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In the Matter of the

À l'égard des

Canadian Nuclear Laboratories (CNL)

Laboratoires Nucléaires Canadiens (LNC)

Application from the CNL to amend its Chalk River Laboratories site licence to authorize the construction of a near surface disposal facility

Demande des LNC visant à modifier le permis du site des Laboratoires de Chalk River pour autoriser la construction d'une installation de gestion des déchets près de la surface

**Commission Public Hearing
Part 2**

**Audience publique de la Commission
Partie 2**

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Dear Sir/Madam,

Remediation of the legacy waste is a right way to improve safety of Canadians and at the same time use ionizing radiation for its benefits. The use of ionizing radiation and radioactive materials has led to dramatic advances in medical diagnosis and treatment, and they are used for a wide range of procedures in industry, agriculture, and research.

Nevertheless, they can be harmful to human beings, and people must be protected from unnecessary or excessive exposures. Therefore, we need to establish a control of legacy waste to the best available practices to date.

The construction of Near Surface Disposal Facility at Chalk River Laboratories site will allow to keep historic waste that already on site to the best industrial practice and ensure safe and reliable storage of low level radioactive waste for long time.

Regards,

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