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Weapons of Mass Destruction:

London Conference on Nuclear and Radiological Security Begins Sept. 29 **Leading experts from around the globe to discuss coordinated response**

WASHINGTON, D.C. – The world's leading experts in nuclear and radiological issues will gather in London at the end of September for a major international conference seeking to coordinate global efforts to prevent nuclear and radiological terror.

The conference is sponsored by the United States National Nuclear Security Administration (NNSA), a semi-autonomous agency of the U.S. Department of Energy, and the Ministry of the Russian Federation for Atomic Energy (MINATOM).

Attendees will hear from NNSA Acting Administrator Ambassador Linton Brooks; U.S. Undersecretary of State for International Security John Bolton; British Member of Parliament Bruce George, Labour Chairman of the House of Commons Defence Committee; Dr Evgeny Velikhov, one of Russia's foremost nuclear physicists and President of the Kurchatov Nuclear Institute in Moscow; Madame Therese Delpech, Director of the French Atomic Energy Institute; and many other specialists.

The conference will be held from September 29 – October 2, in London, England. Any media representatives needing credentials should contact Charlie Reiser with the Trilateral Group at 44-207-591-4800 by close of business Friday, September 27.

WHAT: International Approaches to Nuclear and Radiological Security Conference
WHEN: September 29 - October 2, 2002
WHERE: London, England

MEDIA REGISTRATION: contact Charlie Reiser at 44-207-591-4800
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