Notice of Public Hearing

February 17, 2006

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The Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission (CNSC) will hold a one-day public hearing to consider the application by the *École Polytechnique de Montréal* to renew the operating licence for a subcritical nuclear assembly. The facility is located on the campus of the *École Polytechnique de Montréal* in Montréal, Québec.

One-Day Hearing: May 18, 2006 Place: CNSC Public Hearing Room, 14th floor, 280 Slater Street, Ottawa, Ontario

The public hearing will follow the agenda published prior to the hearing date.

The subcritical nuclear assembly is used to train nuclear engineering students. The *École Polytechnique de Montréal* is applying to renew its operating licence for this facility for a period of 10 years.

Submissions from CNSC staff and the *École Polytechnique de Montréal* for the Commission's hearing on the licence renewal application will be available March 20, 2006. The public is invited to intervene at the public hearing either by written submission or by oral presentation and written submission. Requests to intervene must be filed with the Secretary of the Commission by April 18, 2006, at the address below. In accordance with the *Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission Rules of Procedure*, requests to intervene must include a written submission and, where applicable, the text of any oral presentation to be made to the Commission.

The agenda and information on the hearing process are available on the CNSC Web site at <u>www.nuclearsafety.gc.ca</u>. Hearing documents (submissions) are not available on line and must be requested through the Secretariat at the address below:

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