37th Meeting of the Radiation Safety Standards Committee

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Agenda Item NRW 8.1
Draft Implementing Guide NST020
Sustaining a Nuclear Security Regime

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Draft Implementing Guide

• Cross cutting guide intended to support the entire nuclear security regime of a State including systems and measures for nuclear and other radioactive material and associated facilities and associated activities under regulatory control as well as nuclear and other radioactive material out of regulatory control.

• Interface document requiring endorsement of Safety Committees for approval to transmit to Member States for 120 day review by all relevant Committees.
Resolution of NSGC Comments

• Comments were received from Finland, France, Argentina, South Africa, Japan and Ukraine.

• Comments were predominantly concerned with improving the quality and clarity of the text contained within the draft Guidance publication.

• Majority of comments were accepted and the basis for rejecting a small number of comments was that the idea the subject of the comment was already conveyed in the existing language.
Decision

- Request RASSC endorsement of NSGC approval (received at NSGC Meeting) to submit the draft Implementing Guide: Sustaining a Nuclear Security Regime (NST020) to Member States for 120 day review.