Notice of Public Hearing

August 16, 2012 Ref. 2012-H-06

The Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission (CNSC) will hold a one-day public hearing to consider AREVA Resources Canada Inc.'s (AREVA) application to amend the McClean Lake Mining Facility Operating Licence.

Hearing: October 24, 2012

Place: CNSC Public Hearing Room, 14th floor, 280 Slater Street, Ottawa, Ontario

Time: as set by the agenda published prior to the hearing date

The public hearing will be webcasted live on the Internet via the CNSC Web site and archived for a period of 90 days.

AREVA is requesting an amendment to the McClean Lake operating licence to authorize the operation of the ore slurry receiving circuit at the McClean Lake's JEB Mill, an increase in the annual uranium concentrate production rate and the receipt and processing of uranium ore slurry from the McArthur River Mine.

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 AREVA's application. Requests to intervene must be filed with the Secretary of the Commission by September 24, 2012, directly on-line at http://www.nuclearsafety.gc.ca/eng/commission/intervention/index.cfm or at the coordinates below. The request must include the following information, as per the *Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission Rules of Procedure*:

- a written submission of the comments to be presented to the Commission; and
- name, address and telephone of the requester.

Personal information, such as address and telephone numbers, is essential for linking the submission to its author. Please submit your personal information on a separate page if you wish to ensure its confidentiality. It should be noted that all submissions are available to the public upon request to the Secretariat.

AREVA's submission and CNSC staff's recommendations to be considered at the hearing will be available after August 24, 2012. These documents are not downloadable. To obtain them, a request must be made to the Secretariat at the address below or directly from the Web site. Agendas, hearing transcripts and information on the hearing process are available at the CNSC Web site: www.nuclearsafety.gc.ca.

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