



REGIONAL COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT
INTERNATIONAL ATOMIC ENERGY AGENCY



**THE EIGHTH MEETING OF
THE WORKING GROUP ON RCA MTS COORDINATION**

4-5 February 2021

Online

Purpose:

The purpose of the meeting is to:

- Review, evaluate progress of, and update the WG MTSC work plan for 2021; and
- Assess the Mid-Term Review of the Medium-Term Strategy to discuss the future direction.

Expected Outputs:

It is expected that the meeting will produce the following documents for consideration by the 43rd NRM:

- Proposed updates to RCA documents including the GOR, if required;
- Updated WG MTSC Work Plan;
- Draft Declaration;
- Working Group Meeting Report

DRAFT AGENDA

Day1 Thursday, 4 February 2021

6:00 – 6:30 (Vienna) **Opening Session – *Yoshiko Okamoto***

(14:00-14:30 (JPN))

- Introduction of participants
- Adoption of agenda
- Approval of Chair and Vice Chair
- Review of:
 - Report of the 7th Meeting of the RCA MTSC WG
 - NRM/GCM discussion and recommendations
 - WG Work Plan for 2020
 - Functions of WG under Terms of Reference (ToR)

6:30-7:20 (Vienna)

(14:30-15:20(JPN))

**Work Plan Item 1– Feedback from the MTS Mid-Term Review–
*Prinath Dias***

Questions / Expected Outcomes

- PAC to provide feedback of Mid-Term Review of MTS
- Identify where we think the RCA needs to improve / make recommendations
- Identify where to improve the review methodology

7:20-7:40

Coffee Break

7:40-8:30 (Vienna)

(15:40-16:30(JPN))

**Work Plan Item 7 - Outcome Monitoring (*Chris Daughney and
Sinh Van Hoang*)**

Questions / Expected Outcomes

- Provide update on TCPC project *Case Studies of Social and Economic Value of RCA Projects*
- Provide feedback from the updated report formats
- Provide recommendations to the parameters for MTS-Review (if any)

8:30-9:20(Vienna)
(16:30-17:10(JPN))

Draft Declaration Letter– *Alumanda Dela Rosa*

Questions / Expected Outcomes

- Draft Declaration Letter

Day 2 Friday, 5 February 2021

6:00 – 6:50 (Vienna)
(14:00-14:50 (JPN))

**Work Plan Item 5 - Consideration on Parameters for Final Review
– *Mark Alexander***

Questions / Expected Outcomes

- Identify the issues
- Develop/update performance indicators

6:50-7:40(Vienna)
(14:50-15:40(JPN))

Work Plan Item 3– GOR Guidance on Regional Resource Units (RRU) – *Syed Hossain / Hazmimi Bt. Kasim*

Questions / Expected Outcomes

- How the RRU concepts should be?
- Develop new proposed RRU guidance for GOR (if needed)

7:40-8:00

Coffee Break

8:00-8:30

(16:00-16:30(JPN))

Copyright issues – *Yoshiko Okamoto*

Questions / Expected Outcomes

- How the copyright should be?
- Proposed input to GOR

8:30-9:00

(16:30-17:00(JPN))

Any Other Issues (if any)

9:00-9:30

Preparation of Meeting report and Workplan for 2021

- Next Meeting Date
- Meeting report – to be discussed by e-mail
- Agreement on Work Plan 2021

9:30

Closing