

Canadian Nuclear

Commission canadienne Safety Commission de sûreté nucléaire

Notice of Hearing

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The Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission (CNSC) will hold a hearing in December 2014 to consider an application from Ontario Power Generation (OPG) to amend the power reactor operating licence for the Darlington Nuclear Generating Station located in the municipality of Clarington, on the north shore of Lake Ontario.

OPG is requesting a licence amendment to reflect that two previous CNSC regulatory documents that have been superseded by newly issued regulatory documents. OPG requested to replace CNSC Regulatory Document RD-310, Safety Analysis for Nuclear Power Plants and CNSC Regulatory Standard S-294, Probabilistic Safety Assessment (PSA) for Nuclear Power Plants, with CNSC REGDOC-2.4.1, Deterministic Safety Analysis, and CNSC REGDOC-2.4.2, Safety Analysis: Probabilistic Safety Assessment (PSA) for Nuclear Power Plants. This amendment will allow OPG to better plan safety analysis work and to ensure alignment with modern regulatory requirements contained in the newly issued regulatory documents.

The Commission has determined that a public hearing is not necessary to consider this request from OPG. The requested changes are administrative in nature and do not raise matters related to health, safety or environmental protection that would warrant being considered in the context of a public hearing. The hearing will be conducted by way of written submissions from CNSC staff and OPG.

Following the deliberations in a closed session and decision of the Commission on this matter, a record of proceedings, including reasons for decision will be published on the CNSC website and made available to the public.

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

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