



**Written submission from the  
Port Hope and District Chamber  
of Commerce**

**Mémoire de la  
Port Hope and District Chamber  
of Commerce**

In the Matter of the

À l'égard de

**Canadian Nuclear Laboratories**

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**Laboratoires Nucléaires Canadiens**

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Application to renew its waste nuclear  
substance licence for the Port Hope Project

Demande concernant le renouvellement du  
permis de déchets de substances nucléaires  
pour le projet de Port Hope

**Commission Public Hearing**

**Audience publique de la Commission**

**November 22, 2022**

**22 novembre 2022**



October 6, 2022

Re: Canadian Nuclear Laboratories (CNL) Port Hope Area Initiative (PHAI) License Renewal Application

As Port Hope's trusted Voice of Business, the Chamber is focused on building a vibrant community where businesses thrive. We influence public policy and work with partners to remain focused on advocacy, education, relationship building and resource development that empowers the business sector.

The Chamber believes that we are very fortunate to have CNL/PHAI leading the clean up of this community and appreciate the commitment they have to ensuring everything is done safely with consideration for environmental protection. The focus on reducing impacts to quality of life for all and their measures of accountability make them the leader needed to complete the project already started.

We can also speak to the fact that PHAI is a valued partner in the clean up. They make sure that their staff participate in community events, like the fair, council meetings and regular attendance at Chamber of Commerce board meetings. All of these are examples of wanting to keep the community informed and engaged in the clean up, which we all know affects every resident. They also go further with their commitment to local by hosting regular bus tours to exchange information with the business community and supporting the on-line Port Hope Contractors Portal to ensure local businesses are considered as part of the team to complete the clean up and replacement projects. CNL/PHAI is community partner we value and appreciate.

Port Hope and District Chamber of Commerce fully supports the license renewal application that has been submitted for CNL related to the Port Hope Area Initiative. We are supportive of both organizations and look forward to the positive impacts, innovative supports and on-going safety considerations they will continue to offer to the community and the Chamber.

If you have any questions please reach out to me directly, [brenda@porthopechamber.com](mailto:brenda@porthopechamber.com)

Thank you for providing the opportunity to intervene in this matter,

*Brenda Whitehead*



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