



**Oral presentation**

**Exposé oral**

**Written submission from the  
Fundy Bay Senior Citizens' Club Inc.**

**Mémoire du  
Fundy Bay Senior Citizens' Club Inc.**

In the Matter of the

À l'égard de la

**New Brunswick Power Corporation,  
Point Lepreau Nuclear Generating Station**

**Société d'Énergie du Nouveau-Brunswick,  
centrale nucléaire de Point Lepreau**

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Application for the renewal of NB Power's  
licence for the Point Lepreau Nuclear  
Generating Station

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Demande de renouvellement du permis  
d'Énergie NB pour la centrale nucléaire de  
Point Lepreau

**Commission Public Hearing  
Part 2**

**Audience publique de la Commission  
Partie 2**

**May 11 and 12, 2022**

**11 et 12 mai 2022**

March 26, 2022

Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission  
Commission Secretariat  
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**SUBJECT:** Point Lepreau License Renewal

Dear Commission Secretariat,

This letter is to request permission to intervene for the Point Lepreau Nuclear Generating Station's operating license renewal. Please consider this letter to be not only my personal written submission but also on behalf of our Seniors' Club members. We will also appear in person at the Part 2 hearing.

I am a resident of Dipper Harbour and the President of the Fundy Bay Senior Citizens' Club Inc. situated in Maces Bay, which is very close to the Point Lepreau Nuclear Generating Station. The Club was established in 1974, with over 100 members of many generations. The mission of the Fundy Bay Senior Citizens Club Inc. is to provide activities, education, and entertainment to improve the overall health and quality of life for seniors and to promote Interaction with other community members.

I have been a member of this community for eight years and during those years have witnessed, first-hand, the community support and positive contributions provided by the employees of the Point Lepreau Nuclear Generating Station. Some of the residents living in our community have retired from NB Power or have relatives working at the Station - and we are thrilled to have their families here as well. The employees of the Station are very knowledgeable and generous. They help in the community when needed.

We feel confident the station is operated safely by the employees and that it will continue to be into the future. The employees have shared with us, in person, at our Club, all the information we would possibly need to know to be prepared in the unlikely event there was ever an emergency. They listen to us and take our comments seriously, which we really appreciate. We feel comfortable knowing that if we ever have any questions or concerns about the Station, they will be quickly addressed.

As an example of their communications with the community, the employees have delivered to all households of our community an extremely informative and useful calendar which includes a safety guide containing information on the steps to take to be prepared for an emergency, whether it is an evacuation, a fire, or should radiation be released. It also contains information to help explain potassium iodide pills and how they are to be used. As well, it explains how the Point Lepreau Warden Service works.

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The employees of the station also work together closely with our Musquash and Dipper Harbour Volunteer Fire Departments (some are members of our Club) to provide added support. This works extremely well, and the Chief often helps with the safety presentations we receive from the station employees. It is good to know the Station is working co-operatively with our community response teams.

We also have a Club member who is part of the PLGS Community Relations Liaison Group. Information shared at those meetings are also shared with our members. The employees of Point Lepreau Nuclear Generating Station are great neighbours and make themselves available to answer questions and to take part often in community activities.

During our pandemic, our Club members were very proactive in ensuring that all health and safety measures were in place to protect the Seniors at risk. To achieved that, we partnered with PLNGS and used their model and installed signage, hand sanitizers, shields and made critical information available to all members. Our Club was recently notified that we considered a "Success Model" Nationally during the pandemic by New Horizon Senior Program. It is something that our Club is very proud of.

I am pleased to respectfully support Point Lepreau's operating license renewal application and have every confidence the station will continue to be operated safely.

Sincerely yours,



Carol Sullivan  
On behalf of the Fundy Bay Senior Citizens' Club Inc.