

Information Circular

INFCIRC/613/Add.3

Date: 19 September 2014

General Distribution

Original: English

Cooperative Agreement for Arab States in Asia for Research, Development and Training Related to Nuclear Science and Technology (ARASIA Agreement)

Extension of Agreement

1. Pursuant to Article XII.1, the Cooperative Agreement for Arab States in Asia for Research, Development and Training Related to Nuclear Science and Technology (ARASIA Agreement) entered into force on 29 July 2002. Pursuant to Article XII.2, the Agreement “shall continue to be in force for a period of six years from the date of its entry into force and may be extended for further period(s) if the States Parties so agree”. Upon the expiration of the first six-year period, the ARASIA Agreement was extended for an additional period of six years, i.e. through 28 July 2014.
2. On 24 October 2013, the States Parties to the above Agreement deposited the Extension Decision of the ARASIA Agreement which was adopted by the ARASIA Board of Representatives on 17 September 2013.
3. Effective 29 July 2014, upon the expiration of the first extension, the ARASIA Agreement was thus extended for another additional period of six years, i.e. through 28 July 2020.
4. The latest status list of the ARASIA Agreement is available under <http://ola.iaea.org/ola/treaties/multi.html>



Co-operative Agreement for Arab States in Asia for Research, Development and Training Related to Nuclear Science and Technology (ARASIA) - Second Extension

Notes: Pursuant to Article XII.2 of the original Agreement, the second extension entered into force on 29 July 2014, upon the expiration of the first extension, and will remain in force for an additional period of six years, i.e. through 28 July 2020.

Contracting States: **8** (*subject to Entry Into Force date*)

Last change of status: 29 July 2014

Country/Organization	Signature	Instrument	Date of deposit	Declaration etc. / Withdrawal	Entry into force
Iraq		acceptance	24 Oct 2013	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	29 Jul 2014
Jordan		acceptance	24 Oct 2013	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	29 Jul 2014
Lebanon		acceptance	24 Oct 2013	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	29 Jul 2014
Oman		acceptance	17 Mar 2014	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	29 Jul 2014
Saudi Arabia		acceptance	24 Oct 2013	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	29 Jul 2014
Syrian Arab Republic		acceptance	24 Oct 2013	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	29 Jul 2014
United Arab Emirates		acceptance	24 Oct 2013	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	29 Jul 2014
Yemen		acceptance	24 Oct 2013	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	29 Jul 2014