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PARLIAMENTARY WORKSHOP ON NUCLEAR AND RADIOLOGICAL SECURITY

Kathmandu, Nepal | 18th March, 2024

PROGRAM

- 1:30pm *Brief Welcome Remarks*
Hon. Ramesh Lekhak, MP, Member of PGA
- 1:45pm *Opening Remarks*
Ms. Pramila Devi Bajracharya, Secretary of Science and Technology, Ministry of Education, Science and Technology, Nepal
- 2:00pm *Keynote Remarks*
Hon. Devraj Ghimire, Honorable Speaker of the Federal Parliament of Nepal
- 2:15pm *Group Photograph*
- 2:30pm *General Introduction and Overview by PGA's International Peace and Security Program*
Mr. Peter Barcroft, Senior Director, International Peace and Security Program, PGA
- 2:45pm *Nuclear and Radiological Security in Nepal – Current Initiatives and Priorities*
Mr. Indu Bikram Joshi, Joint Secretary, Ministry of Education, Science and Technology (MOEST)
- 3:00pm *Interactive Dialogue Session with all Participants: Observations, Comments & Questions*
- 3:15pm *Coffee/Tea/Snack Break*

- 3:45pm *Video Presentation on the Convention on the Physical Protection of Nuclear Material (CPPNM) and the Amendment to the Convention on the Physical Protection of Nuclear Material (CPPNM/A)*
Dr. Jonathan Herbach, Legal Officer, International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA) (Vienna)
- 4:00pm *Presentation on the International Convention for the Suppression of Acts of Nuclear Terrorism (ICSANT)*
Ms. Francesca Andrian, Programme Officer, CBRN Terrorism Prevention Programme, Terrorism Prevention Branch, United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC)
- 4:25pm *Interactive Dialogue Session with all Participants: Observations, Comments & Questions*
- 4:45pm *Presentation on the gender differentiated impact of nuclear and radiological weapons and materials in non-fatal instances: Engaging more female Parliamentarians*
Mr. Peter Barcroft, Senior Director, International Peace and Security Program, PGA
- 5:00pm *Identification of possible Points of Action for participating Parliamentarians*
- 5:30pm *Closing Remarks*
- 5:45pm *Dinner for Participants*

