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**Written Submission from the  
Big Brothers Big Sisters of  
Clarington**

**Mémoire des  
Big Brothers Big Sisters of  
Clarington**

In the matter of the

À l'égard d'

**Ontario Power Generation Inc.**

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Application to renew power reactor  
operating licence for the Darlington  
Nuclear Generating Station

**Ontario Power Generation Inc.**

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Demande concernant le renouvellement  
du permis d'exploitation d'un réacteur de  
puissance pour la centrale nucléaire de  
Darlington

**Commission Public Hearing  
Part-2**

**Audience publique de la Commission  
Partie-2**

June 24-26, 2025

24-26 juin 2025



April 29, 2025

Senior Tribunal Officer, Commission Registry  
Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission  
280 Slater St  
PO Box 1046 Stn B  
Ottawa ON K1P 5S9

Re: Renewal of the Darlington Nuclear Generating Station Reactor Operating License

To Whom It May Concern:

Ontario Power Generation (OPG), specifically Darlington Nuclear Generating Station (NGS), demonstrates an incredible level of commitment to the community in which it operates. OPG develops strong relationships with community stakeholders and residents through its support of local charities, schools, causes, movements, and businesses. As a local charitable organization, Big Brothers Big Sisters of Clarington has benefited from both the financial and volunteer support of OPG and its employees.

As the leading child and youth mentoring charity in our area BBBS facilitates life-changing relationships that inspire and empower children and youth to reach their potential, both as individuals and citizens. In order to deliver our programming, BBBS relies on corporate partnerships and support. We are proud to recognize OPG as one of the most significant corporate partners in Pickering. Both OPG and its employees continually show their commitment to our programs and to the children in our community.

For twenty-five years OPG has supported BBBS here in Clarington. They have been the presenting sponsor of our annual Bowl for Kids' Sake event. This has been the most important fundraising event of our year. In addition to a financial sponsorship, OPG employees volunteer and assist in soliciting additional community support, raise pledges for the agency, and participate in the event itself.

In addition to their involvement in Bowl for Kids' Sake, OPG employees also provide support to BBBS by donating through the Employee's and Pensioner's Trust, and contributing funds raised from in-house charity campaigns.

Equally important to the financial contributions, are the volunteer efforts made by individual employees. OPG employees have played an important role as volunteer mentors in various Big Brothers Big Sisters programs. Serving as role models, OPG employees who volunteer as mentors teach by example the importance of giving back, of staying in school, and having respect for family, peers and community. We truly value the contribution that OPG employees have made in helping children in our community realize and share their full potential.

As the Acting Executive Director of Big Brothers Big Sisters of Clarington, I would like to extend my support to OPG Darlington as the corporation applies for the renewal of the renewal of the

Darlington NGS Power Reactor Operating License for a 30-year term (Dec. 1, 2025 to Nov. 30, 2055).

If you need further information regarding our involvement with Darlington NGS, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,



Melanie Stewart  
Acting Executive Director