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Subject: Regional Workshop on Challenges in Spare Part Availability, Technological Obsolescence, and Supply Chain Availability, Bratislava, Slovakia, from 11 to 14 March 2025

Dear National Liaison Officer / National Coordinator,

I am pleased to inform you that the International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA) is organizing the above event under the IAEA technical cooperation project RER2019, "Enhancing Capacity for the Subsequent Operation of Nuclear Power Plants Beyond their Existing Long-Term Operation Programmes".

The purpose of the event is discuss and share knowledge on technological obsolescence and addressing challenges with spare part and supply chain availability in the nuclear power industry.

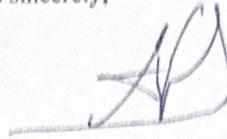
The attached Information Sheet provides further details, including technical and administrative aspects of the event. Selection of participants will be in accordance with IAEA procedures. Member States are strongly encouraged to identify women participants.

The IAEA will provide non-local participants with a round-trip air ticket based on the most direct and economical route between the airport nearest the participant's residence and Bratislava or a travel allowance to purchase an air ticket. Travel details will be agreed with the participants upon receipt of their official nomination. Participants will also receive an allowance from the IAEA sufficient to cover their costs of lodging, daily subsistence and miscellaneous expenses for the duration of the event in line with IAEA rules and procedures.

We would appreciate receiving your country's nominations by **3 February 2025** through the IAEA's InTouch+ platform (<https://Intouchplus.iaea.org>). Should this not be possible, applicants may download the Nomination Form for the course from the IAEA's webpage. Completed forms must be endorsed by the relevant government authority and may be sent to the IAEA, preferably by email to Official Mail - IAEA Mail address Official.Mail@iaea.org, with copy to Mr Azat Nurken A.Nurken@iaea.org. Please be advised that late nominations or replacements of participants after the closing date for nominations will not be accepted.

We look forward to receiving your early response.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be 'Azat Nurken', written over a horizontal line.

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Enclosure: Information Sheet