



**Written submission from
David Piccini, Member of Provincial
Parliament, Northumberland-
Peterborough South**

**Mémoire de
David Piccini, député provincial,
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In the Matter of the

À l'égard de

Canadian Nuclear Laboratories

Laboratoires Nucléaires Canadiens

Application to renew its waste nuclear
substance licence for the Port Hope Project

Demande concernant le renouvellement du
permis de déchets de substances nucléaires
pour le projet de Port Hope

Commission Public Hearing

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Dear Secretariat:

As the Member of Provincial Parliament for Northumberland—Peterborough South and a long-time resident of Port Hope, I have seen the significant progress made through the Port Hope Area Initiative's (PHAI) remediation projects. I am writing to you in support of the Canadian Nuclear Laboratories' application for a 10-year renewal of the Port Hope Waste Nuclear Substance Licence for the completion of the Port Hope Area Initiative.

In the Port Granby project alone, the PHAI has overseen more than 1.3 million tonnes of contaminated material placed safely in long-term storage. Human health is paramount to the cleanup process, and in past operations the PHAI has demonstrated their ability to complete waste remediation in a safe manner and in compliance with the applicable federal and provincial regulations.

As the Canadian Nuclear Laboratories' application for a 10-year renewal of the Port Hope Waste Nuclear Substance Licence is reviewed, I ask that the Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission take an active interest in ensuring that the Port Hope Area Initiative can fulfill its mandate in a timely manner, within identified project timelines, while continuing to ensure the safety of local residents.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "David Piccini", with a large, sweeping flourish underneath.

David Piccini
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