Written submission from the Wildlife Habitat Council, Inc.

In the Matter of
Bruce Power Inc. – Bruce A and B Nuclear Generating Station

Request for a ten-year renewal of its Nuclear Power Reactor Operating Licence for the Bruce A and B Nuclear Generating Station

Commission Public Hearing – Part 2

May 28-31, 2018

Mémoire du Wildlife Habitat Council, Inc.

À l’égard de
Bruce Power Inc. - Centrale nucléaire de Bruce A et Bruce B

Demande de renouvellement, pour une période de dix ans, de son permis d’exploitation d’un réacteur nucléaire de puissance à la centrale nucléaire de Bruce A et Bruce B

Audience publique de la Commission – Partie 2

28-31 mai 2018
February 26, 2018

Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission
c/o Senior Tribunal Officer, Secretariat
280 Slater St., P.O. Box 1046, Station B
Ottawa, ON K1P 5S9

Dear Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission,

We appreciate the opportunity to inform you of Bruce Power's relationship with Wildlife Habitat Council (WHC) as the Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission (CNSC) is reviewing their Power Reactor Operating License for the Bruce Nuclear Generating Stations A and B located near Tiverton, Ont.

WHC promotes and certifies habitat conservation and management on corporate lands through partnerships and education. WHC Conservation Certification programs take corporate sustainability goals and translate them into tangible and measurable on-the-ground actions. Through collaborations for conservation with corporate employees, other conservation organizations, government agencies and community members, WHC programs focus on healthy ecosystems and connected communities. Over 700 WHC-assisted wildlife habitat and conservation education programs are found in 48 states and 17 countries.

WHC's unique model of working with business has been honed over 30 years working with over 100 of the world's leading corporations including Ontario Power Generation, TransCanada, MEG Energy, and many others. We strive to empower business to implement meaningful conservation projects on their properties that engage employees and community members. WHC Conservation Certification programs exceed regulatory requirements and demonstrate a dedication to voluntary stewardship unique to the corporate leaders we work with. These projects range in size, complexity and location and span industry sectors. A full record of WHC-certiﬁed programs can be found on our website at http://www.wildlifehc.org/whc-index/.

Bruce Power has been a valuable member of WHC since 2014 and has demonstrated not only good corporate citizenship, but also important community engagement. Bruce Power has helped us advance dialogue in the area of certification through sponsorship of the WHC Conservation Academy online webinars, providing thousands of people the opportunity to attend free educational webinars on various conservation topics and issues. Additionally, Bruce Power’s support of the WHC Conservation Conference provides educational and professional development opportunities for corporate conservation professionals.

In summary, WHC looks forward to continuing our relationship with Bruce Power and deepening our collective conservation impact. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Margaret O’Gorman
President