



**Written submission from  
Girls Incorporated of Durham**

**Mémoire de  
Girls Incorporated of Durham**

In the Matter of the

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**Ontario Power Generation Inc.**

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Application to extend the operation of  
Pickering Nuclear Generating Station  
Units 5 to 8 until December 31, 2026

Demande visant à prolonger l'exploitation  
des tranches 5 à 8 de la centrale nucléaire de  
Pickering jusqu'au 31 décembre 2026

**Commission Public Hearing**

**Audience publique de la Commission**

**June 2024**

**Juin 2024**

April 28, 2024

The Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission (CNSC)  
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To whom it may concern,

On behalf of Girls Incorporated of Durham, I am writing to express our support for Ontario Power Generation's (OPG) application to amend its current licence with the Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission (CNSC) to operate Pickering Nuclear's Units 5 to 8 to the end of 2026, which is an additional two years.

Pickering Nuclear plays an important role in providing clean, safe, reliable, and low-cost electricity to the Province of Ontario. As an organization that operates in close proximity of the nuclear station we believe that OPG will continue to make public safety their top priority and operate the plant to the highest safety standards.

They continue to maintain open and transparent communications with organizations like ours, and the community at large. We are confident OPG has taken the appropriate measures to ensure safe, reliable operations for another two years, and will continue to operate with the same standards of excellence.

OPG also strives to make a difference in the community by creating strong partnerships and relationships. OPG has partnered with our organization to provide funding for our organization to be able to offer STEM program in our March Break and Summer camps to the next generation of leaders.

With this in mind, we are pleased to support the amendment request to operate Pickering Nuclear's Units 5 to 8 for an additional two years.



Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Yvette Nechvatal-Drew".

*Yvette Nechvatal-Drew, Executive Director*