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## *Notice of Hearing in Writing*

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July 24, 2025

Ref. 2025-H116

### **CNSC to conduct a hearing in writing to review TRIUMF's updated financial guarantee**

The Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission (CNSC) will conduct a public hearing based on written submissions in fall 2025. The hearing in writing is to review the updated financial guarantee for TRIUMF's particle accelerator facilities. The Commission will be deciding whether to accept TRIUMF's updated financial guarantee.

TRIUMF's particle accelerator facilities are located on the campus of the University of British Columbia in Vancouver, British Columbia, and on the traditional, ancestral and unceded territory of the xʷməθkʷəy̓əm (Musqueam) people.

According to its Class IB particle accelerator licence, TRIUMF is required to maintain a financial guarantee for decommissioning that is acceptable to the Commission. The current financial guarantee was accepted by the Commission in [June 2022](#).

CNSC [REGDOC-3.3.1, Financial Guarantees for Decommissioning of Nuclear Facilities and Termination of Licensed Activities](#), requires licensees to periodically review and revise their financial guarantees. TRIUMF submitted an updated preliminary decommissioning plan and revised financial guarantee to the CNSC in January 2024.

### **Hearing submissions**

The Commission will consider written submissions from CNSC staff and intervenors. The Commission will then deliberate and render a decision on this matter, after which a record of decision will be published on the CNSC website and made available on request to the Commission Registry. A decision from the Commission is anticipated in fall 2025.

The hearing submissions from CNSC staff will be available after **July 31, 2025**, on the CNSC website at [cnsccsn.gc.ca](https://cnsccsn.gc.ca) or on request to the Commission Registry.

## Interventions

Pursuant to rule 19 of the [Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission Rules of Procedure](#), persons who have an interest or expertise in this matter or information that may be useful to the Commission in coming to a decision are invited to comment on TRIUMF's application. Requests to intervene must be filed with the Commission Registry by **August 29, 2025**, using the [online request form](#), [by email](#), or the contact information below.

### **The request to intervene must include the following information:**

- a written submission of the comments to be presented to the Commission, including an appendix with all documents mentioned as references in the written submission
- the requester's name, address, telephone number and email address

All submissions will be available for download on the CNSC website at [cnsccsn.gc.ca](https://cnsccsn.gc.ca) or upon request to the Commission Registry. Personal information, such as address and telephone number, is essential for linking the submission to its author. If you wish to ensure the confidentiality of your personal information, please submit it on a separate page.

### **Obligation for providing documentary material for the record**

Under rule 15 of the [Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission Rules of Procedure](#), any documentary evidence, written submission or other material filed with the Commission shall be open to the participants and the public (subject to any confidentiality measures taken by the Commission, as described below). In order to provide a clear record of the information that is before the Commission, all participants should submit to the Commission Registry, along with their substantive submissions, any reference materials used to support their position. Reference materials must be directly appended to the submission or filed under separate cover, as appropriate, to be considered on the record. Items cited in and/or hyperlinked from the body of the main submissions but not filed will not be considered as part of the record and will not be taken into account in the Commission's deliberations.

### **Confidentiality**

Under rule 12 of the [Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission Rules of Procedure](#), the Commission can decide to take measures to protect confidential information. Persons considering filing information that may be confidential in nature are asked to contact the Commission Registry in advance of their submission deadline for information on how to request that the Commission decide on whether to take measures to protect that information, and what those measures should be.



**For further information on the public Commission hearing process, or on the licensee or the facilities being considered in this matter, or to request documents, contact:**

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