

## Waste Management Infrastructure and Financing

Country: LATVIA

Reporting Year: 2013

### National Infrastructure

Nuclear Energy Context:	
Research & Development:	
Policies and Programs:	
Decommissioning and Dismantling:	
Legal Framework:	<p>The basic documents related to RWM:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) The Law on Radiation and Nuclear Safety (2000). The law governs all activities involving radioactive or nuclear materials and all sources of ionizing radiation. It establishes the basic principles of radiation and nuclear safety (justification, optimisation and limitation) and also contains provisions on nuclear third party liability.</li> <li>2) Cabinet Regulations "On Practices involving Radioactive Waste and related Materials" (2002)</li> <li>3) Cabinet Regulations "Regulations for Protection against Ionizing Radiation" (2002),</li> <li>4) Cabinet Regulations "Criteria and Principles for Determining Equivalence of Different Radioactive Waste" (2002).</li> <li>5) Joint Convention on the Safety of Spent Fuel Management and on the Safety of Radioactive Waste Management</li> </ol> <p>Operators must provide all necessary information to the RSC showing that safety measures are being applied. The RSC may at any time withdraw or revoke licenses if radiation protection and nuclear safety requirements are not met.</p>
Planned Improvements:	

### National Financing

Nuclear installations:	
Legacy Wastes:	
Medical installations:	
Extractive Industries:	
Additional Comments:	