ENHANCEMENT OF TRAINING CAPABILITIES IN VVER TECHNOLOGY THROUGH ESTABLISHMENT OF VVER TRAINING NETWORK (CORONA II)

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CORONA Project consists of two parts: CORONA I (2011-2014) and CORONA II "Enhancement of training capabilities in VVER technology through establishment of VVER training academy", co-financed by the EURATOM 2014-2015 working program of HORIZON 2020. The main objective of the proposed CORONA II project is to enhance the safety of nuclear installations through further improvement of the training capabilities aimed at building up the necessary personnel competencies. Specific objective of the proposed CORONA II project is to proceed with the development of state-of-the-art regional training centre for VVER competence (which will be called CORONA Academy). The project aims at continuation of the European cooperation and support in the area for preservation and further development of expertise in the nuclear field by improvement of higher education and training. The CORONA II project specific objectives are:

To achieve co-operation and sharing of academic resources and capabilities at the national and international level;

To accelerate and optimize the development of competences in the nuclear area to ensure the high quality of nuclear education and training in VVER area;

To promote the establishment and development of national training systems for the nuclear power sector in the newcoming countries;

To establish a framework for mutual recognition: Implementation of ECVET, which is one of the mail goals of EC in education and training area, will be supported through testing of its elements and pilot implementations;

To integrate VVER education and training with the European education and training in nuclear safety and radiation protection.