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Bruce Power Mid-Term Update of Licensed Activities

Rapport de mi-parcours au sujet des activités autorisées de Bruce Power

Commission Meeting

Réunion de la Commission

September 20 and 21, 2023

Le 20 et 21 septembre 2023





We create opportunity for people to thrive through innovative housing solutions.

July 27, 2023

Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission 280 Slater Street, P.O. Box 1046, Station B Ottawa, ON K1P 5S9

Re. Bruce Power's Mid-Term Update on Licensed Activities at the Bruce Nuclear Site

On behalf of the Board of Directors and employees of Habitat for Humanity Grey Bruce I wish to thank the Commission for the opportunity to provide this written submission on Bruce Power over the current licence period.

For more than 20 years, Bruce Power, including its associated unions, individual employees, retirees and supplier network has supported Habitat's mission of helping families thrive through affordable homeownership in our community. Their commitment to building healthy communities in Grey and Bruce counties in partnership with Habitat, has enabled several low and moderate income families realize their dream of homeownership and escape substandard living conditions. The impact, particularly on the lives of children living in a Habitat built home is huge: improved health, increased confidence and reduced levels of stress are among the many benefits Habitat families experience. We could not achieve these results without the continued support of Bruce Power.

Further, Bruce Power is committed to helping Habitat serve our two Indigenous communities with safe and energy efficient housing. Through financial support and direct volunteer participation by several Bruce Power employees, we have built 28 homes on the territory of the Chippewas of Nawash Unceded First Nation and Saugeen First Nation. The success of our partnership with the First Nations aided by the support of Bruce Power has led to another 7 houses being built for the First Nations this year.

As a non-profit organization, we rely on the generous support of community partners like Bruce Power who are committed to putting into action their core value of social responsibility; to help build healthy communities in Bruce and Grey counties. We are very proud to be associated with Bruce Power and to be recognized in the community as having a strong and growing partnership.

At Habitat for Humanity we appreciate the thoroughness of the Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission's review of Bruce Power's 10-year power reactor operating license and the opportunity to make this submission.

Respectfully,

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