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**Written Submission from
Station Gallery**

**Mémoire de
Station Gallery**

In the matter of

À l'égard de

Ontario Power Generation

Application to refurbish Pickering Nuclear
Generating Station and to renew licences
for the Pickering Nuclear Generating
Station and Waste Management Facility

Ontario Power Generation

Demande concernant la réfection de la
centrale nucléaire de Pickering et le
renouvellement de ses permis pour la
centrale et l'installation de gestion des
déchets

**Commission Public Hearing
Part 2**

**Audience publique de la Commission
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Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission (CNSC)

Re: Intervention in Support of Ontario Power Generation's Application to Renew the Pickering Nuclear Generating Station Operating Licence

To Whom It May Concern,

On behalf of Station Gallery, I am pleased to provide this written intervention in support of Ontario Power Generation's application to renew the Power Reactor Operating Licence for the Pickering Nuclear Generating Station for the period of January 1, 2027 through December 31, 2036.

Station Gallery has had the privilege of partnering with OPG for many years. Through its support of community initiatives, including our Art is Therapy programming, OPG has demonstrated a meaningful commitment not only to Ontario's energy future, but also to the health and well-being of the communities it serves.

As a community organization serving thousands of residents each year, we recognize the importance of reliable, affordable, and low-emission electricity. Ontario's growing population and economy depend on a secure energy supply, and we understand that the continued operation and refurbishment of Pickering Nuclear Generating Station will play an important role in maintaining approximately ten percent of Ontario's electricity generation while supporting the province's transition to a clean energy future.

We have every confidence that OPG will continue to operate the Pickering Nuclear Generating Station safely and responsibly while meeting the rigorous regulatory standards established by the Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission. OPG's longstanding commitment to safety, operational excellence, environmental stewardship, and community engagement gives us confidence in its ability to successfully undertake both continued operations and the planned refurbishment activities.

We respectfully encourage the Commission to approve OPG's application for licence renewal. Continued operation of Pickering Nuclear Generating Station will support Ontario's energy security, preserve thousands of skilled jobs, contribute to economic growth, and allow OPG to continue making valuable investments in communities like ours.

Thank you for considering our submission. We appreciate the opportunity to participate in this public hearing process.

Kind regards,

Natasha Downes
Executive Director