



Notice of Hearing in Writing

October 6, 2017

Ref. 2017-H-101

The Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission (CNSC) will hold a hearing based on written submissions in **November 2017** to consider an application from Canadian Nuclear Laboratories (CNL) to amend the Waste Nuclear Substance Licence for the Port Hope Long-Term Waste Management Facility (LTWMF), located in Port Hope, ON.

CNL has requested this licence amendment in order to implement a different arsenic management strategy for specific portions below and near some waste cells at the LTWMF, which are under construction as part of the Port Hope Area Initiative.

Pursuant to rule 3 of the *Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission Rules of Procedure* (the Rules), the Commission has decided to vary the Rules in order to ensure that this hearing is dealt with as informally and expeditiously as the circumstances and the considerations of fairness permit. The Commission will consider written submissions from CNL and CNSC staff, as well as written interventions from members of the public. A panel of the Commission will then deliberate and render a decision on CNL's application.

Pursuant to rule 19 of the Rules, members of the public who have an interest or expertise in this matter or information that may be useful to the Commission in coming to a decision are invited to comment, in writing, on CNL's application. Requests to intervene must be filed with the Commission Secretariat by **November 6, 2017** using the [online request form](#) or following the coordinates below. **The request to intervene must include the following information:**

- a written submission of the comments to be presented to the Commission
- the requester's name, address and telephone number

All submissions are available to the public on request to the Secretariat. Personal information, such as address and telephone number, is essential for linking the submission to its author. If you wish to ensure the confidentiality of your personal information, please submit it on a separate page.

The hearing submissions are not available on the CNSC website and must be requested through the Secretariat at the coordinates below.

Following the deliberations and decision of the Commission on this matter, a *Record of Decision* will be published on the CNSC website at nuclearsafety.gc.ca and made available to the public on request.

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