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Mémoire de Shawna Mathieu

In the Matter of the

À l'égard de

**Cameco Corporation**, **Blind River Refinery** 

Cameco Corporation, Raffinerie de Blind River

**Application to renew licence for Cameco Corporation's Blind River Refinery** 

Demande de renouvellement de permis pour la raffinerie de Blind River appartenant à **Cameco Corporation** 

**Commission Public Hearing** 

Audience publique de la Commission

November 24, 2021

**24 novembre 2021** 





October 15, 2021

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## Re: Cameco's licence renewal application for the Blind River Refinery (Nov 24-25, 2021 Hearing)

Dear President and Commission Members,

My name is Shawna Mathieu, I am a Laboratory Technologist at the Blind River Refinery and have been in my role for 14 years.

I have personally witnessed Cameco's commitment to the future of the community, the employees, and the refinery in my tenure at this site. Cameco ensures ongoing support through community sponsorship, continual development, and improvements to infrastructure.

Cameco's dedication to safety and the environment combined with their proven track record for reliable operations ensures that a 10-year license renewal will make a positive impact to the site and the community.

Cameco, the Blind River Refinery, and each of the employees consider the safety of all workers and the protection and conservation of the environment and natural resources paramount in the long-term success of the site. The recent 15 Year LTI anniversary celebrated in June and absence of any environment incidents during the last licensing period, are two major victories for the site.

Cameco is a proud community sponsor; through various community and school-based programs Cameco recognizes and honors its community partners and citizen's. Cameco is a strong supporter of local business and ensures that their support is extended to all.

It is my hope that Cameco is granted a 10-year license renewal so that we as a company may continue to grow, exhibit strong leadership, and continue to have a positive influence on local communities, while providing a rewarding and supportive workplace for so many.

Regards,

Shawna Mathieu