



Responsibilities and Capabilities of Owners and Operators

Webinar Series on the Role of Government and Key Organizations in Nuclear Power Programme Development PART 3

Webinar

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Information Sheet

Background

In July 2020 the IAEA launched a new series of interactive webinars on the role of the government and key organizations involved developing new nuclear power programmes. This is the third webinar in this series which will address the responsibilities and capabilities of Owner and Operators as laid out in the IAEA Milestone Approach, a phased methodology that helps countries create an enabling environment for the implementation or expansion of a nuclear power programme and to understand, and prepare for, the associated commitments and obligations.

Objectives

The objectives for this webinar are to introduce the Agency's perspective on the overall responsibilities and capabilities of owners and operators for countries initiating or implementing a nuclear power programme and show how they evolve with time, throughout the phases of the milestones approach.

Two expert speakers from nuclear 'newcomer' countries will then share their experiences in nuclear power programme development presenting their experience in setting up a nuclear power management

organization from an existing large public utility (Poland) and from organization familiar with nuclear R&D and operation of a research reactor (Bangladesh).

The speaker representing the World Association of Nuclear Operators (WANO) will introduce the recently published “Roadmap to Operational Readiness” and show how it complements the support to Operators provided by the IAEA in the development of the infrastructure for nuclear power.

Speakers:

- Mr Benoît Lepouzé, EDF, France;
- Ms Renata Kozakowska-Stankiewicz, PGE EJ 1, Poland;
- Mr Mohammad Shawkat Akbar, Nuclear Power Plant Company Bangladesh Ltd., Bangladesh;
- Mr Robert Fisher, Chairman of the New Unit Assistance Working Group (facilitated by WANO, the World Association of Nuclear Operators).

Expected Outputs

By attending this webinar, participants will:

- Gain a general understanding of the responsibilities and capabilities of the owners and operators organisations for the implementation of a new nuclear power project;
- Share experiences from Member States having developed or being developing project owner organisations for a nuclear power project from existing organisations with a different pedigree;
- Increase awareness of the complementarity of the IAEA support for the development of the infrastructure for a nuclear power programme and WANO support to ensure readiness for operation of the future Operator.

Working Language(s)

English.

Organization

The event will be held virtually via WebEx on 29 October 2020.

Registration will be through the agency website at: <https://www.iaea.org/nid-webinars> upon an electronic invitation sent by the Nuclear Infrastructure Development Section (NIDS) of the Division of Nuclear Power to all potential participants identified from NIDS counterparts in Member States.

Related Resources

Webinar Series on the Role of Government and Key Organizations in Nuclear Power Programme Development:

- [Milestones Approach](#)
- [Initiating Nuclear Power Programmes: Responsibilities and Capabilities of Owners and Operators](#)

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