



**Written submission from
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In the Matter of the

À l'égard de

Canadian Nuclear Laboratories

Laboratoires Nucléaires Canadiens

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

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

Date: October 14, 2022

Subject: Canadian Nuclear Laboratories' application for a 10-year renewal of the Port Hope Project Waste Nuclear Substance Licence for the completion of the Port Hope Area Initiative - Reference Number: 2022-H-13.

Dear Secretariat:

The PHAI is providing a safe way to dispose of low-level radioactive waste in Port Hope and Port Granby. As an employee with CNL - and a resident of Clarington, I fully support this application.

Working for CNL in Port Hope over the past 10 years has shown me we truly care about the safety and people of Port Hope, Port Granby and our employees. Our organization has proven daily that we follow all the rules, all the time – and in a positive, psychologically safe environment.

Our management team guides our exceptional PHAI team throughout this clean up. The staff are very well qualified and experienced with nuclear, environmental, safety and radiation protection. Our company maintains robust functions and operations that meet all required safety and control areas in the current PHAI licences. Regular adherence to these requirements ensures we work safely.

Finally, I want to stress how encompassing and passionate our safety culture is within CNL and at the PHAI. We talk it, walk it and take home our *Rules to Live By* – keeping our employees, neighbours and families safer and better protected.

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

Donna Snowden