



**Written submission from
Christa Ingalls**

**Mémoire de
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In the Matter of the

À l'égard de

Cameco Fuel Manufacturing Inc.

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Application to Renew the Class IB Nuclear Fuel Facility Licence for Cameco Fuel Manufacturing Inc. in Port Hope, Ontario

Demande de renouvellement du permis d'exploitation de l'installation de combustible nucléaire de catégorie IB pour Cameco Fuel Manufacturing Inc. à Port Hope (Ontario)

Commission Public Hearing

Audience publique de la Commission

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Re: Cameco Fuel Manufacturing's licence renewal application (Nov 23-24, 2022 Hearing)

Dear President and Commission Members,

My name is Christa Ingalls and I'm writing in support of the 20-year licence renewal for CFM. I have worked at CFM since 2016 as the Operations Manager and feel well positioned to comment on the performance of the site.

The first thing I want to mention is that we have an amazing workforce who is truly committed to safety, the environment, our community, and continuous improvement.

Some examples that demonstrate our commitment include;

- We have an engaged Joint Health and Safety Committee who has helped achieve 4 years without a lost time injury. Additionally, over the 3-year period between 2019-2021 we had a total of only 3 recordable injuries. These injury levels elevate us to the top levels for the low total recordable incident rate in a manufacturing environment.
- In addition to the fact that our product is playing an essential role to help fight the global climate crisis, we also know through our routine monitoring that we have continued to reduce the site emissions which were already far below regulatory levels.
- When the COVID-19 pandemic was announced, we sent people home where possible, but maintained routine operation with reduced site personnel. There were many people who continued to come to work everyday because they understood that during this pandemic the need for electricity would be great, and as the provider of a significant portion of Ontario's electricity, that they had a role to support their community.
- Every year we get better. We have forums to collect ideas and teams to work on improvements. There is a real culture of improvement within the employees that continues to help us evolve to make us an even better operation.

I believe that granting CFM the requested 20-year licence would be a fair response to recognize the strong performance delivered by the principled, hardworking, and committed personnel it employs.

Sincerely,



Christa Ingalls P.Eng.