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AESJ International Nuclear Information Network,  
and ANS Japan Local Section

Kenya Suyama, of the AESJ International Nuclear Information Network (ININ) managing the ANS Japan Local Section (JLS), sent this report:

### **1. ANS JLS Report for ANS Local Section Committee, October 2025**

ANS and Atomic Energy Society of Japan (AESJ) have established a bilateral agreement in 1999 to provide a mutual cooperation and since then AESJ is one of the so-called “sister-societies” of ANS.

### **2. Activities of ANS Japan Section FY2025 (April 2025- September 2025)**

The ANS Japan Section is managed by the International Nuclear Information Network (ININ) of AESJ. The ININ has approximately 120 members including 12 officers.

Major activities in FY2025 until September are as follows:

- Semi-annual Members’ General Meetings are held twice a year, in autumn and spring. The autumn meeting was held in September 2025 face-to-face; the spring meeting will be held in March 2026, again face-to-face.
- Executive Committee Meetings are usually planned about four times a year. In this fiscal year, two ones were held in April and August 2025, and the other two ones are planned in November 2025 and February 2026.
- Workshops are usually planned four times a year with invited lecturers. In this fiscal year, two ones were held as follows, while additional two ones are scheduled to be held in November 2025 and March 2026:
  - ✓ “Human Capacity Building for the Nuclear Enterprise” presented by Ms. Lisa Marshall, the former president of ANS, on June 10, 2025.  
Highly appreciated with approximately 32 participants from the ININ and the other AESJ members. Such workshop by ANS president would be greatly appreciated next year, too.
  - ✓ “CEA 80 Years and Progress of the French Nuclear Industry” presented by Mr. Gilles Bernard-Michel, the Nuclear Counsellor at the French Embassy in Japan, on September 10, 2025.
  - ✓ (Title to be decided) presented by Mr. Suda, Wien office, Japan Atomic Energy Agency, to be held on November 25, 2025.
  - ✓ (Title and presenter to be decided) to be held in March 2026.

Also, the ANS Japan Section has other communication opportunities to the section members through e-mail, Web and Annual Newsletter.