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# Notice of Hearing

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November 7, 2007

Ref. 2008-H-100

The Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission (CNSC) will hold a one-day hearing on January 9, 2008 to consider the application by Atomic Energy of Canada Limited (AECL) for an amendment to the Chalk River Laboratories operating licence. The amendment would enable operations of the Shielded Modular Above Ground Storage (SMAGS) Building no. 1. The facility is located at the Chalk River Laboratories near Chalk River, Ontario.

Following a hearing held on May 1, 2007, the Commission approved the construction of Building no. 1 of the proposed series of six SMAGS buildings. AECL is now seeking approval to operate Building no. 1.

The Commission will consider AECL's application by way of written submissions, in a closed session. CNSC staff and AECL's submissions will be available as of November 13, 2007 by contacting the Secretariat at the address below.

The public is invited to comment, in writing, on AECL's application. Requests by the public to intervene must be filed with the Secretary of the Commission by December 12, 2007 at the address below. The request must include the following information, as per the *Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission Rules of Procedure*:

- a written submission of the comments to be presented to the Commission; and
- name, address and telephone of the requester.

Following the deliberations and decision of the Commission on this matter, a *Record of Proceedings, including Reasons for Decision* will be published on the CNSC Web site and made available to the public.

The hearing documents (submissions) are not available on-line and must be requested through the Secretariat at the address below:

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