TW8. Nuclear facilities: dismantling and lifecycle-related challenges

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The Engineering Centre for Dismantling and the Environment is dedicated to the back-end of power operations, and to environmental safety. CIDEN provides engineering consultancy for decommissioning operations, waste management advice, and advice on environmental impact and decontamination.



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The National Radioactive Waste Management Agency was created in 1979 within the CEA, it was established by the December 1991 Waste Act as a public body in charge of the long-term management of all radioactive waste, under the supervision of the Ministry of Ecology, Energy, Sustainable Development and the Sea and the Ministry of Research. ANDRA ensures 3 missions: a R&D mission (to propose safe long-term solution for radioactive waste without current disposal system), an industrial mission (waste acceptance criteria and control, siting, construction, operation, closure and monitoring of repositories) and an information mission.



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The DGEC (General Directorate for Energy and Climate), is charged to ensure the coordination of the policy to fight climate warming and to secure the energy supply at the best possible price. It brings together a wide range of technical, economic, financial and legal skills. The nuclear industry division prepares and implements the Government's decisions concerning the civil nuclear sector, under the supervision of the players in the country's nuclear industry, as well as nuclear research policy (future reactors) and radioactive materials and waste management policy (which includes securing funding for dismantling operations and waste management)



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Enresa is the public company in charge of the safe management, storage and disposal of the radioactive wastes produced in Spain. Founded in 1984 by the Parliament, Enresa is also responsible for the dismantling of nuclear power plants when their service lifetime has come to an end and for the environmental restoration of disused uranium mines and facilities.



Mr. Yannick ROUSSELET, in charge of nuclear campaign - Greenpeace France

Greenpeace is an independent global campaigning organisation that acts to change attitudes and behaviour, to protect and conserve the environment and to promote peace. Greenpeace is present in 40 countries across Europe, the Americas, Asia, Africa and the Pacific. Greenpeace speaks for 2.8 million supporters worldwide, and encourages many millions more than that to take action every day. Greenpeace works on various subjects: climate change, forests, oceans, agriculture, toxic pollution and nuclear.