

Notice of Hearing in Writing

July 17, 2019 Ref. 2019-H-109

The Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission (CNSC) will conduct a hearing based on written submissions in July 2019 to consider an application from Ontario Power Generation Inc. (OPG), in respect of an exemption from a licensing requirement for the Pickering Nuclear Generating Station (PNGS). The PNGS is located on the north shore of Lake Ontario in Pickering, Ontario.

OPG has requested a one-time exemption from the requirement of section 26.1 of RD-204, *Certification of Persons Working at Nuclear Power Plants*, which is part of the PNGS licensing basis. The requested exemption pertains to one specific worker at the Pickering Nuclear Generating Station (PNGS).

Pursuant to rule 3 of the Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission Rules of Procedure (the Rules), the Commission has decided to vary the Rules in order to ensure that this hearing is dealt with as informally and expeditiously as the circumstances and the considerations of fairness permit. The Commission will consider written submissions from OPG and CNSC staff. A panel of the Commission will then deliberate and render a decision on OPG's application.

The hearing submissions from OPG and CNSC staff are available on the CNSC website, or on request to the Secretariat.

Following the deliberations and Commission decision on this matter, a record of decision will be published on the CNSC website at <u>nuclearsafety.gc.ca</u> and made available on request.

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