



Notice of Participation at a Commission Meeting and Participant Funding

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Upcoming public meeting on the *Regulatory Oversight Report for Canadian Nuclear Power Generating Sites: 2022* and the mid-term update for Ontario Power Generation's Pickering Nuclear Generating Station

The [Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission](#) (CNSC) will hold a public meeting in December 2023 where CNSC staff will present the *Regulatory Oversight Report for Canadian Nuclear Power Generating Sites: 2022* (NPGS ROR), and Ontario Power Generation (OPG) will present a mid-term update on the Pickering Nuclear Generating Station (NGS). The facilities and activities covered by the NPGS ROR are located in the traditional and treaty territories of many Indigenous Nations and communities, including the Wendat, Anishinabek Nation, and the territory covered by the Williams Treaties with the Michi Saagiig and Chippewa Nations for the Pickering NGS site.

CNSC staff will provide an overview of the CNSC's regulatory efforts related to licensed nuclear power generating sites and their onsite waste management facilities during the 2022 calendar year. CNSC staff will also discuss the CNSC's regulatory oversight of refurbishment projects, including site-specific updates on units currently undergoing refurbishment activities. OPG will provide, as a mid-term update, an overview of its performance at the Pickering NGS since 2018, including updates on requests made by the Commission in the 2018 licence renewal [Record of Decision](#).

Meeting details

Date: December 13 or 14, 2023
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.

The NPGS ROR and OPG's mid-term update on the Pickering NGS will be available for review on the CNSC website, or on request to the Registry, after **August 31, 2023**.

Participant funding

In advance of the public meeting, the CNSC is making available up to **\$75,000** in funding through its [Participant Funding Program](#). The purpose of the funding is to assist Indigenous Nations and communities, members of the public and stakeholders in reviewing CNSC staff's ROR and/or OPG's Pickering NGS mid-term update, and in participating in the Commission meeting process by providing topic-specific written and/or oral submissions to the Commission. Participant funding applications must clearly demonstrate how the proposed intervention will provide the Commission with information directly related to the NPGS ROR or the safety performance of NPGS licensees during 2022, and/or to the mid-term update on the Pickering NGS. 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 **June 3, 2023**.

Interventions

Persons who have an interest or expertise in this matter are invited to comment, in writing, on the NPGS ROR by **October 30, 2023**, using the [online request form](#), [email](#), or the contact information below. The submission must include your name, address, telephone number and email address.

In addition, the CNSC will offer the opportunity to make oral presentations. Oral presentations may be conducted remotely. **The 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 Commission 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.

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

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