

## Notice of Participation at a Commission Meeting and Participant Funding

June 14, 2022 Ref. 2022-M-05

Upcoming public meeting on the Regulatory Oversight Report for Uranium Mines and Mills in Canada: 2021

The <u>Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission</u> (CNSC) will hold a public meeting in December 2022 where CNSC staff will present the *Regulatory Oversight Report for Uranium Mines and Mills in Canada: 2021* (UMM ROR). The uranium mines and mills covered by the ROR are located in the traditional and treaty territories of many Indigenous Nations and communities.

CNSC staff will provide an overview of the CNSC's regulatory efforts related to licensed operating uranium mine and mill sites in Canada during the 2021 calendar year. The ROR will cover the following operating uranium mines and mills: Orano Canada Inc.'s McClean Lake Operation, and Cameco Corporation's Cigar Lake, Key Lake, Rabbit Lake and McArthur River operations. Historic and decommissioned sites, which are included every 3 years, are not covered in this ROR, as they were last reported on in the 2020 report.

Date: December 15 or 16, 2022

Place: To be determined (Ottawa, Ontario, and/or virtually)
Time: As set by the agenda published prior to the meeting date

The public meeting will be webcast live and available on the CNSC website at nuclearsafety.gc.ca.

In advance of the public meeting, the CNSC is making available up to \$75,000 in funding through its <a href="Participant Funding Program">Program</a> (PFP). The purpose of the funding is to assist Indigenous Nations and communities, members of the public and stakeholders in reviewing CNSC staff's UMM ROR, and in participating in the Commission meeting process by providing topic-specific written submissions to the Commission. PFP applications must clearly demonstrate how the proposed intervention will provide the Commission with information directly relating to the UMM ROR and the licensees' safety performance at CNSC-licensed uranium mine and mill sites in 2021. Please note that the \$75,000 will be disbursed among all successful applicants. The deadline for submitting a completed participant funding application form to the CNSC is **July 15, 2022**.

The UMM ROR will be available for review on the CNSC website, or on request to the Registry, after **September 15, 2022.** 



Persons who have an interest or expertise in this matter are invited to comment, in writing, on the UMM ROR by **November 14, 2022**, using the <u>online request form</u>, <u>email</u>, or the Registry contact information below. In addition, in the spirit of reconciliation and in recognition of the Indigenous oral tradition for sharing knowledge, the CNSC will offer Indigenous intervenors the opportunity to make oral presentations. Oral presentations may be conducted remotely. **A request to intervene must include the following information:** 

- a written submission of the comments to be presented to the Commission
- a statement setting out whether the requester wishes to intervene by way of written submission only or by way of written submission and oral presentation
- the requester's name, address, telephone number and email address

All submissions will be available for download on the CNSC website or on request to the 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.

## For further information on the Participant Funding Program, please contact:

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## For further information on the public Commission meeting process, please contact:

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Web: Observe a public Commission meeting

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