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In the Matter of the

À l'égard de la

New Brunswick Power Corporation, Point Lepreau Nuclear Generating Station

Société d'Énergie du Nouveau-Brunswick, centrale nucléaire de Point Lepreau

Application for the renewal of NB Power's licence for the Point Lepreau Nuclear Generating Station

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Re: Point Lepreau Operating License Renewal 2022 H-02

Established in 1920, the Association of Professional Engineers and Geoscientists of New Brunswick (APEGNB) is a 6,000 self-regulated professional organization that regulates and governs the practice of engineering and geoscience in New Brunswick. Our organization has served and protected the public for more than 100 years.

Since the Point Lepreau Nuclear Generating Station (PLNGS) first became operational in 1983, APEGNB's licensed professional engineers, engineers-in-training and authorized firms have been directly involved in the design, operation, and maintenance of the facility.

Our robust licensing and registration process allows us to regulate these members in the public interest, by ensuring appropriate knowledge and skills, adherence to practice standards, and a Code of Ethics. As such, the continued safe and reliable operation of this facility is critical for New Brunswickers' quality of life, both economically and environmentally.

With their unique knowledge and expertise, our registrants are responsible for adherence to engineering codes, standards, policies, and work practices. This serves APEGNB's mandate of protecting the public. Through the significant involvement of our registrants in the operational activities, we commend the decades-long safety record of the PLNGS.

This letter confirms the continued support of APEGNB for the renewal the Operating Licence for the Point Lepreau Nuclear Generating Station.

Please note that our Association wishes to intervene in writing only. I can be reached at the address noted on this letterhead.

Sincerely,

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