

The General Conference,

- (a) Welcoming the adoption of the Convention on Nuclear Safety in Vienna on 17 June 1994 and its opening for signature during the thirty-eighth regular session of the General Conference,
 - (b) Noting the fact that as of 21 September 1995 the Convention had been signed by 61 States, twelve of which had deposited instruments of ratification, acceptance or approval of the Convention,
 - (c) Expressing its gratitude to the Secretariat for the support it has given to signatory and other interested States in preparing for implementation of the Convention, and
 - (d) Recognizing that decisions on implementation of the Convention are the responsibility of States Parties,
1. Appeals to all Member States which have not yet done so to sign the Convention;
 2. Appeals to signatory States which have not yet done so to ratify, accept or approve the Convention, so that it may enter into force as soon as possible;
 3. Expresses the hope that the Convention will obtain the widest possible adherence; and
 4. Requests the Secretariat to continue with their support to signatory and other interested States in preparing for implementation of the Convention.

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