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President Vladimir Putin has announced that Russia will set up the world's first closed-fuel-cycle nuclear power system in Tomsk by 2030.

The new system is designed to reuse up to 95% of spent nuclear fuel. This will drastically reduce the amount of radioactive waste generated.

It will also cut down the global demand for fresh uranium, making nuclear power more sustainable in the long run.

With this initiative, Russia seeks to take the lead in next-generation nuclear energy technology.