

Arrangement between

Federal Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry, Environment and Water Management,
Radiation Protection Division (hereafter BMLFUW)

and

State Office for Nuclear Safety (hereafter SÚJB)

on instalment and use of Austrian automatic radiation monitoring station (hereafter AMS)
in the Czech Republic agreed in the framework of the Agreement between the
Government of the Czech Republic and the Government of the Republic of Austria on
Questions of Common Interest Regarding Nuclear Safety and Radiation Protection

1. This arrangement is concluded in the spirit of the further development of the good neighbourly relations between the Republic of Austria and the Czech Republic. Its purpose is to build confidence of Austrian public that no radioactive contamination of environment appeared from nuclear installations in the Czech Republic.
2. The arrangement regulates the conditions under which AMS is installed in České Budějovice at a plot of the State Office for Nuclear Safety (SÚJB).
3. SÚJB will:
 - ensure conditions of the AMS including free-of-charge operation of the controlling computer of the AMS which is placed at SÚJB Regional Centre České Budějovice,
 - guarantee that the data line installed for connection of the AMS with BMLFUW will not be used in place of SÚJB Regional Centre České Budějovice for other purposes.
4. BMLFUW will
 - cover all costs of installation, operation, technical upgrades and decommissioning of the AMS,
 - use data gained from the AMS for its own purposes and for information of public,
 - consult SÚJB before any unusual data or their interpretation is published. An expert consultation will be mediated by the official contact point under the Convention for Early Notification (24 hour on duty).
5. The maintenance and technical upgrades of the AMS will be performed by BMLFUW or its contractor.
6. Entrance of maintenance personnel to the area of regional office of SÚJB Regional Centre České Budějovice of where the AMS is placed is possible only together with an employee of SÚJB.
7. Technical conditions and financial reimbursements of AMS operation will be agreed by the head of the Regional Centre České Budějovice and the head of Radiation Protection Division of BMLFUW. This agreement will have a written form.
8. All questions relating to the AMS which are not regulated by this arrangement will be solved by consultation between SÚJB and BMLFUW and all changes of this arrangement including the costs will be agreed in written form as an appendix to this arrangement signed by both sides.
9. This arrangement is agreed for the term of two years starting by the date of signature by both sides. If no side announces withdrawal two month before expiration the arrangement is automatically prolonged for the next two years.
10. It replaces the previous correspondent agreement dating from 27.04.2001. It enters into force, if and when it is duly signed by both parties.

For BMLFUW

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