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Sergey Krasnoperov Head of Division Nuclear Safety Institute of the Russian Academy of Sciences Russian Federation

Dear Mr. Krasnoperov,

As the Chair of the Global Initiative to Combat Nuclear Terrorism (GICNT) Response and Mitigation Working Group (RMWG), I would like to express my gratitude for your contributions to the successful execution of the Beacon Fire Advanced Emergency Response Workshop on October 16-18, 2019, in Seoul.

We greatly appreciated your assistance and expertise during the Beacon Fire Workshop as an expert panel facilitator identifying best practices for operating within a radiological scene. You brought a valuable perspective, which contributed to the overall success of the event.

With the help of your efforts, the GICNT has once again taken an important step towards strengthening global capacity to prevent, detect, and respond to nuclear terrorism. The RMWG looks forward to sharing the outcomes of this event with the broader GICNT partnership of 89 countries, and even more so, the next opportunity for the GICNT community to work with you again.

Sincerely,

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