

UNIDIR Lunchtime Presentation

## Deferred Verification: Verifiable Declarations of Fissile Material Stocks

*Friday, 8 December 2017*

**13h15 – 15h00**

*Room IX, Palais des Nations, United Nations Office at Geneva*

At this event, UNIDIR will describe a verification arrangement that would allow the future Fissile Material Cut-off Treaty to include declarations of existing fissile material stocks covering all categories of materials, including materials in nuclear weapons. This arrangement, referred to as “deferred verification”, would allow declarations to be legally binding and verifiable. Combined with a ban on the production of new materials that would be established by the FMCT, this arrangement could support verification of initial declarations of fissile material stocks and the gradual elimination of all weapon-related fissile materials.

The report *Deferred Verification: Verifiable Declarations of Fissile Material Stocks* will be available online shortly before the meeting.

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| 13:15 | Welcoming remarks<br><b>Jarmo Sareva</b> , Director, UNIDIR   |
| 13:30 | Presentation of the Deferred Verification Proposal<br><b>Pavel Podvig</b> , Senior Research Fellow, UNIDIR            |
| 14:00 | Potential Deferred Verification Demonstration Projects<br><b>Joseph Rodgers</b> , Visiting Research Associate, UNIDIR |
| 14:20 | Questions and moderated discussion  |
| 15:00 | End   |

*A sandwich lunch will be available at 13:00 outside the room*

*The meeting will be held in English*

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