

# Regional Workshop on Drafting Computer Security Regulations

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### through the

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# **Information Sheet**

### Introduction

Member States have developed regulations for the safety and security of nuclear facilities, as well as radioactive material and associated facilities, including inspection programmes for compliance. Due to the increasing computer security threats to the nuclear industry, computer security regulations also need to be developed and implemented, at the State level, to ensure the protection of nuclear information and operations and to maintain the integrity, availability, and confidentiality of all nuclear and other radioactive materials, and associated facilities. This international workshop will provide relevant information on the international instruments and IAEA recommendations to enhance national regulators with a framework and regulations for computer security that can be integrated into their existing regulations.

### **Objectives**

The objective of the workshop is to present participants with the international instruments and IAEA recommendations for the drafting of computer security regulations of physical security, radioactive material, and material outside of regulatory control. The workshop will include both frontal presentations and group discussions to learn and draft national computer security regulation.

### **Target Audience**

The event targets competent authorities, regulators, technical officers, and lawyers responsible for, or involved in, the development, drafting, and implementation of regulations for a state-level regulatory program. Participants should have a good understanding of the existing legal and regulatory framework in their country as it relates to computer security.

# Working Language(s)

English

# **Participation and Registration**

All persons wishing to participate in the event have to be designated by an IAEA Member State or should be members of organizations that have been invited to attend.

In order to be designated by an IAEA Member State or invited organization, participants are requested to submit their application via the InTouch+ platform (<a href="https://intouchplus.iaea.org">https://intouchplus.iaea.org</a>) to the competent national authority (Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Permanent Mission to the IAEA or National Atomic Energy Authority) or organization for onward transmission to the IAEA by 31 January 2025, following the registration procedure in InTouch+:

- 1. Access the InTouch+ platform (https://intouchplus.iaea.org):
  - Persons with an existing NUCLEUS account can sign in to the platform with their username and password;
  - Persons without an existing NUCLEUS account can register here.
- 2. Once signed in, prospective participants can use the InTouch+ platform to:
  - Complete or update their personal details under 'Complete Profile' and upload the relevant supporting documents;
  - Search for the relevant event under the 'My Eligible Events' tab;
  - Select the Member State or invited organization they want to represent from the drop-down menu entitled 'Designating Authority' (if an invited organization is not listed, please contact <u>InTouchPlus.Contact-Point@iaea.org</u>);

- If applicable, indicate whether financial support is requested and complete the relevant information (this is not applicable to participants from invited organizations);
- Based on the data input, the InTouch+ platform will automatically generate the Participation Form (Form A) and/or the Grant Application Form (Form C);
- Submit their application.

Once submitted through the InTouch+ platform, the application, together with the auto-generated form(s), will be transmitted automatically to the required authority for approval. If approved, the application, together with the applicable form(s), will automatically be sent to the IAEA through the online platform.

NOTE: The application for financial support should be made, together with the submission of the application, by 31 January 2025.

For additional information on how to apply for an event, please refer to the <u>InTouch+ Help</u> page. Any other issues or queries related to InTouch+ can be sent to <u>InTouchPlus.Contact-Point@iaea.org</u>.

Selected participants will be informed in due course on the procedures to be followed with regard to administrative and financial matters.

Participants are hereby informed that the personal data they submit will be processed in line with the Agency's Personal Data and Privacy Policy and is collected solely for the purpose(s) of reviewing and assessing the application and to complete logistical arrangements where required. The IAEA may also use the contact details of Applicants to inform them of the IAEA's scientific and technical publications, or the latest employment opportunities and current open vacancies at the IAEA. These secondary purposes are consistent with the IAEA's mandate. Further information can be found in the <u>Data Processing Notice</u> concerning IAEA InTouch+ platform.

# **Expenditures and Grants**

No registration fee is charged to participants.

The IAEA is generally not in a position to bear the travel and other costs of participants in the event. The IAEA has, however, limited funds at its disposal to help meet the cost of attendance of certain participants. Upon specific request, such assistance may be offered to normally one participant per country, provided that, in the IAEA's view, the participant will make an important contribution to the event.

The application for financial support should be made using the **Grant Application Form (Form C)** which has to be stamped, signed and submitted by the competent national authority to the IAEA together with the **Participation Form (Form A)** by **31 January 2025**.

#### Visas

Participants who require a visa to enter Türkiye should submit the necessary application as soon as possible to the nearest diplomatic or consular representative of Türkiye.

### **Additional Information**

Six or more months after completion of training events, participants will be required to complete a short survey on the use of acquired knowledge and skills or a change in attitudes. This will assist the Division of Nuclear Security in understanding the impact of its work and will guide future assistance.

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Subsequent correspondence on scientific matters should be sent to the Scientific Secretary/Secretaries and correspondence on other matters related to the event to the Administrative Secretary.