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# **Why RCF? Expectations and Reality**

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## **Reasons for joining RCF**

- **Decision of several countries to construct NPPs of the Russian design and request for support to strengthen their national regulatory bodies that had already received assistance from other sources**
- **Understanding the lack in coordination both among the providers and within a recipient regulatory body**
- **Intent to exchange experience in providing assistance**



# **Expectations of the RCF activities**

- **To be based on the justified needs**
- **To be coordinated to avoid overlapping and optimize resources (time and money for providers and recipients)**



## **RCF Reality**

- INIR and IRRS missions, results of self assessments**
- Meetings to discuss draft assistance programs, meetings of providers, workshops with involvement of several providers**



## **RCF Future**

**The main challenge - increasing number of recipient countries**

**Possible solutions:**

- To use additional sources of information which justify requests for assistance**
- To conduct joint workshops (several providers and several recipients)**
- To ask recipients to allocate proper persons for each activity and to report on the application of knowledge gained**
- To use new educational technologies available**
- To arrange a possibility for answering urgent questions**



# **Conclusion**

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**RCF is a good instrument for information exchange and coordination of support activities for recipient countries' regulators**