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Communication from the Permanent Mission of the Russian Federation to the Agency

1. On 14 August 2025, the Secretariat received a Note Verbale from the Permanent Mission of the Russian Federation to the Agency.
2. As requested, the Note Verbale is herewith circulated for the information of all Member States.

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The Permanent Mission of the Russian Federation to the International Organizations in Vienna presents its compliments to the Secretariat of the International Atomic Energy Agency and has the honour to request to circulate among all IAEA Member States as soon as possible the information on the actual situation at the Russian nuclear facility Zaporozhskaya NPP (ZNPP).

Ukraine continues to demonstrate its irresponsible attitude towards nuclear safety issues. Since 7 May 2025, the Ukrainian side took offline for repairs the power transmission line "Ferrosplavnaya-1" that had been used as a back-up power supply of ZNPP, while not specifying duration of the work.

Up to the current moment, Kiev did not take any measures to restore this power transmission line.

The absence of the source of ZNPP back-up power supply during such a long period of time creates a risk of an emergency.

Along with this, the intensity of Kiev's attacks against ZNPP and its satellite-town of Energodar, where the plant's personnel and their families live, seriously increased during the last month, and on the latest days the Ukrainian strikes were carried out almost on a daily basis. The attacks of the armed forces of Ukraine (AFU) hit not only the industrial site of ZNPP including facilities immediately adjacent to the plant but also officers of the Ministry of Emergency Situations of

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the Russian Federation who arrive to the attacked areas in order to extinguish emerging fires. During the last three weeks, three civilians in Energodar died as a result of AFU strikes.

Incessant Ukrainian attacks create a direct threat to the physical integrity of the plant's critical infrastructure and can lead to an ecological catastrophe.

The responsibility for all possible negative consequences will fall entirely on Ukraine and its curators.

The Permanent Mission requests the Secretariat to promptly circulate this Note Verbale as an information circular of the IAEA.

The Permanent Mission of the Russian Federation avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the IAEA Secretariat the assurances of its highest consideration.

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