



**NATIONAL PARLIAMENTARY SESSION ON NUCLEAR AND RADIOLOGICAL SECURITY**

**The Meikles Hotel | Harare, Zimbabwe**

**12<sup>th</sup> February, 2024**

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## PROGRAM

- 09:00am Brief Remarks by Ambassador of Canada to Zimbabwe, H.E. Mr. Adler Aristilde
- 09:15am Opening of National Parliamentary Session and Keynote Address by Chairperson of Portfolio Committee of Defense, Home Affairs and Security Services of Parliament of Zimbabwe, Hon. Albert Nguluvhe
- 09:30am Remarks by Deputy Minister of Defense of Zimbabwe, Brigadier-General (Retired.) Hon. Levi Mayihlome
- 09:45am *Group Photograph and Coffee/Tea/Snacks Break*
- 10:00am *General Introduction and Overview by PGA's International Peace and Security Program*  
Mr. Peter Barcroft, Senior Director, International Peace and Security Program, PGA
- 10:15am Presentation by Ms. Vongai Mavurayi-Mutanga, Company Secretary, Radiation Protection Authority of Zimbabwe (RPAZ)
- 10:30am Implementation of the Convention on the Physical Protection of Nuclear Material (CPPNM) and its Amendment (CPPNM/A) in Zimbabwe – Steps to be Taken and The Role of Parliamentarians  
Virtual Presentation by Dr. Jonathan Herbach, Legal Officer, the International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA) (Vienna)
- 10:45am *Comments/Observations from Participants as well as interactive Dialogue and Question and Answer Session with all Participants*
- 11:00am Implementation of the International Convention for the Suppression of Acts of Nuclear Terrorism (ICSANT) – Steps to be Taken and the Role of Parliamentarians  
Virtual Presentation by Mr. Artem Lazarev, Programme Officer, CBRN Terrorism Prevention Programme, United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC) (Vienna)
- 11:15am Comments/Observations from Participants as well as interactive Dialogue and Question and Answer Session with all Participants
- 11:30am *Presentation on the gender differentiated impact of nuclear and radiological weapons and materials in non-fatal instances*  
Mr. Peter Barcroft, Senior Director, International Peace and Security Program, PGA
- 11:45am Discussion and *Preparation of a National Parliamentary Plan of Action containing possible steps that participants may wish to consider taking to promote Implementation of CPPNM, CPPNM/A and ICSANT in Zimbabwe*
- 12:15pm *Closing Remarks*
- 12:45pm *Buffet Lunch*