

## Update on the Acceptance of the 2017 RCA

As of March 2019, eighteen (18) countries have deposited their instrument of acceptance of the Regional Co-operative Agreement for Research, Development and Training Related to Nuclear Science and Technology, 2017, of which Cambodia submitted the instrument of acceptance in irrelevant form. The list of these countries is shown in Annex 1.

NRs of the remaining countries (China, Fiji, Laos and Philippines) are requested to facilitate internal processes/procedures and submit the instrument of acceptance to the Director General, ASAP.

NR of Cambodia is requested to coordinate and submit the instrument of acceptance in the relevant form to the Director General, ASAP.

### Annex 1

#### List of Countries that Have Submitted the Instrument of Acceptance

Country/Organization	Instrument	Date of Deposit	Entry into force
Australia	Acceptance	09 Jun. 2017	11 Jun. 2017
Bangladesh	Acceptance	11 Apr. 2017	11 Jun. 2017
<i>Cambodia</i>	<i>Acceptance</i>	<i>???</i>	<i>N/V</i>
India	Acceptance	19 Jul. 2017	19 Jul. 2017
Indonesia	Acceptance	07 Jun. 2017	11 Jun. 2017
Japan	Acceptance	23 May 2017	11 Jun. 2017
Korea, Republic of	Acceptance	08 Dec. 2017	08 Dec. 2017
Malaysia	Acceptance	19 Jun. 2017	19 Jun. 2017
Mongolia	Acceptance	16 Oct. 2017	16 Oct. 2017
Myanmar	Acceptance	11 Jul. 2017	11 Jul. 2017
<b>Nepal</b>	<b>Acceptance</b>	<b>29 Nov. 2018</b>	<b>29 Nov. 2018</b>
New Zealand	Acceptance	12 Sep. 2017	12 Sep. 2017
Pakistan	Acceptance	06 Jul. 2017	06 Jul. 2017

Palau	Acceptance	22 May 2017	11 Jun. 2017
Singapore	Acceptance	30 Jan. 2017	11 Jun. 2017
<b>Sri Lanka</b>	<b>Acceptance</b>	<b>02 Oct. 2018</b>	<b>02 Oct. 2018</b>
Thailand	Acceptance	09 Mar. 2017	11 Jun. 2017
Viet Nam	Acceptance	21 Jun. 2017	21 Jun. 2017