Collection: Nuclear Safeguards Bill

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The measures in the Bill will amend the <a>Energy Act 2013 to:

- replace the Office for Nuclear Regulation's existing nuclear safeguards purposes with a new nuclear safeguards purposes definition
- create new powers for the Secretary of State to put in place in regulations the detail of the domestic safeguards regime, such as accounting, reporting, control and inspection arrangements
- create a limited power for the Secretary of State to amend the existing regulations so that references to international agreements can be updated once new international agreements have been reached

The UK has been a member of the International Atomic Energy Agency since its formation in 1957 and will continue to apply civil nuclear safeguards in the UK.

View the progress of the Bill on the parliament website.

Related legislation

- IAEA Voluntary Offer Agreement
- IAEA Additional Protocol
- <u>Euratom Treaty</u>
- Euratom Regulation No 302/2005
- Nuclear Non-Proliferation Treaty
- Nuclear Safeguards and Electricity (Finance) Act 1978
- Nuclear Safeguards Act 2000
- Nuclear Safeguards (Notification) Regulations 2004