

Visit to the Kashiwazaki-Kariwa Nuclear Power Station
by Director General of the International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA)

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On February 18, His Excellency Mr. Rafael Mariano Grossi, Director General of the IAEA, visited the Kashiwazaki-Kariwa Nuclear Power Station.

During his visit, H.E. Mr. Grossi was shown nuclear safety and security measure facilities and equipment such as the seawall, emergency vehicles, and air-cooled gas turbine generator trucks, etc.

Following the visit, H.E. Mr. Grossi evaluated the plant, saying, "I had an opportunity just now to look at all the controls on the security and the access of the plant and we were very satisfied with the progress we have seen.", "All the measures have been taken in past almost 15 years already and I believe that there is some basis for restart." He also added, "we will continue in this effort together."

He also mentioned on the significance of restarting the plant, saying, "it is symbolic but at the same time it will have very real and tangible impact on the energy landscape in Japan."

TEPCO will continue to maintain/improve the safety and security and reliability of its power stations and encourage as much of the general public as possible to come and see conditions at the site as Kashiwazaki-Kariwa aims to become a power station that is trusted by society.

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