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Government of India
Cabinet Secretariat
National Authority Chemical Weapons Convention

1st Floor, Chanakya Bhawan, Chanakya Puri,
New Delhi, dated 20th October 2021

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Invitation for nomination for the Online Seoul Workshop on the Peaceful Development and Use of Chemistry for Member States of the OPCW in the Asian Region on 13 December 2021- regarding.

Please find enclosed herewith a copy of the invitation letter from the Technical Secretariat, Organization for Prohibition of Chemical Weapons (OPCW), seeking nominations on the above-mentioned subject.

2. In line with above, one nomination of a suitable, qualified and experienced Officer of an appropriate level along with relevant documents, adhering to the 'Revised Guidelines for OPCW sponsored events' issued by NACWC may please be sent to this office latest by 15th November 2021 through the online portal- OPCW Training Management System (<https://training.nacwc.gov.in/Login.aspx>). The Head of the concerned Department/Organization may also certify that the applicant is clear from vigilance angle and no departmental proceeding against him is contemplated or inquired into.

3. Applicants who have already participated in the similar previous programme(s) may not be considered for the course. After attending the course, nominated individuals have to submit a report and presentation on the above Workshop to the National Authority.

Encl: As above



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INVITATION TO APPLY FOR THE SEOUL WORKSHOP ON THE PEACEFUL DEVELOPMENT AND USE OF CHEMISTRY FOR MEMBER STATES OF THE OPCW IN THE ASIAN REGION (ONLINE)

13 DECEMBER 2021

The OPCW Technical Secretariat wishes to inform National Authorities of the Asian Member States that it jointly with the Republic of Korea will hold an online version of the Seoul Workshop on the Peaceful Development and Use of Chemistry for Member States of the OPCW in the Asian Region on 13 December 2021.

The aim of the workshop is to promote the use of chemistry related to the Convention and to enhance national capacities in regional development. The specific objectives of the workshop are to:

- (a) to provide an opportunity for participants to consider and discuss specific chemical safety and security management issues related to chemical processes that have a direct bearing on the effective implementation of the Convention; and
- (b) contribute to the sharing of information and the exchange of experiences regarding practical management programmes.

Content

The workshop will constitute educational sessions followed by a tabletop exercise, covering overall aspects of chemical safety and security, including, but not limited to (a) peaceful use of chemicals and the management of scheduled chemicals; and (b) chemical process safety and audit of chemical facility with lessons learnt from Korea's chemical industry. The workshop will be held via Microsoft Teams application and will last up to three hours.

The specific agenda of the workshop will follow shortly.

Application

Please note that the Technical Secretariat will accept up to 30 participants from Asian member states. Each country can endorse up to 2 candidates.

Interested applicants from National Authorities and relevant stakeholders in Asian Member States are invited to apply online through [Eventus](#)—the OPCW event management system. Applicants should create an account in Eventus and then register for the training course.

Please note that all questions marked with an asterisk (*) in the online form must be answered and an endorsement letter from the National Authority must be attached in order for the nomination to be received and for the candidate to be considered for this event. The endorsement letter must be uploaded during the course registration process.

All applications must be received by 26 November 2021 through Eventus.

Annex 1. Endorsement Letter Form

Annex 1

**SEOUL WORKSHOP ON THE PEACEFUL
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**ENDORSEMENT BY THE NATIONAL
AUTHORITY**

This form must be signed, duly sealed, and uploaded when submitting your application online (<https://apps.opcw.org/eventus>)

Please type or use BLOCK LETTERS

I, _____, Head/Chief

Coordinator of the National Authority of the State Party of _____,

on behalf of the Government of _____, hereby endorse the

application of Mr/Ms _____,

holding the position/designation of _____

_____ in the

Office/Division/Branch of _____

_____,

for participation in the SEOUL WORKSHOP ON THE PEACEFUL

DEVELOPMENT AND USE OF CHEMISTRY FOR MEMBER STATES OF THE

OPCW IN THE ASIAN REGION (ONLINE) on 13 December 2021.

Signature: _____

Name: _____

Designation: _____

Official seal of the Organisation: