



**Written submission from
Black & McDonald**

**Mémoire de
Black & McDonald**

In the Matter of the

À l'égard d'

Ontario Power Generation Inc.

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Application for a licence to construct one BWRX-300 reactor at the Darlington New Nuclear Project Site (DNNP)

Demande visant à construire 1 réacteur BWRX-300 sur le site du projet de nouvelle centrale nucléaire de Darlington (PNCND)

**Commission Public Hearing
Part-2**

**Audience publique de la Commission
Partie-2**

January 8, 2024

8 janvier 2024

575 Granite Court – Unit A, Pickering, ON L1W 3K1 (905) 837-1291

October 31, 2024.

Senior Tribunal Officer, Commission Registry
Canadian Nuclear Safety Association
280 Slater Street
P.O. Box 1046, Station B
Ottawa, ON K1P 5S9

To Whom It May Concern,

Black & McDonald Limited continues to be very active in providing our services to Ontario Power Generation (OPG) Pickering Nuclear Generating Station (PNGS) and Darlington Nuclear Generating Stations (DNGS) for over two decades.

OPG's Utilities are the safest places to work in Canada and provide significant economic and social benefit to Indigenous Nations, the local community and Canada. Our customer, OPG, holds us accountable to the highest standards of Safety and Quality performance. Safety and Quality include more than the individual employees and OPG property; they encompass the protection of the public and the environment. OPG and their contract partners have demonstrated Safety, Quality and Project Management at its finest over the years, most recently with the execution of the DNGS Refurbishment Project.

In support of Canada's decarbonization plans, the continued need for safe production of reliable, affordable and clean energy, OPG plans to construct BWRX-300 Small Modular Reactors (SMRs) at the Darlington Nuclear Site.

Black & McDonald is pleased to be associated with a company like OPG due to its contributions to Ontarians and the value placed on Safe Operations. We are proud to be a key contributor to the continued safe operation of these nuclear sites and fully support the OPG application for the construction of BWRX-300 Small Modular Reactors (SMRs) at the Darlington Nuclear Site.

Sincerely,

BLACK & McDONALD LIMITED



Mark W. Healy, P.Eng.
Regional Vice-President

Attach (1)



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Attachment 1

Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission DNNP Licence to Construct Hearing Interventions

In 1921, William J. McDonald and William R. Black formed Black & McDonald Limited, a partnership to engage in residential wiring. Throughout the years, Black & McDonald has remained a family-owned business with an uncompromising commitment to the founder's principles of delivery as promised and fairness to all.

The company has followed a planned course of diversification and expansion, combining growth and financial stability with ongoing investment in our people, and a willingness to pioneer new business opportunities and directions.

Currently, Black & McDonald operates across Canada and the United States. The company has over 7,000 employees working out of a network of more than 30 offices.

Our commitment to the communities in which we live and work is motivated by our responsibility to be a good corporate citizen and our desire to be a good neighbour. At Black & McDonald we understand the uniqueness of each of the communities we serve so our Community Responsibility program is administered at the local level with widespread employee participation.