



**Written submission from the
Saskatchewan Mining Association**

**Mémoire de la
Saskatchewan Mining Association**

In the Matter of

À l'égard de

**Request for 2-Year Licence Renewal for
Cameco Corporation's Beaverlodge Project**

**Demande de renouvellement, pour 2 ans, du
permis de Cameco Corporation pour le projet
de Beaverlodge**

Public Hearing - Hearing in writing based on
written submissions

Audience publique - Audience fondée sur des
mémoires

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Senior Tribunal Officer, Registry
Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission
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RE: SMA Written Intervention – Cameco Corporation - Application for Renewal of the Decommissioned Beaverlodge Properties Licence, WFOL-W5-2120.2/2023

The SMA is the voice of the exploration and mining industry that operates in Saskatchewan and has the role of liaison and advocacy agent with provincial and federal governments and the public to advance the sustainable development of the mineral resources of the province. Environmental, Social and Governance performance are integral to the activities of SMA members and for decades our members have been Canadian and international leaders in including Indigenous peoples, businesses, and communities in their operations.

The SMA represents over 35 member companies including producers and exploration companies. Our mission is to advance a safe, sustainable, and globally competitive exploration and mining industry in Saskatchewan that benefits all residents of the province.

The SMA is providing this intervention in support of Cameco Corporation's application for Renewal of the Decommissioned Beaverlodge Properties Licence, WFOL-W5-2120.2/2023.

The SMA recognizes that this application is being made to extend the current license for a period of up to 24 months to allow adequate time for regulatory processes, public engagement, and document preparation to support the final release of the decommissioned Beaverlodge properties and transfer to the provincial Institutional Control Program.

Further, the SMA notes that this application contains no changes to the existing terms and conditions or to the associated Licence Conditions Handbook.

The SMA is confident that Cameco will continue to carry out licence condition requirements in an effective and responsible manner that will protect the health and safety of the public and environment, and will meet the requirements for transfer of the remaining properties to the province's Institutional Control Program.

We would like to thank you for the opportunity to share our views in this written intervention to indicate our support for Cameco Corporation's application for Renewal of the Decommissioned Beaverlodge Properties Licence, WFOL-W5-2120.2/2023.

Yours sincerely,



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