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The Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission (CNSC) held a public hearing on April 13, 2017 to consider an application from Ontario Power Generation Inc. (OPG) to renew its Waste Facility Operating Licence for the Pickering Waste Management Facility (PWMF), located on the site of the Pickering Nuclear Generating Station in Pickering, ON. This application included a request to approve the construction of new facilities on the site.

During the hearing, OPG informed the Commission that it was finalizing an updated environmental risk assessment (ERA) on the Pickering Nuclear Generating Station (NGS). The Commission requested that the updated 2017 ERA and the 2014 ERA related to the PWMF be made available to the Commission and the public, and be entered into the record of this hearing.

The Commission invites the intervenors who made submissions for the April 13, 2017 hearing to file supplementary written submissions in relation to the 2014 and 2017 ERAs. These ERAs are available on OPG’s website. Written submissions must be filed by July 21, 2017, using the online request form or following the coordinates below. Submissions must include the author’s name, address and telephone number.

OPG is invited to provide a supplementary written submission, which must be received by August 21, 2017. Any supplemental submission that CNSC staff may wish to provide the Commission must also be received by August 21, 2017. Once all submissions are received, the Commission will deliberate on this matter.

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