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**Written Submission from
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**Mémoire de
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In the matter of

À l'égard de

Cameco Corporation

Application to renew the Class IB nuclear fuel facility operating licence for the Port Hope Conversion Facility for a period of 20 years

Cameco Corporation

Demande visant à renouveler, pour une période de 20 ans, le permis d'exploitation d'une installation de combustible nucléaire de catégorie IB pour l'installation de conversion de Port Hope

Commission Public Hearing

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Re: Cameco's licence renewal application for the Port Hope Conversion Facility (Nov 3-5, 2026 Hearing)

Dear President and Commission Members,

My name is Julia Bou-Chamoun, I am a mechanical engineering student at Ontario Tech University, and I am a co-op student at Cameco's Port Hope Conversion Facility from May to August 2026. Cameco mines, processes, and manufactures fuel for nuclear reactors all over the world, making power more sustainable and readily available.

My relationship with Cameco has been nothing but positive. From my first day, I felt welcomed with good hospitality and good people all around. I learned a lot from working at Cameco, and it will always have a special place in my heart for being my first co-op and setting my future up for success.

The PHCF has applied for a 20-year licence and I think this would be beneficial to society as a whole and I fully support the relicensing not only as an employee, but as an Ontario resident as well.

Our safety, health, environment and quality team was extremely thorough and communicative throughout my term. From orientation to emails to initiatives, they were always very clear as to what needs to be done to ensure our safety. They hosted safety campaigns and promotions to encourage people to follow safety procedures. Our everyday procedures alone such as our dosimetry and urinalysis program as well as the doctors and nurses on site made me feel safe my whole term. I also had the opportunity to work with emission tracking. Here, I learned how important it is to follow regulations and the lengths we go to monitor our emissions and impact on our environment and neighbours.

I receive weekly updates about the company, and I feel very informed about our operations. If I have any inquiries about anything Cameco related, there is numerous resources on our portal, and my peers are always more than happy to take a minute to discuss with me. Cameco also participates in many community investment initiatives including the United Way Day of Caring. I had the opportunity to participate in it during my term and was pleased to see so many other Cameco volunteers there as well. I feel like we made a difference in our community.

I think the CNSC should grant Cameco with a 20-year licence because as a young woman, I am concerned about our climate crisis. Cameco ensures secure, low-carbon electricity to power Canada and abroad. I also see first-hand how Cameco extensively ensures safety is its top priority and our monitoring programs that are in place demonstrate this. They are very diligent and I see the integrity in everything they do.

Sincerely,
Julia Bou-Chamoun