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**On-line seminar on nuclear power plant shutdown and decommissioning:
socio-economic impacts
26 February 2021
10:00 h – 13:30 h (CET)**

This seminar is organised by the Group of European Municipalities with Nuclear Facilities (GMF) and the Spanish Association of Municipalities in Nuclear Areas (AMAC) with the aim to exchange experience regarding the socio-economic impacts involved in the decision of closing and decommissioning a nuclear power plant.

The seminar will be held on Zoom. The event is free but registration is mandatory through this [link](#). There will be interpretation English - French – Spanish thanks to the support from the European Commission DG Energy.

Programme

- 10:00 Welcome words
*AMAC President Mr. Juan Pedro Sánchez
GMF President Ms. Pia Almström*
- 10:15 Public knowledge, perceptions and views about decommissioning: the case of Belgium,
Dr. Tanja Perko, SCK CEN, Belgium
- 10:30 **Spain**
- Impact on employment and economic investment related to dismantling – *Mr. Manuel Rodríguez Silva, Director of Operations, Enresa*
- Agreements with nuclear areas for a just energy transition - *Ms. Laura Martín, Just Transition Institute Director (Directora del Instituto para la Transición Justa)*
- Regional and local impacts of nuclear power plants closure and dismantling, *Mr. Alfons Garcia, mayor of Vandellòs-l'Hospitalet de l'Infant and AMAC vice-president*
- 11:15 **Discussion**
- 11:35 **Break**
- 11:45 **France**
- Impacts of the closure of Fessenheim, *Mr. Claude Brender, mayor of Fessenheim, president of ARCICEN (association of municipalities with nuclear facilities)*



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- 12:00 **United Kingdom**
Decommissioning and Site Remediation in the UK: The NDA's Local Social and Economic Impact Strategy, *Mr. Neil Smith, Business Development Manager for the Nuclear Decommissioning Authority (NDA)*
- Nuclear Prospectus, Geological Disposal Facility Siting process and plans for Sellafield
Mr. Rob Ward, Nuclear Sector Lead for Copeland Borough Council
- 12:30 **Bulgaria**
Economic impacts of the closure and decommissioning of the four reactors in the area of Kozloduy nuclear power plant, *Ms. Marinela Nikolova, mayor of Kozloduy municipality*
- 12:45 **Discussion**
- 13:15 **Closure of the seminar by Mr. Juan Pedro Sánchez, AMAC president**

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