

## Decommissioning of Nuclear Facilities Discussion and Conclusions



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## Decommissioning End State Cartoonist View - C. Stoiber



## Main questions

- **Review of the workshop:**
  - The workshop was aimed at giving an overview over decommissioning activities. The actual work will have to follow.
    - Is anything missing?
    - What can be improved?
    - Any other comment
- **What to do next:**
  - A workshop on characterisation was held in 09/05
  - A workshop on legal / regulatory framework was held in 06/06
  - We are finishing the workshop on “basics” of decommissioning
  - Workshops on “characterisation” and “decommissioning plan” are foreseen → Is that the right approach?



## Suggestions

- It is time to start the “real” work
- to co-ordinate work progress with additional workshops!
- Suggestion
  - The 09/05 workshop should not be repeated (waste of efforts and money)
  - Those who have not participated will “learn on the job”
  - A DRAFT characterisation plan should be prepared by the operator. It should be explained and discussed at the workshop. In particular issues that need special attention should be brought up in advance and discussed in order to ease the finding of solutions.
  - A second topic of the workshop could be the decommissioning plan. The basis would be the results of the “practical exercise” carried out this week. Maybe the operator could continue to work on this plan. Such progress could be reported, in particular issues that emerged and that need a solution. Trying to help finding solutions on issues would be the other part of the workshop.
- **This proposal is for discussion**



## Suggestions to partic. countries

- Prepare decommissioning plans, if not yet done
- Plan for the management of materials
- Check compliance of national legal / regulatory framework with international recommendations (and amend as necessary)
  - Independence of regulators
  - Nuclear and industrial safety standards
  - Release of materials, buildings and sites
- Make sure that decommissioning funds, incl. materials management, are available
- Identify national deficiencies and make an attempt to initiate corrections (Active involvement!)
- Report on national progress at the next workshop
- Consider active participation in the PRR-1 decommissioning, e.g. by sending staff (Synergies!)
- Become Party to the J.C.

