



Notice of Public Hearing

February 27, 2004

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The Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission (CNSC) will hold a two-day public hearing on an application by Ontario Power Generation (OPG) for a construction licence for the Darlington Used Fuel Dry Storage Project located at the Darlington Nuclear Generating Station (NGS) site in Clarington, Ontario.

Hearing Day One: April 28, 2004
Place: CNSC Public Hearing Room, 14th floor, 280 Slater Street, Ottawa, Ontario

Hearing Day Two: July 9, 2004
Place: CNSC Public Hearing Room, 14th floor, 280 Slater Street, Ottawa, Ontario

Public hearings follow the order listed in the agenda published prior to the hearing dates.

CNSC staff received notice from OPG of its intent to apply for a licence to construct and operate a used fuel dry storage facility at the Darlington NGS site. Before the CNSC heard OPG's application, an environmental assessment was completed in compliance with the *Canadian Environmental Assessment Act (CEAA)*. Following a public hearing held on September 25, 2003, the CNSC announced its conclusion that OPG's proposed Darlington Used Fuel Dry Storage Project, taking into account the appropriate mitigation measures, is not likely to cause significant adverse environmental effects.

The public is invited to participate in the hearing on the licence application either by oral presentation or written submission on Hearing Day Two. Requests to intervene and text of oral presentations or written submissions must be filed with the Secretary of the Commission no later than June 3, 2004. Please send interventions to:

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