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- 1. The Secretariat has received a Note Verbale dated 25 August 2022 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.

ПОСТОЯННОЕ ПРЕДСТАВИТЕЛЬСТВО РОССИЙСКОЙ ФЕДЕРАЦИИ ПРИ МЕЖДУНАРОДНЫХ ОРГАНИЗАЦИЯХ В ВЕНЕ



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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 transmit the following.

The Russian Side once again draws the attention of the international community to the criminal actions of the Kiev regime aimed at creating threats to the safe operation of nuclear facilities.

On August 4, 9 and 12, in the Kurchatov district of the Kursk region of the Russian Federation, Ukrainian sabotage groups blew up six towers of high-voltage power lines (110, 330 and 750 kV), through which the Kursk NPP (KuNPP) supplies electricity to industry, transport, social infrastructure and population.

The actions of Ukrainian saboteurs led to a disruption in the technological process of the KuNPP functioning.

At present, the situation at the station is as follows: power units No. 2 and No. 3 are connected to the grid; power unit No. 4 has been under scheduled maintenance since May 31, and power unit No. 1 has been in operation without generation since December 19.

From 4 to 12 August, there was a decrease in the total capacity generation of the KuNPP due to the disconnection of power lines departing from the station.

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The radiation background at the facility and the adjacent territory is at a level corresponding to the normal operation of power units, and does not exceed natural background values.

The stubborn desire of the Kiev regime that wishes to achieve momentary political benefits to create risks of a large-scale man-made disaster, the consequences of which could affect a significant part of the European continent, causes concern.

We call on the international community to put pressure on the Ukrainian leadership and make it stop shelling, attacks and sabotage of nuclear power facilities and related infrastructure.

The Permanent Mission of the Russian Federation requests the Secretariat to circulate this information among all IAEA Member States as soon as possible.

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

Vienna, "" August 2022