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ADVANCE INFORMATION

Further information for Governments

OPENING MEETING

1. Delegates are reminded of the special arrangements that are being made for the opening meeting of this year's regular session to start at 11 a.m. on Monday, 26 September. Delegations, guests and visitors are requested to be in their places by 10.45 a.m. A special seating plan for the opening meeting will be printed in the first issue of the Conference Journal to be published on Friday, 23 September. Copies of this issue of the Journal will be available to all delegations on arrival.

FORMALITIES ON ARRIVAL

2. It is recommended that all delegations in a position to do so should complete their arrival formalities before Monday, 26 September. In order to assist in this the Protocol Office and Documents Distribution may be contacted at the Agency's Headquarters (Rooms 485 and B.27 respectively) at 11 Kaerntnerring up to and including Friday, 23 September and the Protocol Office and the Documents Station will be open between 3 and 5 p.m. on Sunday, 25 September at the Kongresszentrum.

STATEMENTS IN THE GENERAL DEBATE

3. When specifying their requirements for Conference documents delegations will also be asked to indicate whether they wish their statement in the general debate to be reproduced and a copy distributed for information to each delegation. If so, delegates are requested to submit to the Officer at the Documents Station, as far in advance as possible, a copy of their statement and to inform the Officer when it may be released for distribution. It is also of considerable help to the interpreters, précis-writers and the public information service if the Conference Officer can be provided in advance with copies of texts of speeches, where possible typed double-spaced.

SCIENTIFIC AFTERNOON

4. Delegations are advised that, in place of a plenary meeting of the Conference on the afternoon of Wednesday, 28 September, a scientific lecture will be given on each of the following topics:

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"Energy Demand"

Professor Wolf Haefele

International Institute for Applied Systems

Analysis

Laxenburg (Austria)

"Physics on the Frontier - Today

and Tomorrow"

Professor Abdus Salam

International Centre for Theoretical

Physics Trieste (Italy)

The scientific afternoon will begin at 3 p.m. in the Festsaal.

EXHIBITION AND COMMEMORATIVE BOOKLET

5. To mark the twentieth anniversary of the Agency during this year's regular session of the Conference, a special exhibition will be arranged in the Kongresszentrum illustrating the Agency's activities during the period 1958-1977. A commemorative booklet entitled "Twenty Years - International Atomic Energy Agency" will also be issued at the time of the Conference.

RECEPTIONS AND OTHER EVENTS TAKING PLACE DURING THE CONFERENCE

6. The organizers or sponsors of receptions and other events to be arranged during the Conference are invited to contact the Protocol Office if they wish an announcement regarding such events to be included in the Conference Journal.