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## Text of communication dated 18 August 2025 received from the Embassy and Permanent Mission of the Islamic Republic of Afghanistan in Vienna concerning restoration of voting rights

The text of a Note Verbale dated 18 August 2025 from the Embassy and Permanent Mission of the Islamic Republic of Afghanistan in Vienna is reproduced herewith for the attention of the General Conference.



*Embassy and Permanent Mission  
Islamic Republic of Afghanistan  
Vienna*

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18 August 2025

**Note Verbale**

The Embassy and Permanent Mission of the Islamic Republic of Afghanistan in Vienna presents its compliments to the Secretariat of the International Atomic Energy Agency and with reference to the note verbale no. N3.31.2-(AFG) dated 11 June 2025 and would like to mention that:

Regrettably, given the current situation in Afghanistan, it is not possible for us to fulfill the payment of the assessed contribution at this time. The Mission kindly assures the Secretariat that as soon as the situation changes in our country, we will promptly inform the Agency.

In light of the current situation in Afghanistan and the absence of a legitimate government, we would like to respectfully request for the restoration of our voting rights, as the inability to make payment arises from conditions entirely beyond our control.

We sincere appreciation your cooperation in this matter.

The Embassy and Permanent Mission of the Islamic Republic of Afghanistan in Vienna avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Secretariat of the International Atomic Energy Agency the assurances of its highest consideration.



**To: The Secretariat of the International Atomic Energy Agency**