

Notice of Public Hearing

February 28, 2013 Ref. 2013-H-05

The Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission (CNSC) will hold a one-day public hearing to consider the University of Alberta's application to renew, for a period of 10 years, its non-power reactor operating licence for the SLOWPOKE-2 facility, located in Edmonton, Alberta.

Hearing: May 15, 2013

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 webcast live via the CNSC Web site, and archived for a period of 90 days.

The proposed 10-year licence term would allow the University of Alberta to continue operating the SLOWPOKE-2 reactor and to continue providing industrial activation analysis services as well as educational and research support throughout Western Canada.

Members of the public who have an interest or expertise in this matter, or any information that may be useful to the Commission in coming to a decision, are invited to comment on the University of Alberta's application. Requests to intervene must be filed with the Secretary of the Commission by April 15, 2013, directly online at nuclearsafety.gc.ca/eng/commission/intervention 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
- a statement setting out whether the requester wishes to intervene by way of written submission only or by way of written submission and oral presentation
- name, address and telephone number 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 made available to the public, upon request to the Secretariat.

The University of Alberta's submission and CNSC staff's recommendations to be considered at the hearing will be available after March 15, 2013. 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 nuclearsafety.gc.ca.



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