest consideration.



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