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In the Matter of

À l'égard de

Bruce Power Inc. – Bruce A and B Nuclear Generating Station Bruce Power Inc. - Centrale nucléaire de Bruce A et Bruce B

Request for a ten-year renewal of its Nuclear Power Reactor Operating Licence for the Bruce A and B Nuclear Generating Station Demande de renouvellement, pour une période de dix ans, de son permis d'exploitation d'un réacteur nucléaire de puissance à la centrale nucléaire de Bruce A et Bruce B

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Praxair, Inc., a Fortune 250 company, is the largest industrial gases company in North and South America and the world's leading supplier of carbon dioxide and helium. The company produces, sells, and distributes atmospheric and process gases, high-performance surface coatings and welding equipment & consumables. Praxair products, services and technology bring productivity and environmental benefits to a wide variety of industries, such as universities, utilities, aerospace, biotechnology, pharmaceutical, food and beverage, healthcare, semiconductor materials, steel, chemicals and refining, metal fabrication, water treatment, and others.

Praxair's over one hundred year history of providing gases, technologies and services to a broad range of industries has positioned us to meet the high level of delivery sophistication and supply integrity that is critical to Bruce Power. We are a dedicated supplier of compressed industrial and medical gases, in a variety of supply modes from cylinders to bulk as well as specialty hardgoods.

Similar to Bruce Power's safety commitment, Praxair's commitment to safety can be seen in such programs as our Local Emergency Assistance Program (LEAP). LEAP minimizes the consequences of emergency situations by providing prompt, safe and effective response to emergencies at our customer sites. Through LEAP, our expert Safety & Environmental Services and Customer Service personnel work to ensure that every problem is resolved quickly and safely. Our North American LEAP network is comprised of more than 150 trained Praxair supervisors, location managers and technical representatives who can assist with emergencies. We also emphasize driver and safety training and the application of advanced systems in our vehicles, such as vehicle automatic roll stability control, to keep our drivers and our product safe.

Our team of customer service professionals, gas production employees, technical service representatives and safety professionals work with Bruce Power on an on-going basis to help ensure their safety and compliance standards are being met or exceeded with the products we provide.

Our relationship has continued to grow year over year as we work to supply the right gases, equipment, technologies and services and we are proud to support Bruce Power's application for a 10 year operating license renewal.

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